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YSS and YWCA to Offer Free Recovery Coach Training in September

WHEELING, W.Va — Youth Services System, Inc. (YSS), in conjunction with the Wheeling YWCA, is offering a Recovery Coach Academy in September for National Recovery Month. The dates are September 12-16, from 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. daily. The course will be facilitated by Valery Staskey of YSS and Jennifer Sorg of the YWCA.

The Connecticut Community for Addiction Recovery (CCAR) course is a 30-hour training offered over one week. It is nationally recognized as one of the leading courses to learn the art and practice of coaching those with substance use disorders. Anyone who is interested may sign up for the course – there are no prerequisites.

“The Recovery Coach Academy is an excellent introduction to coaching. Many of the local professionals in the field began their careers in this course,” said Staskey. “I’m very proud of the more than 170 graduates that we have trained here at YSS.”

“The YWCA has collaborated with YSS many times to offer this course to local residents,” said Sorg. “We are proud that we are able to continue to grow recovery in the Ohio Valley.”

For further information and to register, contact Valery Staskey at vstaskey@ysswv.com or 304-218-2843.

For more information about Youth Services System, Inc., visit: <https://www.youthservicessystem.org/>

About Youth Services System, Inc.:

Youth Services System, Inc. 's mission is "to create better futures for children, families and our community." YSS is committed to responding to the complex needs of youth at serious risk. Since 1974, Youth Services System, Inc. has reached thousands of youth and their families with our shelter, residential, community-based and professional services. Together with youth and their families, we work to improve their physical and emotional well-being, to address the debilitating effects of abuse, substance use, and trauma, and to build the skills and connections they need to be successful. Accredited by CARF International, YSS is supported by our volunteer Board of Directors, dedicated staff and faithful community, allowing us to make a measurable impact in the lives of youth. For more information, visit www.youthservicessystem.org.