Registration & Fees NAME: Address: City:_____State:____ Zip Code: _____Phone:____ E-mail Program Affiliation (If Any): _____ Please indicate any special accommodation you may require: There are a limited number of ground hotel rooms available. To ensure that those who require rooms without steps, we kindly ask that you request this only if necessary. There is no elevator. ☐ I am requesting a vegetarian meal PLEASE check one: ☐ I will be attending the conference, but will not be staying overnight at the hotel—Free ☐ I will be attending the conference and will require a room (Double Occupancy) 40.00 fee. I would like my roommate to be: ☐ I will be attending the conference and will require a Private Room 80.00 fee. Your T-shirt size: (please circle) L XL XXL By signing below, I grant full permission for Bluegrass Regional MH/MR Board and KYSTARS to use photographs of me and quotations from me in publications and promotions of this event. Signature Date Mail Registration form to: (include fee for room if staying overnight) **KYSTARS** Attn: Chris Whittington 869 Sparta Court, Lexington, KY 40504

The deadline for registration is 5/07/2012
Or when maximum capacity is reached.
For questions, call (859) 309-2856 or email
CWhittington@KYSTARS.org

Non-Profit Org.
US Postage Paid
Lexington, KY
Permit #86524





Conference



Clarion Hotel 1950 Newtown Pike Lexington, Kentucky May 18, 2012



You are a shining star...

For the second year in a row, Bluegrass and KY STARS have pooled our talents and resources in order to offer you a wonderful conference experience. We live in both challenging and exciting times.

Whether you are a consumer, family member, provider or someone interested in learning more about the Recovery movement, this conference has much to offer. Morning workshops will focus on topics such as the power of peer support, the importance of maintaining good physical health, navigating an ever-changing mental health system and the importance of fun in our lives. Learn about recovery programs in our state from our vendors and exhibitions.

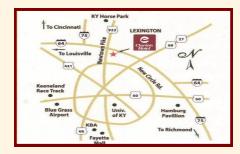
As always, this conference is a wonderful opportunity to share YOUR recovery stories and meet others in the state who are writing their own recovery stories.

Recovery is real! Millions of Americans have recovered from mental and substance use disorders and are living lives with purpose and meaning. Join us in celebrating the reality of recovery.

Hotel Information



Clarion Lexington 1950 Newton Pike Lexington, KY 40511 (859) 233-0512 info@clarionhotellex.com



Early Registration

Individuals attending the Thursday evening social event will have the opportunity to advance register.

Art Exhibit

There will be an exhibit of consumer artwork displaying the incredible talent of Kentucky's consumer Artists! If you would like to display your artwork, contact us!

Our Sponsors

Bluegrass MH/MR Board, Inc. and KYSTARS are once again proud to sponsor this annual conference. Special thanks to the Kentucky Department of Behavioral Health, Developmental & Intellectual Disabilities.

Conference Schedule

Friday, May 18, 2012

8-9am Registration
9-9:45am Workshop I

9:45-10am Break

10-10:45am Workshop II

11:30am-12:30pm Lunch (provided)

12:30-1pm Welcome

1-2:30pm Peter Ashenden,

Keynote

2:30-3:30pm

STAR-ticipation

3:30-4pm

Evaluation

Booths will be set up outside the meeting room where you can browse during breaks.

NOTE:

On Thursday, May 17th conference organizers will be hosting a social event by the Pavillion at the Clarion. There will be food, music, dancing, games, and all sorts of fun. Anyone registered for the conference is invited to attend.



Peter Ashenden is a consumer/survivor and the Director of Consumer Affairs at Optum Health. He has provided training to consumer/survivors and mental health professionals nationally and has been active in starting many self-help groups. He is a well known Keynote Speaker at many mental health related events throughout the country.

OUR KEYNOTE SPEAKER