PAs: Steps to Obtain your MAT Waiver

Check Your Eligibility

To apply for a waiver you must have a valid medical license and an active DEA number. Apply for a DEA number with the Drug Enforcement Agency’s Diversion Control Division (Registration Support) here.

Note: Students may complete the MAT waiver training, maintain their certificate for their records, and apply for their waiver at a later date when they have obtained their full DEA license number.

Take 24 hours of required MAT waiver training

PCSS offers for FREE the required 24 hours of medications for addiction treatment (MAT) waiver training with continuing education. The 24 hour training is broken down into two courses: an 8-hour and additional 16-hour training.

Submit your NOI Form and Certificates of Completion

Once you finish the 24 hours of training, complete and submit the following to SAMHSA for review: 1) Notification of Intent (NOI) form 2) Certificates of Completion for both courses

Note: To avoid delay in the process of obtaining your waiver, please upload your certificates to the NOI form as faxed and mailed certificates are not acceptable.


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