

Oregon Problem Gambling Services Meeting/ Training Schedule 2026

Updated 12/1/2025

Note: Mark your calendars and share this info with others in your agency who may need to know.....additional information and call/log in instructions or registration info will be sent in advance of each of these events.

Additional training may be coordinated and hosted within the year and will be announced via email to providers and added to this training calendar.

Trainings/Conferences

Gambling Precertification Course- Part 1

\$195/ 30 CEUs

Spring 2026 Course currently being scheduled

Advanced Problem Gambling Counselor Workshop

No cost/ 15 CEUs

Course will be offered in Fall 2026, dates to be scheduled in late Spring

Conferences

Focus on Future Conference- Vancouver WA

April 27-30, 2026

<https://www.evergreencpg.org/focus-on-the-future/>

More information to come in January

PG Peer Trainings

Peer Trainings: See the VPGR web page at: <https://vpgr.pythonanywhere.com/>

Monthly PG Hot Topic Webinars

All webinars will be recorded and placed on the ACORN training web page for viewing. CEUs available.

Introduction to New PG Treatment Clinician Workbook and Online Treatment Resource Library

Presented by Ashley Greaves, Problem Gambling Solutions Inc.
Monday, January 12, 2026 from 10am to 11am PST

Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/UAIpogA1Q0-nOY_CwwQ9hg

Piloting and Feedback on the New Pg Clinician Workbook

Presented by Ashley Greaves, Problem Gambling Solutions Inc.

Monday, February 9, 2026 from 10am to 11am PST

Register at: <https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/1Dgkk8iUS9aP25yjnZ99A>

How we Speak: Undoing Stigmatizing Language in Gambling Recovery

Presented by Andrew Schreier

Date and time to be determined for January 2026

More information to come

Understanding Sports Bettors in Oregon: Insights from Data and Treatment Trends

Presentation by OR Lottery and OHA

Thursday, February 19 from 1 pm to 2:30 pm PST

Register at: <https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/kpzemVtTRDKNQSRp7UpLTA>

Join staff from the Oregon Lottery and the Oregon Health Authority for an informative session exploring what we know about sports bettors in Oregon. This presentation will highlight key data from the DraftKings app and trends in who is seeking treatment for gambling-related harms. We'll also open the floor for discussion on how this information can inform prevention, outreach, and treatment strategies moving forward.

PG Ethics Trainings

Over the next two years, the PGS Multiethnic Advisory Committee (MAC)AC will be hosting a total of 6 hours of ethic specific webinars. Twice a year, in October and March, PGS MAC will be offer 90-minute webinars or 1.5 CEUs. All webinars are on Friday's and from **9:00 AM -10:30 AM PST**.

Ethics presentation will be facilitated by Eric Martin and Debra Buffaloboy Bigelow. Dates of the upcoming webinars will be:

- **Hypothetical Scenarios - Audience Rating**
March 27, 2026; register at: <https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/-EATVNYCQVufOuiv-oGrTQ>
 - **Understanding Investigative Authority & Jurisdictions**
October 23, 2026; register at:
<https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/kfTXl66AQfSjrKeg5d1r1Q>
 - **Ethics Committee - Maintaining Equity and Fairness**
March 26, 2027; register at:
<https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/g2HJavbQSLiPwdbQNDJvww>
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PGS All Providers Webinars: 9 – 10:30 am PST

PGS All Provider Meetings are online webinars that inform PGS providers with state updates, data reviews and presentation regarding the latest problem gambling information. Continuing Education Units (CEUs) are no longer provided for this meeting.

Thursday, March 12, 2026

Register at: <https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/qPhoHvQdRAGnTkR8uvBYhQ>

Thursday, June 11, 2026

Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/A-yNLL8dR8aKW_mbS1mVIA

Thursday, September 10, 2026

<https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/-1zvVvc0Sqe1aBn7pEQciA>

Thursday, December 10, 2026

<https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/1sYp4LQnS8WesSRCgz1uHQ>

PGS Prevention Monthly Connect Webinars

PGS Prevention Monthly Connect Meetings are online webinars that provide PG Prevention providers with state updates, and various presentations and sharing amongst providers regarding problem gambling prevention related efforts. The meetings are informational only and do not include Continuing Education Units (CEUs). The meetings are generally on the 3rd Wednesday of the month from 9:00 – 10:00 am PST, except for the months that there is a quarterly All Provider meeting held or when necessary to move due to scheduling conflicts**.

