

Re-entry Peer Support Specialist Certification

Name: _____

- * Save completion certificates for all courses *
- * Keep a time log of all peer counseling meetings *

Winter 2023

- PICS & PTSD Course
Date Completed: January 18, 2023
- Peer Counseling Fundamentals
Date Completed: February 7, 2023
- 5 Practicum Hours, Wellness Plan, and Counseling Evaluation
Date Completed: February 14, 2023

Spring 2023

- Complete 10 additional practicum hours (with your existing peer or a new peer)
- Complete a Suicide Prevention Training ([Suicide Awareness](#), [AFSP](#), or equivalent)
Date Completed: _____
- Complete a [Child Protection Training](#) or equivalent
Date Completed: _____
- Attend **three** monthly peer support reflections and skill-building sessions
 - Thursday, February 16 (7-9 PM CST)
 - Thursday, March 16 (7-9 PM CST)
 - Thursday, April 20 (7-9 PM CST)
- Conflict Mediation in Families Post-Incarceration (Dr. Kutzen)
Wednesdays May 10 to June 7, 7-8 PM CST
Date Completed: _____
- Mental Health First Aid (optional)

Summer 2023 - Certification Courses

- Facilitating a Support Group as a Peer Support Specialist (Lauren)
 - Dates TBD (June/July 2023) - 3 course sessions
- From Victim to Survivor to Offender (Dr. Golden)
 - Dates: Wednesdays from July 12 to August 23
- Peer Support Counseling II (Lauren)
 - Dates TBD (July/August 2023) - 3 course sessions

Practicum Information = 50 Hours*

Practicum hours are designed to be aligned with specific courses. HINDA will assist in finding practicum opportunities but ultimate responsibility for securing practicum and completing hours is on the student. Recommended timeline:

- 5 hours in Winter 2023
- 10 hours in Spring 2023
- 35 hours in Summer 2023

*Additional hours are required for national certification.

*Maintain a log of all completed hours.

* For the most up-to-date information, visit the Re-entry Peer Support Certification page at www.hindahelps.com. Program requirements, dates, and topics are subject to change. *

