

# BRIDGES *out of* POVERTY

Friday, November 8, 2024 • 9 AM - 3:30 PM

Jeff-Lewis BOCES Admin Building: Conference Room A/B

**Calling all changemakers!** Join us for an interactive workshop that provides a myth-shattering framework for understanding poverty. The Bridges model is a powerful platform for building relationships of mutual respect, working shoulder to shoulder with those living in poverty to develop strategies, and creating a community where everyone can live well. Together, we will:

- Examine the impact of poverty on families
- Explore the hidden rules of economic class
- Identify ways to build / improve relationships
- Develop tools to better address individual needs
- Highlight the local Bridges body of work

Workshop is based on the “Bridges out of Poverty” material developed by Ruby Payne, PhD, Phil DeVol, and Terie Dreussi Smith. Facilitated by certified trainers Dawn Cole, United Way of Northern New York and Sarah Yerdon, Northern Regional Center for Independent Living.

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**\$20 includes lunch and Bridges out of Poverty book.**

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