

# Introduction to Restorative Practices & Using Circles Effectively

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**Site:** CA BOCES - Olean CTE, Training Room C

**Time:** 08:30 AM – 02:30 PM

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## Description:

All humans are hardwired to connect, just as we need food, shelter and clothing, human beings also need strong and meaningful relationships to thrive (IIRP, 2015). Restorative Practices is an emerging social science that studies how to strengthen relationships between individuals as well as social connections with communities. This two-day training will allow participants to receive credit for completing the Introduction to Restorative Practices and Using Circles Effectively through the International Institute of Restorative Practices. School and district teams are encouraged to attend for effective implementation.

## Facilitator(s):

Mark Carls, Kathryn Mendell, Jillian Putnam

## Objectives:

Participants will learn how to set high expectations while being supportive to students.

Participants will practice how to provide direct feedback and how to ask questions that foster accountability.

Participants will learn the most effective methods to resolve common conflicts.

Participants will practice facilitating restorative circles.

## Audience:

Teachers: K-12 (all subjects), Administrators, Counselors, Social Workers, School Resource Officers

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