

2025  
**Women's Recovery**  
CONFERENCE  
Asheville, NC

Creating Connections  
and Transforming Isolation

May 7-9, 2025



The 2025 Women's Recovery Conference offers up to 16 credit hours with a variety of credit options. The conference is designed for those working in substance abuse, mental health, psychology, criminal justice, human services, and other health care professions. The 2025 conference will be presented via a live webinar format. Live attendance at the webinar is required to receive professional credit.

During the past decade, we have had greater turnout than ever for this vital conference. In response to the natural disaster created by hurricane Helene, and the current economic environment, we are significantly reducing fees for 2025 Women's Recovery Conference. MAHEC is sincerely striving to support the Western North Carolina community at this time of need and to accommodate more individuals who otherwise would not be able to attend. In 2025, the conference will be held on a Livestream only platform, so that speakers nor attendees will need to physically travel to the disaster area.

In a further effort to accommodate strained clinical work schedules and challenges with travel and lodging, MAHEC is offering one-day, two-day, and three-day options; all of which may be accessed via WebEx Livestream with direct access to presenters. This allows MAHEC to provide mental health credits which are classified the same as in-person, "live" training as they receive vital North Carolina updates to inform care.

This is the 39th year of the Women's Recovery Conference, where gender-responsive care which focuses on the needs of women in recovery and their families, is exclusively presented. The Preconference on Wednesday, May 7th includes four distinct half-day topics as well as an all-day Motivational Interviewing (MI) session, allowing for even greater registration choices.

The main conference day on May 8th provides gender-responsive care topics addressing care needs relevant not just for North Carolina (NC), but also across the United States.

A special two-part presentation opens the day on Friday, May 9th, with an introductory North Carolina State of the State Address by the new DHHS MH/DD/SAS Women's Services Coordinator and an in-depth presentation by Dr. Elisabeth Johnson. Evidence-based strategies to promote hope, health, and healing are shared, as we continue to live through an unprecedented time of change, intertwining public and social health related crises. Strategies for coping with women's health challenges are embedded within this vital two-part session, designed to enhance the lives of both practitioners and the women whom they serve, strengthening recovery and laying a firm foundation for lifelong growth and positive transformation. Information on optimizing outcomes for women, including those who are pregnant or with families in North Carolina, will be provided, with a primary focus on the provision of compassionate care.

Gender-responsive approaches are taken on mandatory topics such as supervision, ethics, HIV, STIs, and bloodborne pathogens. The conference also offers a choice of innovative care modalities that frontline providers may implement to motivate and empower women, while optimizing balance on the inevitably precarious path of recovery. More than ever, community connection, solidarity and accurate information are vital in providing a solid foundation for sustained recovery. The entire conference emphasizes culturally appropriate care, the fostering of strong communities, and the enhancement of psychological and physiological support for women in recovery, including perinatal, and maternal care.

Opening Keynote:  
**The Wounded Healer:  
A Story of Hope and Healing**



with special keynote presenter  
**Dottie Saxon Greene**  
PhD, LCSW, LADAC II, QCS, CPRS, RCP, RYT

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## Agenda at a Glance

**Wednesday, May 7th**

### PRECONFERENCE

6.0 hours

Sign-in/Connect 8:30 - 9:00 am  
Morning break 10:30 - 10:45 am  
Lunch break 12:15 - 1:15 pm  
Afternoon break 2:45 - 3:00 pm  
Adjourn 4:30 pm

9:00 am - 12:15 pm *CHOOSE ONE*  
**Preconference Morning Sessions**

**1A. Rewiring for Recovery**

**1B. Considering the Ethics of Relationships in Women's Substance Use Disorder Treatment**

1:15 pm - 4:30 pm *CHOOSE ONE*  
**Preconference Afternoon Sessions**

**1C. Healing from Co-Dependence to Create Healthy Connections**

**1D. Ethics and Clinical Supervision of Mental Health and Substance Use**

**-OR-**

9:00 am - 4:30 pm  
**Preconference Full-Day Session**

**1E. Engaging Clients and Facilitating Change: Strategic and Intentional Use of Motivational Interviewing**

**Thursday, May 8th**

### MAIN CONFERENCE Day One

4.5 hours for Track 1 / 5 hours for Track 2

Sign-in/Connect 8:30 - 9:00 am  
Morning break 10:30 - 10:45 am  
Lunch break 12:15 - 1:15 pm  
Afternoon break 2:45 - 3:00 pm  
Track 1 Adjourn 4:30 pm  
Track 2 Adjourn 5:00 pm

