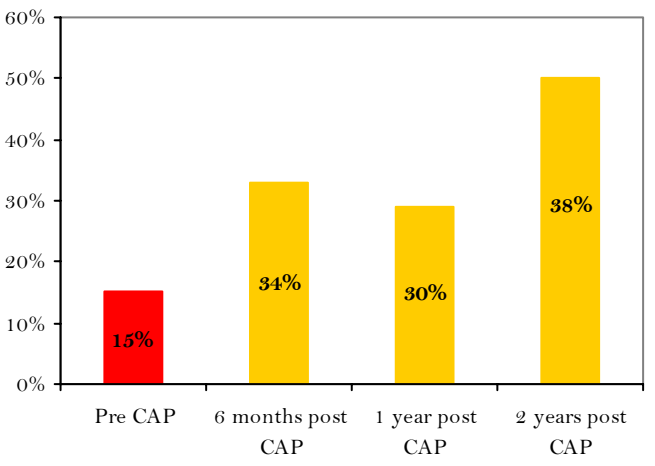
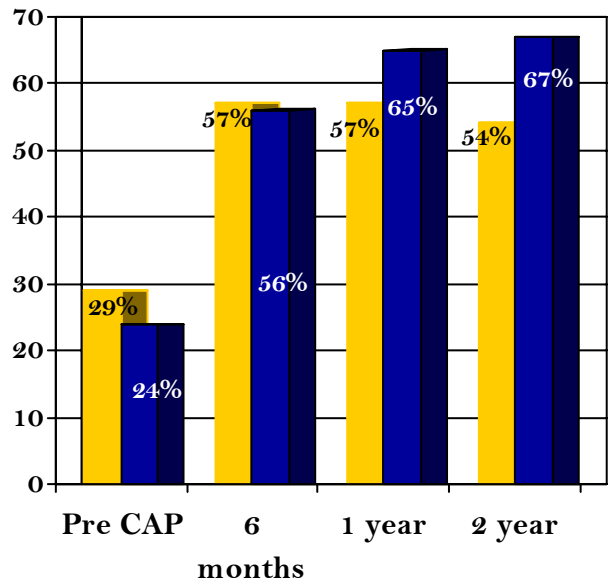


# Educational Results



“The CAP Training Program opened new horizons for me; socially, academically and vocationally.”  
 ~ CAP Graduate

# Vocational Results



Competitive Employment

Human Service Field

The above graph represents CAP graduates (2000-2003) who were competitively employed (part time or full time) 6 months, 1 year & 2 years post CAP. The blue graph bar indicates the percentage of competitively employed individuals who are working in the human service fields.

# Nationally Recognized

The CAP Training is a National Award winning program. CAP has been recognized for with the following awards:

**2004 5th Annual Thomas M. Wernert Award** given by the Technical Assistance Collaborative (TAC) and the Lovell Foundation, in collaboration with the National Association of County Behavioral Health Directors (NACBHD)

**2003 Eli Lilly Moving Lives Forward Reintegration Award** ~ 1st place in the “Keep Learning” category sponsored by Eli Lilly and Company

# Journal Articles

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Supported Education



Nationally Recognized

Kansas  
 Consumers  
 as Providers  
 (CAP)  
 Training Program  
 &  
 Replication Project

Quality Training for Consumer Providers



Recovery Based



The University of Kansas  
 School of Social Welfare  
 Office of Mental Health Research and Training  
  
 In Partnership with  
 Kansas Department of Social  
 Rehabilitation Services (KS SRS)

## ***CAP Training Program***

The Consumers as Providers (CAP) Training Program is designed to provide **supported education** to individuals in Kansas, who experience a psychiatric disability. Distance learning options are available through tele-video technology.

### **CAP Training GOALS!**

- Encourage individuals with a psychiatric disability to pursue post-secondary education
- Increase the skills and knowledge of people with a psychiatric disability in order to facilitate meaningful employment.
- Build a base of knowledge about mental health services in order to enhance a personal journey of recovery.

**Supported Education is providing services to people who experience mental illness in order to gain access to and utilize resources that will help them succeed in post-secondary educational activities.**

## ***Classroom Instruction***

- 15 week college semester
- 45 hours of classroom instruction: 3 hours/week
- Held on an post-secondary academic setting
- All materials are provided

### **Core Training includes:**

Ethics	Documentation
Confidentiality	Crisis Intervention
Strengths Model	Cultural Competency
Recovery	Group Supervision
Helping Skills	Mental Wellness
Strengths Assessments	Engagement
Goal Planning	History of Mental Health Services

### **The following Post-Secondary academic sites have partnered with the CAP Program:**

The University of Kansas: *Main Campus, Edwards Campus, Public Management Building*

Kansas State University  
Fort Hays State University  
Ottawa University  
Wichita State University  
Barton County Community College  
Cloud County Community College  
Garden City Community College  
Independence Community College  
Johnson County Community College  
Kansas City Kansas Community College

## ***Internship Activities***

- Placements at Mental Health Centers and Community Human Service Agencies
- Mentors provided to students
- Group Supervision provided
- Optional for students

## ***Educational Support Group***

To enhance the CAP educational experience, students meet weekly for educational support with their peers and a CAP Educational Support Facilitator to:

- Review homework and classroom material
- Develop educational goal plans for future academic endeavors.



### **CAP Replication Project**

The CAP Replication Project is designed to train and support Community Mental Health Centers with adopting the role of coordination and implementation of the CAP Training Program intra-agency.