

NASMHPD OFFICE OF TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

Preparing the Adult Mental Health Workforce to Succeed in a Transformed System of Care

Workforce Development

Module XIV

Abuse and Neglect

Objectives

At the conclusion of this module, participants will:

1. Understand what constitutes abuse and neglect
2. Know what protections are in place for individuals diagnosed with a mental illness
3. Know where and how to properly report possible abuse and neglect incidents

Outline

- ✓ What is trauma, abuse & neglect?
- ✓ Signs and risks of abuse and neglect
- ✓ Who may commit abuse and neglect, and where?
- ✓ Protection and Advocacy
- ✓ PAIMI Act
- ✓ Reporting of abuse and neglect