



VAPSA

VIRGINIA PEER SUPPORT ASSOCIATION

SUPPORTING THOSE WHO SUPPORT OTHERS

FIRST RESPONDER WELLNESS SUMMIT (CISM & PEER SUPPORT)

Invest in Resiliency. Sustain Your Career. Support Your Own.



EVIDENCE-BASED TOOLS

Learn proven CISM strategies and peer support practices grounded in research and real-world application.



PEER-TO-PEER WISDOM

Share experiences, build connections, and learn from those who truly understand the job.



STRENGTHENING AGENCIES

Build resilient teams and a culture of support that enhances readiness, retention, and wellness.



JOIN US

NOVEMBER 2ND-3RD, 2026

MONDAY – TUESDAY



ROSLYN RETREAT CENTER

8727 RIVER RD.
RICHMOND, VIRGINIA

THE ROOMS ARE PROVIDED BY THE 2027 CISM GRANT

The first 15 rooms are provided.
First-come, first-served!

SUPPORT. CONNECT. RESILIENT TOGETHER.



FOR FIRST RESPONDERS & ALL THOSE WHO SUPPORT THEM. ALWAYS.



Expert Seminar: Trauma, Grief, and Peer Support

Advancing Critical Incident Stress Management
and Trauma Recovery



Dr. Byron Greenberg

Clinical Psychologist
Specializing in Police and
Emergency Services Psychology



Dr. Roger Solomon

Senior Faculty Member, EMDR Institute
Consultant for the FBI and NASA

Key Topics



Critical Incident Debriefing



Grief and Bereavement Support



Building Peer Support Networks

Who should attend?

This training is intended for First Responders, Peer Support Professionals, and those interested in becoming a Peer Support Professional or starting a Peer Support Team at their agency.

Cost and Registration

Those who complete the online registration early will have their fees covered by the 2027 DCJS Peer-Supported Critical Incident Stress Management Grant Award; pre-registration is required. Scholarships for lodging are available for attendees through the 2027 DCJS Peer-Supported Critical Incident Stress Management Grant Award.

Register by completing the student registration form and emailing it to VAPSA at:

seminar@vapeersupport.org

STUDENT INFORMATION	
Student Name:	
Position Title:	
Organization Name:	
Work Address:	
Work Email Address:	
Contact Number:	
Are you currently certified as a Peer Supporter?	
If you are not a trained Peer Supporter, are you interested in becoming one?	
ADDITIONAL INFORMATION	
Are you traveling more than 75 miles and in need of lodging?	
Do you require an ADA accommodation?	
If so, please contact (804) 894-3792	