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Law Enforcement Suicide Prevention TOT Tactics for Prevention and Intervention

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8am to 5pm

Hosted by:

Michigan Regional Community Policing Institute
School of Criminal Justice
Michigan State University

Training Location:

Michigan State Police Training Academy
7426 N. Canal Rd.
Lansing, MI 48913

This training will heighten awareness, help you understand the indicators, the issues involved, potential solutions, and important protocols to consider.

OBJECTIVES:

- Understand the stress, pressures, and culture in law enforcement that can lead to suicidal ideation.
- Identify behaviors and communication that should not be ignored.
- Recognize how to train law enforcement in suicide prevention.
- Stress the importance of establishing department policy, protocol, and procedures.

CRITERIA:

Because this is an important project, there will be a vetting process for those interested in attending. It is important that the appropriate people attend this training as they will be asked to provide this training to staff at their agencies. Criteria for those attending are:

1. Preferably already a trainer.
2. Involved in a peer support program (not necessary, but definitely a plus).
3. Understands the importance of awareness, education and prevention of LE suicide.
4. A letter of recommendation from Chief/Sheriff that provides the following:
 - Support of the agency on the importance of this project.
 - Assurance that the workshop attendee will be given every opportunity to utilize roll-call or in-service training activities to educate sworn and non-sworn personnel re: awareness and prevention of Law Enforcement suicides.
 - Assurance that the trainer will provide the FL Regional Community Policing Institute information on these in-house trainings, ie. date and how many staff attended training so that the FL RCPI can report back to BJA.

***Lunch and break refreshments are the responsibility of each participant.
A cafeteria is available at MSP Training Academy***

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On-Line registration is available at: