

MAY 2025 - SPRING CONFERENCE EDITION

Maine Association  
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# MAPP NEWSLETTER

## Yellow Flag, Red Flag, What's It All About?

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The Maine Association of Psychiatric Physicians held its 2025 Spring Conference on May 1<sup>st</sup> at the Harraseeket Inn in Freeport. This event is a significant gathering for mental health professionals, providing a platform for learning, networking, and discussing critical issues in the field of psychiatry. The conference featured a panel discussion on yellow and red flag laws, which are crucial for understanding the legal and ethical considerations in psychiatric practice. These laws pertain to the reporting and management of individuals who may pose a danger to themselves or others, and the panel offered insights from the field and examples of real world situations, with ample time for attendees to ask questions and engage in meaningful dialogue. In addition to the panel discussion, the conference will provided opportunities for attendees to connect with peers, share experiences, and explore new developments in psychiatric care. MAPP events foster a collaborative environment where professionals gain valuable knowledge and skills to enhance their practice.

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