

## Community Clergy Training Events: **Moral Injury & Suicide Prevention for Veteran Care**

## Friday, April 30, 2021 from 2PM to 4PM

Do you want to offer care to Veterans in your community, but aren't sure where to start?

Have you heard buzz words like "moral injury" and "soul loss" but don't know where to start the conversation of healing with your congregation?

Curious about the connection between moral injury and suicide in Veterans?

Please join the Boise VA Medical Center Chaplain Service and Suicide Prevention Coordinator to explore the answers to these questions.

The Boise VA Chaplain Service and Suicide Prevention Team are hosting a free 2-hour virtual training event on moral injury and suicide prevention within the Veteran population. Learn valuable skills in how to have difficult conversations about suicide, explore the concept of moral injury, and build collaborative community relationships.

This Community Clergy Training Event is one in a series to be offered by the Boise VA Chaplain Service to educate local clergy about the physical, mental, social, and spiritual challenges faced by Veterans and their families.



To sign up please email or call Chaplain Rachel Mikaelsen at (208) A2 I 1000 ext.

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