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RIMPTA Training Announcement

Appearance and Performance Enhancing Drugs (APEDS) Taylor Hooton Foundation

Program Date: December 12, 2017

Time: 1800-1900 hours

Location: Flanagan Field House
Community College of Rhode Island
Lincoln, RI

The Taylor Hooton Foundation is the nation's leading organization solely dedicated to educating our youth and their adult influencers on the dangers of Appearance and Performance Enhancing Drugs.

Since 2004, the Taylor Hooton Foundation has been providing schools and organizations across the US and Canada with a highly entertaining multi-media "Hoot's Chalk Talk" educational program delivered by expert speakers. "Hoot's Chalk Talk" delivers a strong message that captures the attention of all students, parents, educators, and coaches. This program is researched-based and has been created in conjunction with: the Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA), the U.S. Anti-Doping Agency (USADA), the Professional Baseball Athletic Trainers Society (PBATS), the Professional Baseball Strength and Conditioning Coaches Society, and Major League Baseball (MLB). Science-based before and after testing conducted by the Substance Abuse Mental Health Services Administration has proven that knowledge improves and attitudes change after observing this program. The programs not only provide factual information about the dangers of APEDs and supplements, but also explores many of the cultural pressures our youth face both on and off the field.

The national epidemic of Appearance and Performance Enhancing Drugs (APEDs) use among our youth (12-19 years old) often goes unnoticed by parents, coaches and other influential adults. Although youth may hide behind smiles, the tragic truth can be found in the facts.

- Median age 1st time steroid user-15
- 35 % of kids admit to using protein shakes, 25% are tainted with Anabolic Steroids or other banned substance
- Over 1.5 Million teens admit Anabolic Steroid use
- Over 9 Million teens use dietary supplements
- 85% of high school students have never been told of the dangers of Steroids

Who should attend: School Resource Officers (SRO), guidance counselors, coaches, YMCA and Boys and Girls Club staff, juvenile officers, corrections personnel, PFS and PFAB instructors and any officer, educator or healthcare professional who works with youth in our communities. **SRO's are strongly encouraged to recruit members of their schools and community who they feel will benefit from this program.**

This workshop is offered **free** of charge. Please register early.

Uniform of the day or professional business attire required for this training.

To register, please complete the attached registration form and fax or e-mail to Mrs. Donna Lavalley at (401) 722-3151, donna.lavalley@risp.gov, by Friday, December 8.

For more information regarding the Rhode Island Department of Public Safety Municipal Police Training Academy please go to: www.rimpa.ri.gov, click on Upcoming In-Service Training Opportunities.



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Course Title:	Police Department/Agency: (name and full address)	
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Course Dates/Location: December 12, 2017 Flanagan Fieldhouse CCRI Lincoln Campus	Contact Person (Supervisor):	Department/Business Phone:
PARTICIPANT(S) NAME & RANK/POSITION		
1 st Selection:		
E-Mail Address:		
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<u>Please FAX or Email this form to the attention of:</u>		
Mrs. Donna Lavallee at donna.lavallee@risp.gov or (401) 722-3151 (Academy Fax)		
Please contact Captain David Ricciarelli at david.ricciarelli@risp.gov or (401) 722-7096, with any questions regarding this training. RSVP by date December 8, 2017		