9:00 am - 10:30 am  
**Opening Keynote Session**

**The Wounded Healer: A Story of Hope and Healing**

Dottie Saxon Greene, PhD, LCSW,  
LADAC II, QCS, CPRS, RCP, RYT

### TRACK 1: General Track

**2A.**  
10:45 am - 12:15 pm  
**Do You Know "The Power of 20"?**

1:15 pm - 4:30 pm  
**HIV/STI Updates for Substance Use Professionals**

### TRACK 2: DHHS Track\*

**2B.**  
10:45 am - 11:45 pm  
**Jumping off the Balance Beam Might Just Save Your Life**  
11:45 pm - 12:15 pm  
**Foundations of Gender-Responsive SUD Treatment: How Did We Get Here and Why**  
1:15 pm - 1:45 pm  
*continued from above*  
1:45 pm - 2:45 pm  
**Healing Together: Addressing Addiction's Impact on the Family Unit**  
3:00 pm - 5:00 pm  
**Beyond Anger and Violence: A Program for Women**

**Friday, May 9th**

### MAIN CONFERENCE Day Two

3.5 hours

Sign-in/Connect 8:30 - 9:00 am  
Morning break 10:30 - 10:45 am  
Adjourn 12:45 pm

9:00 am - 10:30 am  
**Opening Presentation**

**Update from the State: Women's SUD Treatment in NC**  
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**Fostering Self-Compassion and Resilience: Connection in Recovery**  
Elisabeth Johnson, PhD, FNP-BC,  
CARN-AP, LCAS

10:45 am - 12:45 pm *CHOOSE ONE*  
**3A. The Emerging Science of Recovery Community Centers**

**3B. Healing with One Another: Group Counseling for Substance Use Disorder**

# CONFERENCE OVERVIEW & AGENDA

(Eastern Standard Time)

## Preconference – Wednesday, May 7th | 9:00 am – 4:30 pm

Morning Break: 10:30 am – 10:45 am

Lunch Break: 12:15 pm – 1:15 pm

Afternoon Break: 2:45 pm – 3:00 pm

Preconference sessions (6.0 Educational Hours total)

Choose between two different morning sessions + two different afternoon sessions or one full-day session

### MORNING + AFTERNOON SESSIONS

#### MORNING CHOICES:

1A. 9:00 am – 12:15 pm (3.0 Educational Hours)

#### **Rewiring for Recovery**

Elizabeth Reese, PhD

Choose  
one:

OR

1B. 9:00 am – 12:15 pm (3.0 Educational Hours) \*offers 3 hours of Ethics credit\*

#### **Considering the Ethics of Relationships in Women's Substance Use Disorder Treatment**

Andrea Winkler, LCSW, LCAS

For session descriptions,  
objectives and speaker  
bios, go to:  
[www.mahec.net/wrc](http://www.mahec.net/wrc)

#### AFTERNOON CHOICES:

1C. 1:15 pm – 4:30 pm (3.0 Educational Hours)

#### **Healing from Co-Dependence to Create Healthy Connections**

Judi Swayne, LCSW, LCAS

Choose  
one:

OR

1D. 1:15 pm – 4:30 pm (3.0 Educational Hours)

#### **Ethics and Clinical Supervision of Mental Health and Substance Abuse**

Dayna Guido, MSW, LCSW, ACSW

**-OR-** Choose the full day:

### FULL DAY SESSION

1E. 9:00 am – 4:30 pm (6.0 Educational Hours)

#### **Engaging Clients and Facilitating Change: Strategic and Intentional Use of Motivational Interviewing**

Laurie Conaty, LCSW, LCAS



**Main Conference Day One – Thursday, May 8th | 9:00 am – 4:30 pm Track One  
9:00 am – 5:00 pm Track Two**

Morning Break: 10:30 am – 10:45 am  
Lunch Break: 12:15 pm – 1:15 pm  
Afternoon Break: 2:45 pm – 3:00 pm

