



Phoenix Training - Addiction and Connection to Treatment

Tools for First Responders to Fight the Opioid Epidemic
and Support Officer Wellness

Center for Addiction and Recovery Education (CARE)
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Training Objectives:

- Apply the model of addiction as a chronic disease while removing stigma and encouraging hope
- Learn the principles of trauma informed practice and how trauma impacts first responders
- Identify and practice engagement techniques to utilize during interventions to connect people to treatment
- Practice critical concepts for Naloxone utilization in communities

<p>Module I: Understanding Addiction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Defining addiction • Factors of addiction • Understand the brain and addiction • Understanding the crisis 	<p>Module IV: Overview of Prevention and Intervention</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding the role of naloxone • Learn effective communication after naloxone reversal
<p>Module II: Understanding Trauma</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifying the three Es of Trauma • Explaining Adverse Childhood Experiences and their relationship to addiction • Utilizing a Trauma Informed Approach to Officer Wellness 	<p>Module V: Understanding Treatment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding the Recovery Orientated System of Care • Identifying types of treatment • Understand recovery
<p>Module III: Impact of Stigma</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifying the types of stigma • Learn how to reduce stigma • Understanding communication with others 	<p>Module VI: Practical Skills for First Responders to Connect Individuals to Treatment</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understanding engagement techniques • Identifying and overcoming classic barriers to treatment • Understanding the importance of support

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