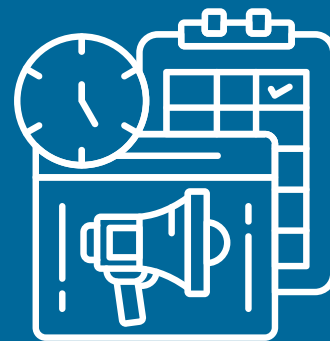


SPF Application for Prevention Success Training (SAPST)

March 3-6, 2026 | Richmond, VA

Hosted at the Virginia Association of Community Services Boards (VACSB)



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About the Training

SAPST equips prevention professionals with the essential knowledge and skills to apply the **Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)**. Participants will learn to:

- Understand **behavioral health foundations**
- Use a **public health approach** to prevention
- Identify community-level **risk and protective factors**
- Plan, implement, and evaluate **data-driven prevention strategies**

Certification:

SAPST may count toward training hours required for IC&RC certification. Requirements vary by board; participants should verify with their local board.

Meals & Costs

- Breakfast & lunch will be provided daily
- Travel and lodging costs must be covered by your CSB/agency.

If cost is a barrier to attending, please reach out to Colleen Hughes to discuss support:

Colleen.hughes@dbhds.virginia.gov

Registration Details

- Submitting the form **does not guarantee** a seat
- Registration is **first-come, first-served**
- You will receive an acceptance email within **48 business hours**
- If the cohort is full, you will be placed at the **top of the priority list** for the next SAPST session.

Training Schedule

Tuesday, March 3 - Thursday, March 5: 8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Friday, March 6: 8:30 AM - 12:00 PM

Location:

6641 West Broad Street, Suite 102,
Richmond, VA 23230

To register, email Barrett Marshall,
barrett.marshall@dbhds.virginia.gov

Note: Does not include time that will be necessary to complete prework

Participants must attend the full training to receive credit.