

Tobacco Treatment Specialist (TTS) Training Program

University of Mississippi Medical Center
CTTP Nationally Accredited Program 2022 – 2027

April 27-29 (8 am-5 pm) and

April 30 (8 am-1 pm), 2026

Webex



Attendees who complete this program are eligible for the
Certified Professional by the American Heart Association (CPAHA) - Tobacco Treatment

Who Should Attend

Healthcare, Mental Health and other professionals interested in tobacco control program delivery and development; Educators and Researchers interested in tobacco dependence and treatment

Resources Provided

- Program Manual (slides, citations, etc.)
- Therapist and Participant Manuals
- Clinical Reference Guide
- Intake and Treatment Session Forms

CE Credit provided for:

- Dentists and Dental Professionals
- Nurses
- Social Workers
- Advanced Practice Providers
- Allied Health Professionals (OT / PT / RT)
- CEUs for other disciplines

Additional information available [online](#)

Visit act2quit.org

Click **Education** then **TTS**

Workshops for more information

Faculty

Thomas J Payne, PhD, FSBM, Professor UMMC, Independent Consultant

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Brittany Tichenor, LPC, NCTTP, Tobacco Treatment Specialist

Sharon Bell, LPC, NCTTP, Tobacco Treatment Specialist

Robert Lock, LPC, NCTTP, Tobacco Treatment Specialist

Curriculum

State of the Field, Billing, National Certificate and Certification, System and Professional Considerations, Tobacco Product Usage and Impact, Biopsychosocial Model, Clinical Assessment, Special Populations, Intake Session, Treatment Planning, Improving Motivation, CBT Basics, Basic and Advanced Pharmacotherapy, Treatment and Follow-Up Sessions, Relapse Prevention, Available Resources, Program Evaluation, Data Management

Cost

	General	Student
Mississippi Resident	FREE	FREE
Non-Resident	\$985	\$785

Application & Payment

1. [Pay by Credit Card](#)
2. [Pay by Check / Other Method](#)

(Mississippi residents applying for a no-cost seat: choose Option 2; Under Payment Step 3, select "I've made other arrangements")

Cancellations available until 1 week before program start

Additional Questions

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Continuing Education Credit

ADA CERP: American Dental Association Continuing Education Recognition Program
The University of Mississippi School of Dentistry is an ADA CERP Recognized Provider.
ADA CERP is a service of the American Dental Association to assist dental professionals in identifying quality providers of continuing dental education. ADA CERP does not approve or

endorse individual courses or instructors, nor does it imply acceptance of credit hours by boards of dentistry. University of Mississippi School of Dentistry designates this activity for a maximum of 27.25 continuing education credits
Nursing: The University of Mississippi Medical Center School of Nursing is approved as a provider of nursing continuing professional development. This nursing continuing professional development activity was approved by the Mississippi Nurses Foundation,

an accredited approver by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.
As an approved provider, the University of Mississippi Medical Center School of Nursing awards this educational activity 27.25 contact hour(s). (60 minute= 1 contact hour).
CEUs: This activity is approved by the University of Mississippi Medical Center Department of Continuing Health Professional Education for a maximum of 27.25 hours (2.7 CEUs) continuing education units.

Social Work - This organization, The University of Mississippi Medical Center provider number SWB 120016 is approved as a provider for continuing education by the Mississippi Board of Examiners for Social Workers and Marriage & Family Therapists; Approval Period: 4/1/2024 through 6/30/2026. Social workers will receive (27.25) continuing education clock hours in participating in this course. (Clinical Supervision ___/Supervision ___/Cultural Competency ___/Ethics ___/General ___)