

RECOVERY COMMUNITY MESSAGING TRAINING

**Friday
January 13th, 2017**

8:30 am until Noon

Goodwill Career Center

1616 Patton Ave

Asheville, NC 28806

Coffee/Light Fare Included



Governor's Institute



Register Here:

<http://bit.ly/2eZsQRk>

Social stigma has kept recovery voices silent for decades. Research has shown that Messaging shifts can open attitudes toward addiction as a disease and recovery as a real thing. This course, developed by Faces and Voices of Recovery, will provide techniques on how to discuss addiction and recovery with family, employers, friends, service providers, the general public and the media. After attending the class participants should be able to:

- Understand what recovery messaging is.
- Recognize that, depending on the type of messaging, it can support or harm people in recovery.
- Remove barriers to recovery through effective messaging, and
- Through effective recovery messaging improve the quality of life of those still suffering or recovering from drug issues.

Participants: If you are in Recovery, a Recovery Ally, a professional working in the recovery field, a community member wishing to learn about the language of recovery, or just plain curious, join us and learn more about helping others.

Credit Hours: 3 Hours Pre-Approved NCSAPPB; This course is FREE but space is limited.

Pre-registration is required: Sign-up link here. (<http://bit.ly/2eZsQRk>)

Please RSVP by January 4th.

Trainers include:

Jimmy Cioe, LADAC, NCAC1, CPSS

After half of a lifetime of addiction, Grace gave Jimmy the second half of life in recovery, which means he has spent his life studying every facet of this gem we call addiction, plus treatment, recovery and healing. A man in long-term recovery, a licensed alcohol/drug counselor for more than two decades, a student of Wellness, Holistic medicine and alternate history and currently Program Coordinator of Recovery Initiatives at the Governor's Institute of North Carolina.



Richie Tannerhill, NCCPSRT, CRCT, CWRAPF

Richie, a person in long-term recovery, became an N.C. Certified Peer Support Specialist in 2012. Today, he's also a peer support curriculum trainer at Vaya Health, a public-managed healthcare organization. He's a certified facilitator for Wellness Recovery Action Plan® trainings, a self-directed recovery and wellness process. In 2013, he was named an N.C. Recovery Champion of the Year. A husband, father, youth pastor and Little League coach, he visits schools, treatment facilities, jails and other institutions to share his story of hope with others.



R.E. "Doc" Holliday, CSAC

Doc is a person in long term recovery since December 1983. He is a 1988 graduate of Navy Drug and Alcohol Counselor School and has worked in and out of the field of recovery since that time. He is currently involved in bringing the Access to Recovery (ATR) program into western North Carolina. Doc is passionate about recovery and truly enjoys watching the gifts that the recovery movement brings to the lives of individuals, families and the community.

For further information, call 828-808-4884