



UNIVERSITY of MARYLAND  
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## The Maryland Center *of Excellence* *on Problem Gambling*

**Promoting healthy and informed choices in Maryland regarding gambling and problem gambling through:**

**Public Awareness** through social media, TV, radio, PSAs, community outreach, public awareness materials and lending library.

**Treatment** technical assistance to the health care/behavioral health care system to enhance capacity to address the issue of problem gambling.

**Training** that offers free educational/clinical in person, live webinars and online programs on awareness, prevention and treatment.

**Peer Recovery Support** providing assistance to individuals dealing with at risk and problem gambling by connecting them to resources.

**Prevention** programs promoting responsible gambling behaviors and preventing problem gambling across all ages and diverse populations.

**Public Policy** tracking of information, strategies and policies to address the impact of gambling on public health.

**Research** initiatives that provide evidence-based strategies for prevention and intervention on public health aspects of gambling disorders.

**Provider Referral List** of qualified problem gambling counselors listed with the Maryland Helpline and on the Center's websites.

**Maryland Helpline Services 1-800-GAMBLER** offering free, confidential 24/7 help to treatment, peer support and resources.



**MDproblemGambling.com**