Course Description: This two-day workshop will provide workers with a basic understanding of working with families who have behavioral health problems. Participants will gain knowledge of the prevalence of Substance Use Disorders and Mental Health Disorders in the families they serve and will explore personal and system values regarding behavioral health issues. Child Welfare Specialist will learn some of the signs and symptoms of substance use and mental health disorders and will learn about the recovery process, including resources and processes within the state’s system.

Training Group: This workshop is mandatory for new workers who have completed CORE Training. Workers are enrolled in this training by the CW training section. If there are available slots, the workshop will be unrestricted for additional enrollment two weeks prior to the workshop.

Credit: Participants are reminded that anyone missing more than 30 minutes of a workshop may not receive credit.