

ACADEMIC CREDIT FOR THE SUMMER SCHOOL

Through a collaborative effort, academic undergraduate and graduate credit for the 2009 Summer School is available from **Johnson State College** for an additional cost.

If you are currently enrolled in an academic program, or are thinking of enrolling in a particular program, it is very important that you check with your faculty advisor or institution to ensure that these credits will transfer into your program and count toward your degree.

In addition, some academic programs have approved the NESAS program for undergraduate or graduate credit as an independent study for students enrolled in their institutions. Check with your faculty advisor.

Colleges and Universities Offering Academic Credit:

Johnson State College, Johnson, VT - Students have the opportunity to earn undergraduate or graduate credits (3 credits for attending and some additional follow up work). The cost has been reduced for NESAS participants to \$200 per credit hour, which is paid directly to Johnson State College. Students will have the opportunity to obtain further information from Johnson State College by signing up at the NESAS help desk, to have Johnson State materials mailed or students can meet with David Hutchinson of Johnson State College. David Hutchinson can be reached at 802-635-2356 (1305) or David.Hutchinson@jsc.edu.

CONTINUING EDUCATION UNITS

At the end of the program, certificates will be issued in your last class. All students completing the full program will receive a certificate of completion from the New England Institute of Addiction Studies. 2.75 Continuing Education Units (27.5 contact hours) will be awarded by the New England Institute. Those attending the partial program for Tracks A and B will receive 2.025 CEU's, or 20.25 contact hours.

The New England Institute of Addiction Studies, Inc. is an Approved NAADAC Education Provider. Attendance at NESAS will help toward counselor and other professional certification in most states, depending on your state's requirements. Application has been made to several professional organizations to accept New England Institute CEU's, including those certifying substance abuse counselors and social workers.

AdCare Educational Institute, Inc., a co-sponsor, will provide contact hours for Nurses (LPN/RNs) through the Massachusetts Board of Registration in Nursing. Nurses from outside Massachusetts should check with their state and professional associations to verify reciprocity or acceptance. For Licensed Mental Health Counselors (LMHCs), AdCare Educational Institute, Inc. is recognized by the National Board for Certified Counselors to offer continuing education for National Certified Counselors (NCCs). AdCare adheres to NBCC Continuing Education Guidelines. To ensure state credentialing, contact your local board of certification.

New York participants: The New England Institute of Addiction Studies, Inc. is a New York State Office of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse Services (OASAS) Education and Training Provider, Provider Number 0456. Application is being made to NYS OASAS for this school to meet all or part of the CASAC/ CPP/ CPS education and training requirements.