

## NIDA Blending - Treatment Planning M.A.T.R.S.

**Date:** 06/06/08  
**Time:** 10:00 - 4:00  
**Cost:** \$8.00 - Lunch is included  
**Trainer:** Bill Bowman  
**Location:** St. Joseph's Rehabilitation Center, Inc.  
 159 Glenwood Drive  
 P.O. Box 470, Saranac Lake, NY 12983  
**Credits:** Approved for 6 CASAC, CPP & CPS Hours

The ASI Blending Team designed a training package to transform required "paperwork" into clinically useful information. The Addiction Severity Index (ASI) is one of the most widely used tools for the assessment of substance use-related problems. Addiction counselors working in community-based treatment centers administer the ASI, yet often fail to use findings to identify client problems, develop individualized treatment plans, and make referrals matched to client needs. Intake workers, counselors, supervisors, and managers often view the ASI assessment as time consuming and not clinically useful. In addition, supervisors and administrators often do not utilize treatment plans to monitor treatment outcomes and/or client retention. This training package teaches clinicians how the ASI information can be used for clinical applications and assist in program evaluation activities.

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