

ACADEMIES FILL UP FAST!! RESERVE YOUR SEATS TODAY



## NATIONAL PEER SUPPORT ACADEMY

— Colorado P.O.S.T. Approved —

**ALL BADGES - ALL UNIFORMS - ALL SCRUBS**

### ACADEMY LEAD INSTRUCTOR

Joanne Rupert, MA LPC NBCC

Learn **Concepts of Peer Support**, in line with recommendations from the International Association of Fire Fighters (IAFF), International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP), Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Mental Health Commission of Canada, as well as information gleaned from experts in the Peer Support field worldwide. In addition, we have included **ALL BADGES, ALL UNIFORMS, ALL SCRUBS**, as we rely on each other **ALL** the TIME.

The one thing that is missing is PSYCHOBABBLE! We recognize that emergency service and care workers want straight talk to get the job done. How do we know? Because all First Responder Trauma Counselors National Peer Support Academy instructors and staff are not ordinary Clinicians - they are **CULTURALLY COMPETENT**, having spent 1000s of hours on the job as FIRST RESPONDERS themselves. We know how you feel, as we have felt the same way, and we will share what we've found, both as Clinicians and field First Responders, to help our fellow Tribe members.

PLUS, you'll receive your own **Peer Support Manual**, developed and written by FRTC's Senior Clinical Director and the National Peer Support Academy's Director, Joanne Rupert MA LPC NBCC.

FRTC's 40-Hour National Peer Support Academy students have said, "This week went so quickly and I am sad because I

didn't want it to end" ~ "There was so much practical information, it was like drinking out of a fire hose" ~ "I wish my Chief would come" ~ "This class changed my life" ~ "This class has made me a better spouse and parent, certainly a better first responder"....

Scan the Code below and let's get started! Find out how **Knowledge, Enthusiasm, Entertainment, Compassion, Grit and Grace** look and feel and what happens when they converge in these 40 hours of enlightenment...**YOU AND YOUR AGENCY CAN BE THE CHANGE!!**

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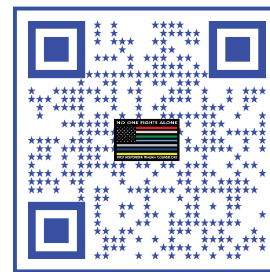
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**Berthoud Fire Protection District**

Date and Time:

June 10-14, 2024 | 8:30am - 5:00pm

Academy Location:

275 Mountain Ave | Berthoud, CO 80513

**Cost is \$1200.00 PP**

(member agencies \$900.00 PP)

**Paid Registration Deadline: May 27, 2024**

**Make checks payable to:**

**First Responder Trauma Counselors**

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