



CRISIS INTERVENTION

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September 11 - 15, 2017 ▪ 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM
Institute of Public Safety ▪ Building 22
3501 Davie Road ▪ Davie, FL 33314

Course Description:

This 40 hour course provides criminal justice officers training on the legal aspects of and the most effective and up-to-date crisis intervention strategies, including advanced de-escalation, defusing, Active Listening and negotiation. Students will apply these skills and receive appropriate instructor review and critique during the role-playing scenarios practicum

Course Objectives:

At the end of this program, students will:

- ◆ Gain a greater understanding of the legal issues involving an officer's response to and actions during a crisis situation.
- ◆ Be familiar with the concept and the patterns of a person's emotional response to a crisis situation, the magnitude of crises encountered by officers, and the impact of proper response and handling of crisis situations
- ◆ Gain knowledge of de-escalation and defusing techniques and skills used in crisis intervention and the peaceful resolution of a crisis situation.
- ◆ Be familiar with the importance of proper assessment and will possess an ability to interview people properly to gather information about a situation in an effort to identify the problem and offer possible resolutions .
- ◆ Possess an increased knowledge of substance abuse and co-occurring or dual diagnosis disorder, and will learn how to recognize these situations and intervene effectively.
- ◆ Gain an increased knowledge of common crisis events involving children and adolescents.
- ◆ Gain knowledge of effective crisis negotiation techniques to be used during a barricaded subject, hostage, or suicidal person incidents
- ◆ Acquire knowledge of mental illness (adult and children), PTSD, developmental disabilities (autism, mental retardation), and aging issues. The student will learn the skills needed to recognize and intervene safely when individuals in these categories are in crisis.

Who Should Attend:

- ◆ Law enforcement officers
- ◆ Correctional staff

Instructor:

Sgt R. "Doc" Davis (Retired) has twenty years experience in law enforcement and is a psychology doctoral candidate. He was the team commander for the hostage negotiation and crisis intervention teams of the Boynton Beach Police Department prior to his retirement.

Fees:

None for certified officers and authorized support staff

End of Course Examination: CJSTC Rule 11b35.001 9(b): A student enrolled in a Commission-approved Advanced or Specified Specialized Training Program Course shall achieve a score of no less than 80% on the written end-of-course examination. A student enrolled in a Specialized Instructor Training Course shall achieve a score of no less than 85% on the written end-of-course examination, exclusive of demonstration of any proficiency skills.

Attendance: Attendance at the initial class is mandatory. All students must adhere to the attendance requirements of the Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission and the Rules, Policies and Procedures of the Institute of Public Safety

Dress Policy: Your Department's authorized training uniform. Law enforcement personnel not in uniform that are carrying exposed firearms must prominently display agency ID and/or badge at all times while on college property.

Submit Registration form to:

Institute of Public Safety, 3501 Davie Road, Davie, Florida 33314, Attn: Professional Development
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This course is applicable to either Mandatory Retraining or Salary Incentive. Federal I.D. #59-1216107