9:00 am – 10:30 am (1.5 Educational Hours) Everyone in Attendance

**Opening Keynote:**

**The Wounded Healer: A Story of Hope and Healing**

Dottie Saxon Greene, PhD, LCSW, LADAC II, QCS, CPRS, RCP, RYT

**Choose  
Track One**

**2A. Track One: General Track**

10:45 am – 4:30 pm (4.5 Educational Hours)

10:45 am – 12:15 pm

**Do You Know the “Power of 20”?**

Kathryn Rossi, PhD

1:15 pm – 4:30 pm

**HIV/STI Updates for Substance Use Professionals**

Shannon Dowler, MD, FAAFP, CPE

**-OR-**

**Track Two:**

**2B. Track Two: DHHS Track**

10:45 am – 5:00 pm (5.0 Educational Hours)

10:45 am – 11:45 pm

**Jumping Off the Balance Beam Might Just Save Your Life**

Nicole H. Lewis, MSW, LCSW, LCAS, CCS

11:45 pm – 12:15 pm\*

**Foundations of Gender-Responsive SUD Treatment: How Did We Get Here and Why**

Melissa L. Godwin, MSW, LCSW

1:15 pm – 1:45 pm\*

continued from above

1:45 pm – 2:45 pm

**Healing Together: Addressing Addiction’s Impact on the Family Unit**

Essence Hairston, LCSW, LCAS, CCS

3:00 pm – 5:00 pm

**Beyond Anger and Violence**

Selden Holt, LCSW, LCAS-A



## Main Conference Day Two – Friday, May 9th | 9:00 am –12:45 pm

Morning Break: 10:30 am – 10:45 am  
Adjourn: 12:45 pm

9:00 am – 10:30 am (1.5 Educational Hours)  
Everyone in Attendance  
Opening Presentations:

Part One: 9:00 am – 9:15 am  
**Update from the State: Women’s SUD Treatment in North Carolina**  
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Part Two: 9:15 am – 10:30 am  
**Fostering Self-Compassion and Resilience: Connection in Recovery**  
Elisabeth Johnson, PhD, FNP-BC, CARN-AP, LCAS

10:45 AM – 12:45 PM (2.0 Educational Hours)  
Choose between two plenary sessions:

Choose  
one:

3A.  
**The Emerging Science of Recovery Community Centers**  
Dottie Saxon Greene, PhD, LCSW, LADAC II, QCS, CPRS, RCP, RYT

3B.  
**Healing with One Another: Group Counseling for Substance Use Disorder**  
Geri Miller, PhD, LP, LCAS, CCS



## CONFERENCE OBJECTIVES

At the 2025 Women's Recovery Conference: Creating Connections and Transforming Isolation, session content supports the following overarching conference goals:

- 1) Provide concrete information, therapeutic insights, and treatment skills which may be applied to process substance use, behavioral addictions, and dependence on other substances
- 2) Introduce skills to provide and ensure continuous, ethical care for women in recovery, within current workforce limitations
- 3) Prepare providers with effective, evidence-based behavioral interventions to help women enter recovery, prevent return to use, sustain optimal health in long-term recovery, in benefit of women as well as their families
- 4) Discuss strategies for closing major gaps in the current United States (US) care delivery system regarding treatment access for pregnant and parenting women and marginalized groups
- 5) Update providers on current North Carolina policies and laws impacting women in recovery and their families
- 6) Detail ways in which systems can be trauma-informed and culturally-sensitive
- 7) Inform providers of current legislation surrounding reporting on and care of pregnant women
- 8) List at least three evidence-based modalities of care that foster social, psychological, and physiological well-being in women's recovery while reducing risk of return to use
- 9) Describe at least three effective evidence-based strategies which meet the gender-responsive needs of women with substance use disorders based on SAMHSA recommendations / research
- 10) Describe treatment approaches which foster resilience, build trust, and increase commitment to individualized therapeutic goals of women in recovery, while optimizing health outcomes
- 11) Provide information on healthy styles of communication which break co-dependent patterns
- 12) Provide skills on how to break old patterns which no longer serve the needs of recovering women, utilizing the "Power of 20"
- 13) Introduce Motivational Interviewing skills to promote motivation and adherence to recovery goals
- 14) Explain how to obtain access to community resources that sustain gender-responsive recovery
- 15) Demonstrate a commitment to honor diversity, celebrate individuality, promote authenticity, and foster genuine collaboration
- 16) Provide current information on gender-responsive ethics, infectious disease prevention, provider supervision, and optimization of spiritual, physical, and emotional health in recovery
- 17) Provide information on clinical supervision relevant to providers working with women in recovery
- 18) Introduce a time-tested Recovery Community Center model to foster healthy lifestyle and communication relevant to women in recovery and their families