January 21, 2026: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1602413141?pwd=UmGZsRlq1EqVmRcWRtVM9Dfkj7FoZL.1>

February 18, 2026: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1611447836?pwd=Cn9T3ydc39wqk1gge23t4DOhu0tDmR.1>

March 12, 2026: All Provider meeting in lieu of Problem Gambling Prevention Connect

April 15, 2026: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1612649782?pwd=RIscLPNTJQnJEgNMkHJT0SwKPyEsfD.1>

May 6, 2026: Utilizing Your Community Readiness Assessment in lieu of PG Prevention Connect:

Registration Link: <https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/rdE8ky3HRkykJzcgNKv00g>

June 11, 2026: All Provider meeting in lieu of Problem Gambling Prevention Connect

July 15, 2026: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1604125134?pwd=gs26TvpA7NnCSbKXp1FGKcLnFjRq3U.1>

August 19, 2026: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1614280640?pwd=1057xqVhw2QRzpBXj5tbxJwlbFbJrF.1>

October 21, 2026: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1613284573?pwd=gOLkMotbiQm1h7BU8PxptP1vEshn7D.1>

November 18, 2026: Problem Gambling Prevention Connect 9:00 am – 10:00 am PST:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1609223264?pwd=xaOwHHhbvKBh86QcOcTjtlbO7vfFnz.1>

December 10, 2026: All Provider meeting in lieu of Problem Gambling Prevention Connect

Problem Gambling Consultation

These monthly consultations are for ALL direct treatment providers to gain multiple perspectives on case studies and therapeutic scenarios involving problem gambling. These consultation groups can count towards the 24 hours of required consultation for the CGAC I and II and offered to anyone in the system.

Facilitated by Raul Ramirez, OHA PG Treatment Specialist

Every First Wednesday of each month from January – December 2026

1:00 pm PST to 2:00 pm PST

Join ZoomGov Meeting:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1609310529?pwd=l6cTNC4zfzXuwboIPyhK41cKXz9adx.1>

- January 7, 2026
 - February 4, 2026
 - March 4, 2026
 - April 1, 2026
 - May 6, 2026
 - June 3, 2026
 - July 1, 2026
 - August 5, 2026
 - September 2, 2026
 - October 7, 2026
 - November 4, 2026
 - December 2, 2026
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PG Treatment Monthly Drop In Hour

3rd Wednesday of each month at 1pm (January will be Tuesday 1/20 at 1pm), OHA will have a Tx Drop-In Hour. This is an opportunity to ask Raul (OHA Tx Specialist) any tx related questions. This can be things such as program development, discussing your programs, in reach, outreach, agency and community engagement, educating internally and externally, discussing your referral and intake process, etc. These are also a great way to connect with other agencies on what they are doing that is working for them, as well.

Join my Zoom Meeting:

<https://www.zoomgov.com/j/1616063880?pwd=C9frU9CFwDMIMNNsPB1qbNpmbGatCw.1>

Oregon Research & Evaluation Outcomes (OREO-PG) Quarterly Webinar

All session from 1:00 to 2:30 pm PST

Engage, share and discuss data from Oregon's PG Net system, follow up surveys and research conducted in Oregon and nationally. Opportunity for providers to learn about the cutting-edge research results and questions in the field of problem gambling while having experienced evaluation professionals lead these discussions and explain data in an engaging and exciting way. 1.5 MHACBO CEU's will be provided.

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Thursday, May 21, 2026

Register at: <https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/GPoM4nNWQDuhyaS9OW44vA>

Thursday, August 20, 2026

Register at: https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/ldQUWm-dT6i7b9Ufpp_a6A

Thursday, November 19, 2026

Register at: <https://www.zoomgov.com/meeting/register/MVHEGLD4Q8qr0G0AvVxZIA>