

## ***SUBSTANCE ABUSE PROFESSIONAL (SAP) TRAINING and EXAMINATION***

The Department of Transportation regulation - 49 CFR Part 40 - requires Substance Abuse Professionals to successfully complete training and an examination. There are a number of organizations currently offering the SAP training and/or examinations. The following list contains sources for one or both required components.

### **National Association of Alcoholism and Drug Abuse Counselors (NAADAC)**

Contact: (703) 741-7686 or (800) 548-0497; [www.naadac.org](http://www.naadac.org).

NAADAC offers classroom training and examination. In addition, they offer a home study course and examination. The approximate cost is \$200 (for members) to \$275 (for non-members).

### **International Certification & Reciprocity Consortium (ICRC)**

Contact: (703) 294-5827; [www.icrcaoda.org](http://www.icrcaoda.org).

ICRC offers an examination. The approximate cost is \$120. [Note: ICRC is in partnership with the Professional Training Center / Tom Foley and Associates (see next entry).]

### **Professional Training Center / Tom Foley and Associates**

Contact: (888) 876-7770; [www.professionaltrainingcenter.com](http://www.professionaltrainingcenter.com) or [www.tomfoleyassociates.com](http://www.tomfoleyassociates.com).

Professional Training Center offers classroom training. The approximate cost of the 2-day training course is \$295.

### **Employee Assistance Professionals Association (EAPA)**

Contact: (703) 387-1000; [www.epassn.org](http://www.epassn.org).

EAPA offers classroom training. In addition, they offer an on-line examination which cost approximately \$150 (for members) to \$200 (non-members).

### **Substance Abuse Program Administrators Association (SAPAA)**

Contact: (301) 540-2783; [www.sapaa.com](http://www.sapaa.com).

SAPAA offers classroom training. In addition, they offer a home study course which costs approximately \$295. [Note: SAPAA is closely associated with SAPACC (see next entry).]

### **Substance Abuse Program Administrators Certification Commission (SAPACC)**

Contact: (866) 538-4788; [www.sapacc.org](http://www.sapacc.org).

SAPACC offers an examination. The approximate cost is \$200.

### **Program Services, Continuing Education and Home Study**

Contact: (305) 223 - 9612; [www.programservices.org](http://www.programservices.org).

Program Services offers a home study course and examination. The approximate cost is \$400. [The examination can be taken separately.]

### **The Institute for the Advancement of Human Behavior and Buckley Productions, Inc. (IAHB)**

Contact: (650) 851-8411; [www.iahb.org](http://www.iahb.org)

IAHB offers a home study course and examination. The approximate cost is \$289.

### **American Substance Abuse Professionals, Inc. (ASAP)**

Contact: (888) 792-2727; [www.go2asap.com](http://www.go2asap.com)

ASAP offers a home study course. The approximate cost is \$150. [NAADAC and EAPA offer a 15% reduction in their SAP examinations for those taking the ASAP SAP course.]

**Blair Consulting Group, Inc.**

Contact: (612) 827-4147; [www.blairconsultants.com](http://www.blairconsultants.com)

Blair Consulting offers classroom training. The approximate cost of the 14-hour training course is \$395.