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Keynote presenter

## **Dottie Saxon Greene**

PhD, LCSW, LADAC II, QCS, CPRS, RCP, RYT

Dr. Greene is an Associate Professor in the Department of Social Work at East Tennessee State University. She is also the Executive Director of Johnson City Recovery Center, which she founded in 2022. She has spent the past 40 years supporting people in recovery in a variety of settings: peer support, clinical services, and academia. Dr. Greene holds a PhD from the University of Utah and an MSW from UNC-Chapel Hill. Among her career highlights are the development of two graduate certificate programs for addiction counseling in two universities, Western Carolina University and East Tennessee State University; two terms on the North Carolina Addictions Specialist Professional Practice Board; one term on the National Board of Directors of the National Association of Social Workers; and most recently, the creation of Johnson City Recovery Center, the first recovery community center in Northeast Tennessee. Dr. Greene's scholarly interests include recovering addiction professionals, self-care, yoga, mindfulness, and recovery science.



## CREDITS

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Preconference – Wednesday, May 7, 2025

0.6 CEUs  
6.0 Contact Hours  
6.0 NBCC  
6.0 Contact Hours (category A) CE for NC Psychologists  
6.0 Hours – NCASPPB

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Main Conference Day One – Thursday, May 8, 2025

TRACK ONE: GENERAL TRACK  
0.6 CEUs  
6.0 Contact Hours  
6.0 Contact Hours (category A) CE for NC Psychologists  
6.0 Hours – NBCC  
6.0 Hours – NCASPPB

TRACK TWO: DHHS TRACK

0.7 CEUs – Track Two  
6.5 Contact Hours – Track Two  
6.5 Contact Hours (category A) CE for NC Psychologists  
6.5 Hours – NBCC  
6.5 Hours – NCASPPB

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Main Conference Day Two - Friday, May 9, 2025

0.4 CEUs  
3.5 Contact Hours  
3.5 Contact Hours (category A) CE for NC Psychologists  
3.5 Hours – NBCC  
3.5 Hours – NCASPPB

## AUDIENCE

Mental health and substance abuse professionals; including substance abuse counselors, psychologists, social workers, licensed clinical mental health counselors, marriage and family therapists, peer support specialists, nurses, school counselors, and other professionals interested in these topics.

## PLANNING COMMITTEE

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- Judi Swayne, LCSW, LCAS, Charles George Veterans Affairs Medical Center
- Vernetta Eleazer, MS, LCAS, CCS, Oasis Recovery Center
- Judith Johnson-Hostler, LCMHC, LCAS, NCC, CSI, Alcohol & Drug Council of North Carolina, Division of MH/DD/SUS, Addictions & Management Operations Section, NC Department of Health and Human Services, DPH - Maternal Health Branch (WICWS)
- Angela Ramsey, MSW, LCAS, CSI
- Starleen Scott-Robbins, MSW, LCSW, Division of MH/DD/SUS, Addictions & Management Operations Section, NC Department of Health and Human Services
- Linda Hamilton, CDAC, Beyond Addiction
- Marie Gannon, LCMHC, LCAS, CSI, Consultant
- Melissa Parker, LCAS, CSI, Insight / Asheville Women's Recovery Center

And the following individuals from Mountain Area Health Education Center (MAHEC):

- Barbara Warren, MSW, LCSW, LCAS, Conference Planner / AHEC Mental Health Director
- Nick Hunter, Program Logistics Specialist
- Scott Schreiber, Program Logistics Specialist / Logistical Consultant

NBCC: MAHEC has been approved by NBCC as an Approved Continuing Education Provider, ACEP No. 5514. Programs that do not qualify for NBCC credit are clearly identified. MAHEC is solely responsible for all aspects of their programs.



