



National AgrAbility Project Regional Training Workshop-Manhattan, KS

**Hilton Garden Inn
410 S 3rd Street
Manhattan, KS 66502**

<u>Tuesday, November 16th</u>	1:30 pm-2:00 pm	Check in
	2:00 pm-2:15 pm	Welcome- Tawnie Larson Kansas AgrAbility, Tess McKeel and JoBeth Rath - NAP and Goodwill of the Finger Lakes,
	2:30 pm-3:30 pm	QPR Training- Tess McKeel and JoBeth Rath- NAP and Goodwill of the Finger Lakes <i>QPR stands for Question, Persuade and Refer. These three simple steps can help save the life of a suicidal person.</i>
	3:30 pm-4:00 pm	Update from KDA on Ag Stress Initiatives- Kelsey Olson and Jason Walker- Kansas Department of Agriculture
<u>Wednesday, November 17th</u>	8:00 am-8:25 am	Check in
	8:30 am-8:45 am	AgrAbility Overview- Tess McKeel and JoBeth Rath- NAP and Goodwill of the Finger Lakes
	8:50 am-9:50 am	Farming with Less Muscle- Lucinda Stuenkel- Sunny Day Farms <i>Do you now have less muscle for working on your farm? Either from a partner's retirement, going away to collage, aging or medical condition? This is how one family transitioned their farm infrastructure to accommodate the loss of two healthy vibrant farmers so that the remaining family members could keep and successfully operate our farm.</i>
	9:55 am-10:10 am	Break
	10:15 am-11:15 am	Save Farm- Veteran Ranch- Tod Bunting, Major General (retired), Kansas Army National Guard and Air National Guard <i>Servicemember Agriculture Vocation Education (SAVE) Farm will share their history and mission to serve as a sustainable and regenerative model for hands-on agriculture and agribusiness training with classroom and field education, with an emphasis on service members, veterans and their families.</i>
	11:20 am-12:20pm	Insider Tips for Getting the Most from Vocational Rehabilitation- Dennis Ford- Deputy Director Kansas VR Field Operations <i>Learn about Vocational Rehabilitation Services and how it can help you be successful in reaching your vocational goal. The Steps, Services, and Strategies.</i>
	12:25pm-1:25 pm	Lunch & Speaker Rick Peterson-Associate Director for Extension Programs at KSU
	1:30 pm-2:30 pm	Farm Rescue- Lynne Hinrichsen- Development Officer Farm Rescue <i>The mission of Farm Rescue is to help family farms and ranches bridge crises so they have an opportunity to continue viable operations. Farm Rescue provides planting, haying, harvesting and livestock feeding assistance to farm and ranch families that have experienced a major injury, illness or natural disaster.</i>
	2:35 pm-3:35 pm	Business Planning- Aaron Lueger- YBS Relationship Officer-Northeast KS Frontier Farm Credit <i>Tips on setting up a business plan.</i>



	3:40 pm – 3:55 pm	Break
	4:00 pm-5:00 pm	<p>Working with Veterans: presented by Fort Riley Soldier Recovery Unit OTs- Jill Sump, OTR/L- Ft. Riley Soldier Recovery Unit and formerly CO AgrAbility and Rick Vandegrift, COTA- Ft. Riley Soldier Recovery Unit</p> <p><i>This session will go over the Soldier Recovery Units (SRUs) overview and purpose, locations and support for Guard and Reserve Soldiers, Veteran benefits for career and education resources, and how OTs provide goal setting and appropriate career plans with accommodations.</i></p>
	5:00 pm	Wrap up
Thursday, November 18th	8:30 am-4:00 pm	Farm Tours