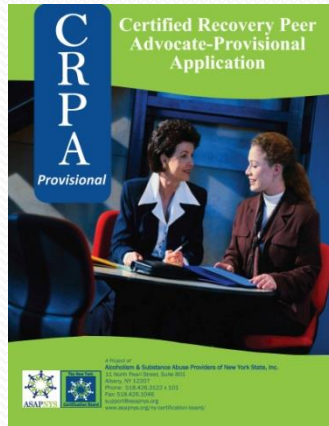
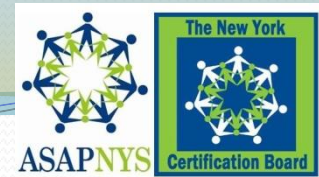


# Certified Recovery Peer Advocate

The OASAS-Medicaid billable Peer Recovery Professional



## CERTIFIED RECOVERY PEER ADVOCATE-Provisional

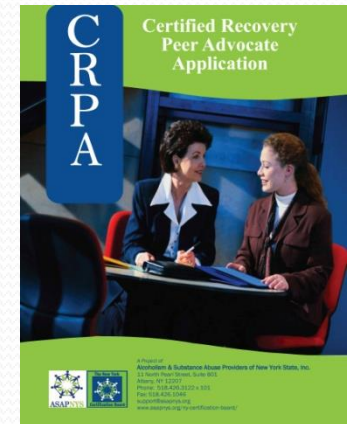
- 18+ years of age
- High School Diploma, GED or equivalent, or higher
- 30 hrs approved training (e.g. CCAR-Recovery Coach Academy) *plus* 16 hrs peer ethics *plus* affirmation of NYCB Code of Ethical Conduct
- must upgrade to CRPA as soon as work experience completed
- valid for 24 months only; non-renewable
- *Optional*: seeking a job as a supervised peer advocate in OASAS licensed agencies/Medicaid-billable

Letter confirming certification eligibility may be available for candidates who are actively seeking Medicaid-reimbursed employment only. Send request together with CRPA-Provisional application.

## CERTIFIED RECOVERY PEER ADVOCATE

*above personal details and training standards, PLUS:*

- 500 hrs work experience at time of application (hours completed while CRPA-Provisional qualify); incl. 25 hours of supervision
- IC&RC exam passing grade (exam scheduled once CRPA approved)
- valid for 3 years only from date of issue; renewable
- continuing recovery-specific education credits required for renewal



\$100 application fee for CRPA-Provisional and/or CRPA  
\$50 upgrade from CRPA-Provisional to CRPA  
\$80 exam fee, due at time of CRPA or upgrade application