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“TIPS” TRAINING FOR ALCOHOL SERVERS & SELLERS IN SPANISH

McHenry, Kane & Cook Counties, IL --- Renz Addiction Counseling Center, is now providing BASSET certified TIPS training in Spanish to individuals and businesses that sell and/or serve alcohol. TIPS is a skill-based training program designed to prevent intoxication, underage drinking and drunk driving. A certified TIPS trainer provides participants with the knowledge and confidence they need to recognize potential alcohol-related problems and how to effectively intervene to prevent alcohol-related tragedies. Some businesses that sell and/or serve alcohol are required, by city ordinance, to have their employees participate in a training to learn the skills that will help them serve alcohol responsibly. Business owners can avoid costly fees and negative publicity, not to mention a tragic accident by providing this valuable training for their employees. Renz Center offers a flexible meeting time for small or large groups and is one of the few providers in Illinois that offers the training in Spanish.

As a leader in alcohol and drug prevention education and treatment in the area, Renz Center is interested in bringing their expertise to business owners and staff that sell or serve alcoholic beverages. Renz Prevention entered into TIPS training to further expand their role as a resource to individuals and businesses in creating a healthier and safer community. Anyone interested in the training may call Carlos Chavez at 847-742-3545 x245, to set up a TIPS Training.

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