



Lenore A. Kola, Ph.D.
Faculty Biographical Sketch

Lenore Kola is an Associate Professor of Social Work at the Mandel School of Applied Social Sciences (1975-present) and the former Dean of the School of Graduate Studies at Case Western Reserve University (2001-2004). She is currently the Co-Director of the Center for Evidence Based Practices (EBPs) at Case, the umbrella organization for the Substance Abuse and Mental Illness Coordinating Center of Excellence (SAMI CCOE), the Supported Employment CCOE, and the Tobacco Initiative which is a partnership with the CWRU Department of Psychiatry, School of Medicine, and funded by the Ohio Departments of Mental Health and Alcohol and Drug Addiction Services. The Center for EBPS is a technical assistance organization that promotes knowledge development and implementation of evidence-based practices for the treatment and recovery of people diagnosed with mental and substance use disorders. .

She has been involved with the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism federal training programs since 1975, involvement which has included Project Director of an NIAAA-funded Alcoholism Training Program in the Master's Program (1975-1982), Project Director for