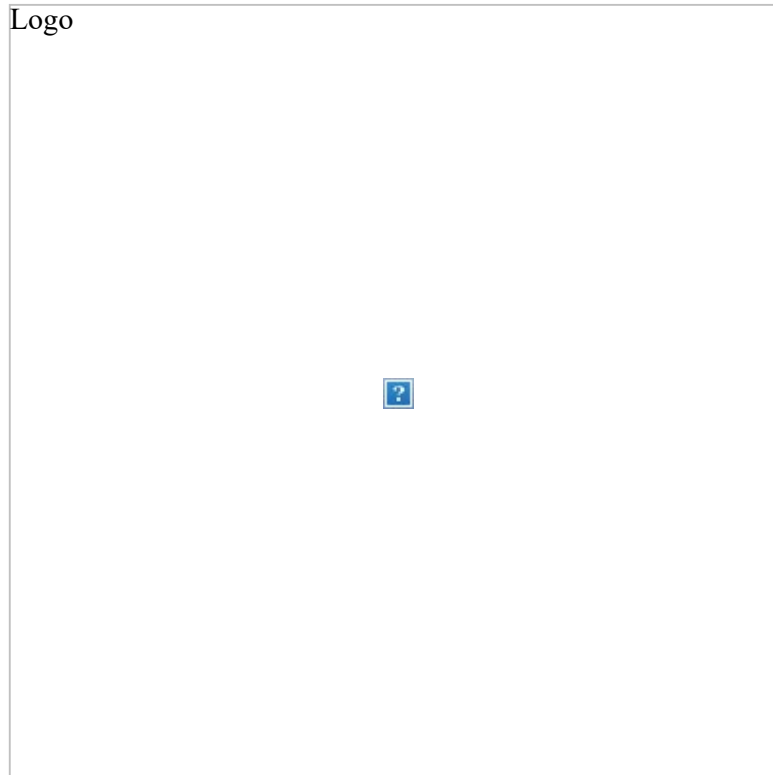


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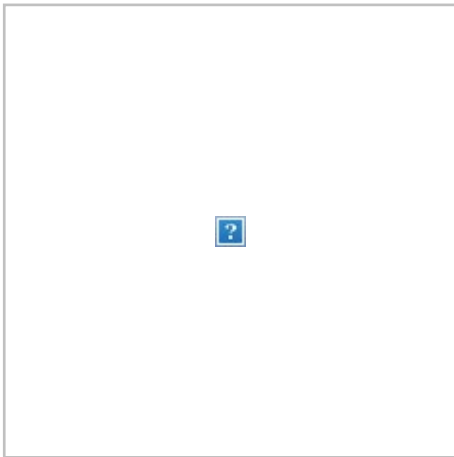
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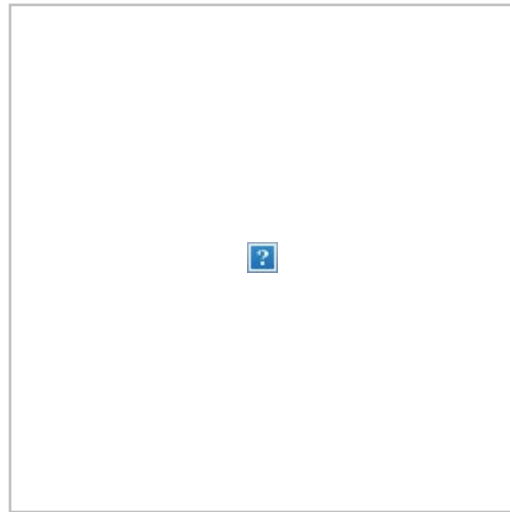
but as a movement. During this interactive training, participants will learn how to use recovery positive language to be able to share their story of problem gambling recovery. In addition, participants will learn to educate people about how very real recovery from problem gambling is.

Presenters:



Ashley Owen

Ashley Owen has been a Team Leader for the NYC Problem Gambling Resource Center since 2018 and an Adjunct Lecturer at College of Staten Island since 2021. She received her Masters' in Social Work from Hunter College in 2012 and is passionate about using education and storytelling as methods to raise awareness and reduce stigma about various social issues, including problem gambling.



Jonathan Crandall

Jonathan Crandall is the Veteran Outreach Coordinator for the New York Council on Problem Gambling. Jonathan served eight years in the United States Marine Corps. His passion lies in building upon veteran service platforms to increase awareness of the risk gambling has on the veteran community. Jonathan believes in the grassroots level to build capacity and enhance relationships to bring increased attention to service gaps, such as those for veterans negatively impacted by problem gambling behavior. Mr. Crandall stands firmly behind the power of one telling their story to increase awareness of a given issue and propel those who feel otherwise forgotten to reach out for help.



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