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TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

QPR: Question, Persuade, Refer for First Responders

DESCRIPTION:

QPR for First Responders is a practical, approachable training designed to help responders recognize when someone may be struggling and take simple, supportive steps to help. Grounded in evidence-based suicide prevention, this course builds confidence in noticing warning signs, starting a caring conversation, and connecting a person to the right support. QPR is not counseling or treatment. It is a straightforward, life-saving tool that helps first responders feel more prepared to respond with compassion, clarity, and hope.

In this training, participants will learn how to:

- Recognize warning signs of suicide risk
- Ask caring, direct questions in a supportive way
- Encourage the person to accept help
- Connect them to appropriate professional and community resources

DESIGNED FOR: All Emergency First Responders

DATE & TIME: May 26, 2026 7-9:30pm

LOCATION: **Richard A. Martinkovic Public Safety Training Center**
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REGISTRATION: [Firefighter Online Registration Form | Sullivan County NY](#)
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