

Training Announcement

MGT – 330

Support That Saves: A Guide to Building and Sustaining Peer Support

**April 21-23, 2026
Augusta, Maine**



Audience

State, local, tribal, and territorial public health agencies; EMS/Emergency Responders; Hospital Administration & ER/ICU/PICU/NICU Personnel; School Nurses and Administrators; Law Enforcement



Location

**DHHS – Maine A&B Classroom
109 Capital St. Augusta**



Course Overview

This course covers all elements of building and maintaining a peer support program. It will inform and prepare responders to support mental health needs and communities via face-to-face peer support networks. The course is 24 hours total.

Topics

- Provide training to identify risk factors for behavioral and mental health problems.
- Reduce stigma by encouraging conversations surrounding mental health and normalizing difficult experiences.
- Create an environment where people feel comfortable approaching one another.
- Link peers to outside professional resources for additional care when necessary.



Registration

Registration Link

Registration Deadline

This class is on a first-come, first-serve basis. We recommend registering early.

FEMA S.I.D. REQUIRED

Register for your FEMA Student Identification Number at <https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid>



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