SCREENING

The Advisory Council on Brain Injuries recommends screening when responding to or planning for clients.

Visit the QR code for the Brain Injury Screening Tool & Instructions

RESOURCE BOOKLET

A helpful resource booklet was developed by the Ohio Valley Center for Brain Injury Prevention and Rehabilitation to help providers
1. Recognize common symptoms of Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI),
2. Incorporate compensatory strategies into practice, and
3. Increase the odds of treatment success for people with TBI.

The four neurocognitive functions of Attention, Processing, Memory and Executive Function are illustrated and explored in this booklet, helping providers improve treatment outcomes.

Visit the QR code to access “Accommodating the Symptoms of TBI” PDF

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INTERSECTION OF Brain Injury and Substance Use Disorder Tool Kit

This brochure lists helpful tools, resources and information on brain injuries and substance use disorders.

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BRAIN INJURY TIP SHEETS
Brain injury tip sheets are designed to identify functional challenges and identify possible accommodations following brain injury for professionals and clients/caregivers.

PERSON-CENTERED THINKING AND PLANNING
Person Centered Thinking and Planning is a PowerPoint presentation that assists the user with person-centered thinking and planning of brain injury services.

(Scroll to “PowerPoints” section)

TREATMENT ADVISORY
The Substance Abuse Treatment Advisory is a publication of the Center for Substance Abuse Treatment providing treatment facts about the link between substance use disorder and traumatic brain injury.

SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER RACK CARDS
Substance Use Disorder Rack Cards provide professionals and clients with brief information about the intersection of brain injury and substance use disorder while providing helpful resources.

THE LINK BETWEEN PTSD AND TBI
The PTSD Monthly Update is an e-newsletter by the National Center for PTSD, Department of Veterans Affairs. Each issue features articles on trauma and PTSD topics with links to useful resources.

LANGUAGE COUNTS
Language Counts is a one-page guide that promotes communicating in a strength-based manner.

BRAINLINE SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND TRAUMATIC BRAIN INJURY
The Brainline Substance Abuse and Traumatic Brain Injury publication discusses approaches and considerations to working with people in substance abuse treatment who also have a brain injury. This publication provides specific suggestions for SUD providers working with persons who may be experiencing cognitive dysfunction.

SUBI CLIENT WORKBOOK
The SUBI Client Workbook by the Substance Use/Brain Injury Bridging Project is a resource for clients who have sustained a brain injury and who are in substance use disorder treatment programs. The workbook helps clients to understand the impact of their brain injury on the recovery process.