NCASPPB (C): North Carolina Addictions Specialist Professional Practice Board has approved this workshop for up to 16 hours (SS, GSB, and specialty hours including ETHICS, EBT, CSS, PSY and HIV hours available based on sessions attended).

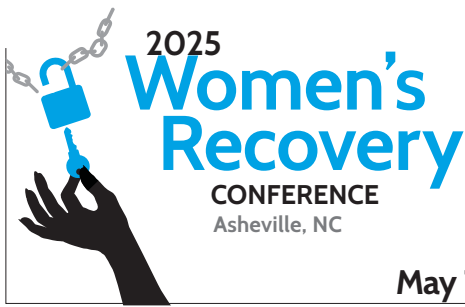
Psychologists: MAHEC is recognized by the North Carolina Psychology Board as an approved Provider of Category A Continuing Education for North Carolina Licensed Psychologists. Approved for up to 16 hours Category A.

CEU: MAHEC designates this live continuing education activity as meeting the criteria for up to 1.6 CEUs as established by the National Task Force on the Continuing Education Unit.

Contact Hours: MAHEC designates this live continuing education activity as meeting the criteria for up to 16 Contact Hours.







# Creating Connections and Transforming Isolation

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## NCASPPB DETAILS

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[C = Combination of Substance Abuse Specific and General Skill Building]

**PRECONFERENCE - Wednesday, May 7th**  
9:00 am - 4:30 pm (6.0 Hours)

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**MAIN CONFERENCE - Thursday, May 8th**

Track 1: General Track 9:00 am - 4:30 pm (4.5 Hours) | Track 2: DHHS 9:00 am - 5:00 pm (5.0 Hours)

**All attendees:**

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**Guide to Abbreviations:**

S or SS = Substance Abuse Specific Training  
G or GSB = General Skill Building Training  
C = Combination of Substance Abuse Specific and General Skill Building

ETHICS = Ethics  
EBT = Evidence-Based Treatment  
HIV = HIV/AIDS/STD/TB/Bloodborne Pathogens  
PSY = Psychopathology Training  
CSS = Clinical Supervision Specific Training

## REGISTRATION

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### PRECONFERENCE (WEDNESDAY ONLY)

\$100 for individuals

\$70 for students, peer support specialists, and MAHEC employees  
(Must provide proof of enrollment or peer support status)

### MAIN CONFERENCE DAY ONE ONLY (THURSDAY)

\$100 for individuals

\$70 for students, peer support specialists, and MAHEC employees  
(Must provide proof of enrollment or peer support status)

### MAIN CONFERENCE DAY TWO ONLY (FRIDAY)

\$100 for individuals

\$70 for students, peer support specialists, and MAHEC employees  
(Must provide proof of enrollment or peer support status)

### MAIN CONFERENCE ONLY (THURSDAY AND FRIDAY)

\$190 for individuals

\$135 for students, peer support specialists, and MAHEC employees  
(Must provide proof of enrollment or peer support status)

### PRECONFERENCE + MAIN CONFERENCE

(WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY AND FRIDAY)

\$285 for individuals

\$175 for students, peer support specialists, and MAHEC employees  
(Must provide proof of enrollment or peer support status)

Early registration goes through April 30th. After the deadline, the total will be the registration fee + \$15.00.

Registration fee includes sessions and educational materials.

MAHEC has a pay-up-front policy for all CE programs. The only exceptions will be for pre-approved programs where an individual payment plan is appropriate. Registrations received without accompanying payment will not be processed and participants who have not paid the course fee will not be admitted into the program.

Unless otherwise noted in course materials, the following cancellation policy applies to all programs:

- Cancellations must be in writing (via fax, email, or mail)
- Cancellations received more than 2 weeks prior to the event will receive a 100% refund
- Cancellations received between two weeks and two full business days prior to the first day of the event are refunded at 70% of the registration fee subject to a minimum \$25 cancellation fee
- No refunds or credits will be given for cancellations received less than two full business days prior to the event
- No vouchers will be issued in lieu of a refund
- Transfers/substitute(s) are welcome (please notify us in advance of the program)

#### Want to register?

Online Registration:

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#### Have a question?

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