

# Problem Gambling and Health Awareness Conference

# FOUR DIRECTIONS

*Honoring Our Past =⊕= Protecting Our Future  
Through Holistic Health, Wellness, and Recovery Support*

**September 12-15, 2016**  
**CLEARWATER CASINO RESORT | SUQUAMISH, WA**

## Professional Development Scholarship Opportunities for Washington State Treatment Providers

Thank you for your interest in the professional development scholarship opportunities for Washington State treatment providers to attend the **Four Directions** conference September 12-15, 2016. The scholarships were established, with the support of Washington State Behavioral Health and Service Integration Administration, to encourage and support participation by professionals who have applied to become a Washington State certified gambling counselor and hold a current certificate or license issued by the State of Washington to provide mental health or chemical dependency treatment services to the public. Treatment providers not eligible for problem gambling counselor certification may still be eligible for scholarships depending on funding available.

Applications for certification are available online at [www.evergreencpg.org](http://www.evergreencpg.org) or by calling the Evergreen Council on Problem Gambling (ECPG) at 360.352.6133. Treatment providers with applications on file by September 6, 2016, are eligible. A limited number of professional development scholarships are available (total value up to \$650) that will include:

- Registration for up to four days (September 12-15).
- Washington State Gambling Certification application fees (for those who have not yet applied).
- Hotel stipend of \$50 per night, up to three nights, for any scholarship recipient who books his/her room at the Clearwater Casino Resort. Additional lodging costs, meals, and travel expenses are the responsibility of the attendee.



### CONTINUING EDUCATION/CERTIFICATION

All Evergreen Council on Problem Gambling (ECPG) workshops qualify toward the 30 hours of gambling-specific education required by the Washington State and National Problem Gambling Certification Boards. ECPG is an Approved Provider of Continuing Education by The Association for Addiction Professionals (NAADAC). Our workshops have also been approved for continuing education by the Addictions Counselor Certification Board of Oregon (ACCBO), the American Academy of Health Care Providers in the Addictive Disorders (AAHCPAD), and the Washington Mental Health Counselors Association (WMHCA). ECPG is also requesting accreditation approvals from the Indigenous Certification Board of Canada (ICBOC) and the Canadian Problem Gambling Certification Board (CPGCB). Contact us with further questions.

Don't miss this opportunity to learn in an exciting setting and meet other treatment providers, researchers, and leaders in the field. For more information on professional development scholarship opportunities, contact ECPG at 360.352.6133 or visit [www.evergreencpg.org](http://www.evergreencpg.org).



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## ELIGIBILITY

### Professional development scholarship recipients MUST:

- ✓ Download registration form at [www.evergreencpg.org](http://www.evergreencpg.org) and FAX or e-mail to ECPG (scholarship applicants cannot register online). Conference registration MUST be sent in with scholarship application.
- ✓ Have a completed Washington State problem gambling counselor certification application on file with ECPG by September 6, 2016, which is available on our website under **Training**. All scholarship recipients must commit to completing the Washington State problem gambling counselor certification requirements within two years of certification application.
- ✓ Hold a current certificate or license issued by the State of Washington to provide mental health or chemical dependency treatment services to the public.
- ✓ Be a current ECPG member. Visit [www.evergreencpg.org](http://www.evergreencpg.org) → **Membership** or fill out the form following this application.
- ✓ Complete **Daily Evaluation Forms** during the conference, which must be signed and returned at the close of each day.

## COMMITMENT AND CANCELLATION POLICY

All scholarship recipients who accept a Professional Development Scholarship from the Evergreen Council on Problem Gambling must make a commitment to attend all sessions on all days for which a scholarship is awarded. If a scholarship recipient is not able to attend all sessions on all days for which a scholarship is awarded, ECPG must receive advance notification and the scholarship may be retracted if deemed appropriate. If advance notification is not offered, the scholarship recipient may risk eligibility for any future scholarship awards.

## DEADLINE

Completed scholarship application form and supporting documentation—with a completed conference registration form—must be postmarked by **September 6, 2016**. Applications received after this date will be considered only if funding is available.

## AWARDS

Professional development scholarship recipients will be notified by **September 9, 2016**.

### Submit completed application materials to:

Evergreen Council on Problem Gambling  
Professional Development Scholarship Committee  
1801 Fourth Avenue East  
Olympia, WA 98506

Phone: 360.352.6133

FAX: 360.352.4133

E-mail: [info@evergreencpg.org](mailto:info@evergreencpg.org)

Website: [www.evergreencpg.org](http://www.evergreencpg.org)

Washington State treatment provider professional development scholarships supported by:



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## SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM

### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Credentials: \_\_\_\_\_  
Position / Title: \_\_\_\_\_ Agency / Organization: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: WASHINGTON Zip: \_\_\_\_\_  
Day phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell/Alternate phone: \_\_\_\_\_  
Email address: \_\_\_\_\_

### APPLICANT STATEMENT

Please briefly explain your interest in attending **Four Directions**, how the conference relates to your work, and how you will use and share the knowledge acquired:

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***Please include a photocopy of all current certifications and licenses issued by the State of Washington that permit you to provide mental health or chemical dependency treatment services to the public.***

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

*By signing, I attest to the accuracy of the above information.*

**Submit completed application postmarked by September 6, 2016, to:**

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Professional Development Scholarship Committee  
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P: 360.352.6133 | F: 360.352.4133



# ECPG and NCPG JOINT MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION



Name: _____	Company: _____
Address: _____	Apt./Suite: _____
City: _____ State/Province: _____	Zip/Postal: _____
Phone: _____	Fax: _____
E-mail address: _____	
<b>All fields are required</b>	

## MEMBERSHIP OPTIONS

- \$39** ECPG Membership—Special member discounted fees on quarterly trainings and conference registration (all offer CEUs), certification training workshops, quarterly newsletter, and member certificate.
- \$74** Joint ECPG & NCPG Individual Membership—Includes ECPG Membership plus full National voting rights, 1-year subscription to NCPG newsletter, member certificate, bimonthly subscription to *Addiction Professional* as well as discounts on literature and conferences. This special offer is a \$114 value! The cost of NCPG Individual Membership alone is \$75 when purchased directly. Save \$40 through ECPG!
- \$99** Joint ECPG & NCPG Individual Plus Member—Includes all the benefits of ECPG & NCPG Individual Member level, with the addition of a subscription to *International Gambling Studies*, a peer-reviewed interdisciplinary journal in gambling studies. This special offer is a \$139 value! The cost of NCPG Individual Plus Membership alone is \$100 when purchased directly. Save \$40 through ECPG!

## MEMBERSHIP PAYMENT

Today's Date: _____	Credit Card #: _____
Method of Payment: <input type="checkbox"/> Visa® <input type="checkbox"/> Master Card®	Expiration Date: _____    CSC #: _____ (3 digits on back of credit card)
Check #: _____ <input type="checkbox"/> Money Order (Checks payable to Evergreen Council on Problem Gambling)	Signature: _____

ECPG and NCPG are non-profit organizations. Your payment is tax deductible. Mail completed form with payment to:  
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