
Problem Gambling Screening in Residential SUD Settings: An Overview of Support and Resources for Programs

Greta Coe, OHA Problem Gambling Services Manager
David Corse, LPC, CGACII, CADCI
Treatment Program Development Analyst
Problem Gambling & Integrated Co-Occurring Disorders

January 2022

The logo for the Oregon Health Authority. It features the word "Oregon" in a smaller, serif font above the word "Health" in a large, white, serif font. Below "Health" is the word "Authority" in a smaller, white, serif font. A horizontal line is positioned between "Health" and "Authority".

Oregon
Health
Authority

(Enter) DEPARTMENT (ALL CAPS)
(Enter) Division or Office (Mixed Case)

Welcome!

- We are recording this discussion for your reference.
- Objectives:
 - 1) Discuss need for Problem Gambling Screening in Residential SUD Treatment Settings.
 - 2) Provide overview of current and future resources provided by OHA Problem Gambling Services (PGS) for Residential SUD programs.
- Open Ended Dialogue will be Spoken Here.

Did you know?

**Prevalence
in A&D Tx**

It's reasonable to expect that 1 out of every 7 A&D clients has a gambling problem.

(Cowlshaw, S. et al., 2013)

DID YOU KNOW...

49% of those with lifetime gambling disorder reported receiving treatment for mental health or substance abuse problems. NONE reported treatment for gambling problems.

Kessler et al., 2008 National Co-morbidity Survey Replication



Did You Know?

Individuals who have Substance Use & MH Disorders are the most vulnerable population to develop a future Gambling Disorder.

Research suggests that more gambling = less likely to succeed in MH and SUDs Treatment.

Gambling can be a relapse trigger for alcohol and drugs, and a stressor towards decompensation for MH disorders.

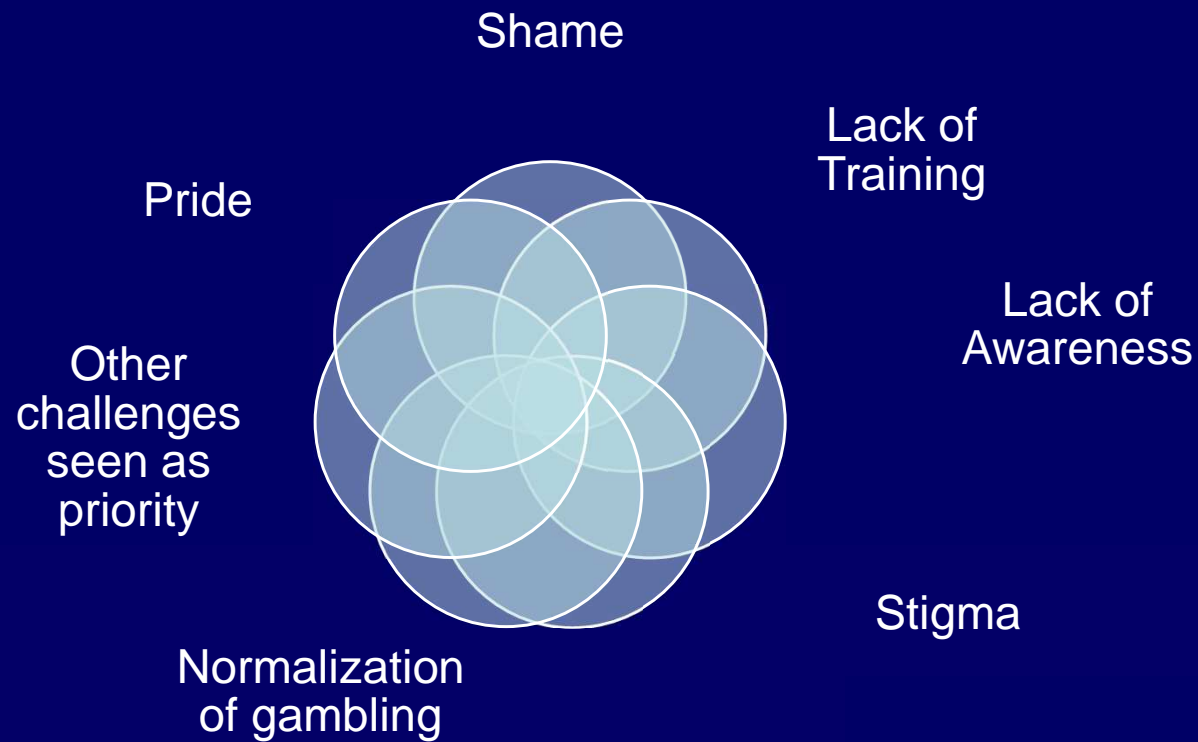
Impact of Gambling Disorder

- Higher rates of suicidal ideation
- Increased rates of unemployment
- Bankruptcy
- Fraud, check forgery, embezzlement, robbery
- Forced home sales, foreclosures
- Increased alcohol and drug abuse
- Poor mental and physical health of individuals and families
- Parental neglect of children – time lost to gambling, lack of resources.

- **Does your residential SUD program identify Gambling Disorder in 15% of your clients?**



Confounding Factors



OHA PGS Vision

- ❖ Increase awareness of Problem Gambling for SUD Residential staff and clients
- ❖ Provide training on how to screen for problem gambling
- ❖ Connect SUD Residential programs with Problem Gambling Services System Resources and local PG providers
- ❖ Provide Psychoeducation curriculums for SUD Residential clients

OHA PGS Resources

Treatment locator and resources for people dealing with Problem Gambling as well as their concerned others: www.opgr.org

Problem Gambling Statewide Helpline: 1-877-MY-LIMIT

Resources for Providers: www.Oregon.gov/pgs

Clinical Training on Screening & Referral: GBIRT

Problem Gambling Toolkit for SUD Residential Programs – Target
Publish date of March 1st, 2022

Discuss



Thank You!

OHA PGS Website: www.Oregon.gov/pgs

Greta Coe, Problem Gambling Services Manager
Greta.l.coe@dhsoha.state.or.us

David Corse, LPC, CGACII, CADCI
Treatment Program Development Analyst
Problem Gambling & Integrated Co-Occurring Disorders
David.corse@dhsoha.state.or.us