



## CASAC, IT MEANS SO MUCH MORE TO SO MANY.

The need is great, the rewards even greater. We'll help you get credentialed, so you can help others start their recovery.  
To explore CASAC training, contact the Helio Health Training Institute at [training@helio.health](mailto:training@helio.health) or visit [helio.health](http://helio.health)

Helio Health Training Institute  
**CASAC Initial Certification 350 Course**

Hello! I would like to introduce you to the Helio Health Training Institute!

The Helio Health Training Institute is an approved OASAS Training provider for the delivery of the full CASAC 350 hour training for CASAC Certification.

Taking all four sections (one section at a time) this course will take approximately 18 months to complete. Typically, classes run in the evening.

Please note, in each module, there are additional assignments and tests to complete outside of class time and students are expected to meet grading and attendance standards in order to pass the course. Additional sections may be added to this schedule as needed.

Upcoming class dates for the online and in-person classes are shown on the next page. To register for upcoming classes please complete the application and payment forms at the end of the document and submit them via email to [Training@helio.health](mailto:Training@helio.health).

Please note that completion of 350 certification classes will *not* count toward the work hours requirement that is set by OASAS and varies depending on your qualifications. Further information on this can be found on the OASAS website: <https://oasas.ny.gov/credentialing/alcoholism-and-substance-abuse-counselor-casac>

If you have already submitted an application to OASAS and only require certain parts of a module or modules, we can work with you to tailor the program to meet your needs. Our hourly rates are \$10 for employees and \$15 for the general public. If you only need certain hours, please contact us to discuss schedules and needed hours/sections.

Finally, we recognize that taking these courses is a significant financial investment. We are able to help by offering payment plans should the need arise. In order to access a payment plan please contact the training institute prior to completing this application. Our payment plans are tailored to each student and carry no interest. Payment plans split the cost of each section into monthly payments. Payment plans only run for the duration of each section so if your section runs from September to the following January you will be expected to pay a 10% deposit to secure your place on the course, then make five monthly payment to pay off the balance.

If a payment plan is still beyond your means, you might consider contacting either ACCES-VR or CNY Works to enquire about funding through those organizations. Both organizations have funded students in the past. *Please note if using a third party payer (e.g. ACCES-VR) you need to attach a payment verification letter to this application for it to be processed.*

Unfortunately, as a private training institute we are unable to accept other student loans to cover the cost of CASAC training at this time.

I hope this answers some of your questions. Feel free to contact me via email for additional info.



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Live Online Sections				
Section	Employee Price	Public Price	Dates	Day(s)
CASAC section 3: Assessment; Treatment Planning; Case Management; and Patient, Family and Community Education (70 Hours)	\$700	\$1050	8/1/22-10/26/22	Mon & Weds 5-8
CASAC Section 4: Professional and Ethical Responsibilities (45 Hours)	\$450	\$675	11/2/22-12/21/22	Mon & Weds 5-8
CASAC Section 1: Knowledge of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse (85 hours)	\$850	\$1275	1/23/23-5/3/23	Mon & Weds 5-8
CASAC Section 2: Alcohol and Substance Abuse Counseling (150 hours)	\$1500	\$2,250	5/22/23-12/13/23	Mon & Weds 5-8
CASAC section 3: Assessment; Treatment Planning; Case Management; and Patient, Family and Community Education (70 Hours)	\$700	\$1050	1/8/24-4/3/24	Mon & Weds 5-8
CASAC Section 4: Professional and Ethical Responsibilities (45 Hours)	\$450	\$675	4/22/24-6/12/24	Mon & Weds 5-8

NB: Dates are subject to change based on program needs

**Please note, for online courses, there are specific technology/attendance requirements. Each participant must have the following:**

- **Reliable internet access and a computer** – All classes will be held online and will start at the designated times. All attendees are required to be on time to the virtual classes and remain in class until completion.
- **Microphone** – This course is a live, interactive course. While the instructor may mute participants at certain times, participation is essential and you will be required to be involved in classroom discussions and presentations.
- **Web camera** – As stated above, this is a live, interactive course. In order to meet the attendance requirements, all participants will be required to have their cameras on and to be visible to the class/instructor. Failure to do so will result in an “absence” from that class.

## Live In-Person Sections

(NOTE: The Live In-Person course reserves the right to change to an online format at any time. Applicants will be informed of current delivery methods if changed.)

### LOCATION – Syracuse, New York

Section	Employee Price	Public Price	Dates	Day(s)
CASAC section 3: Assessment; Treatment Planning; Case Management; and Patient, Family and Community Education (70 Hours)	\$700	\$1050	6/7/22-8/25/22	Tues & Thurs 4-7pm
CASAC Section 4: Professional and Ethical Responsibilities (45 Hours)	\$450	\$675	9/6/22-10/25/22	Tues & Thurs 4-7pm
CASAC Section 1: Knowledge of Alcoholism and Substance Abuse (85 hours)	\$850	\$1275	11/29/22-3/23/23	Tues & Thurs 4-7pm
CASAC Section 2: Alcohol and Substance Abuse Counseling (150 hours)	\$1500	\$2,250	4/11/23-10/19/23	Tues & Thurs 4-7pm
CASAC section 3: Assessment; Treatment Planning; Case Management; and Patient, Family and Community Education (70 Hours)	\$700	\$1050	11/7/23-2/8/24	Tues & Thurs 4-7pm
CASAC Section 4: Professional and Ethical Responsibilities (45 Hours)	\$450	\$675	2/20/24-4/11/24	Tues & Thurs 4-7pm

NB: Dates are subject to change based on program needs

\*Sections may move online at any time due to possible COVID-19 restrictions. Please review previous page for online delivery requirements.

# CASAC Application Form

The Helio Health Training Institute's CASAC Training Program application is available through the following link:

[Click here to apply](#)

Please complete the online application form and email [Training@Helio.Health](mailto:Training@Helio.Health) with any required documentation.

If you have any further questions or concerns, please email us and we will respond as soon as possible.

Thank you for choosing the Helio Health Training Institute!

