Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) Training

40 Hour Academy

October 31-November 4, 2016

0800-1700

Hugh Nichols Public Safety Building
Nampa Police Department
820 2nd St. S.
Nampa, ID 83651

Nampa Police and the Department of Health and Welfare are hosting a 40 hour: ***Crisis Intervention Team*** (CIT) training. This training is primarily geared towards Law Enforcement officers. CIT is a community-based collaboration between law enforcement, NAMI (National Alliance for the Mentally Ill), mental health consumers, their families, advocates and mental health providers. The purpose of the program is to provide law enforcement officers with the tools needed to more effectively manage incidents involving mentally ill people in crisis. Officers will learn de-escalation techniques to utilize in the field, making contacts with mentally ill persons in crisis safer. Presenters for this course include professionals from Region III Mental Health, NAMI, Nampa Police Department, SPAN Idaho, Meridian Police Department, Boise Police Department, Veteran's Network, District 3 Court, Canyon County Sheriff's Office and West Valley Medical Center.

Included in this 40 hour Academy is a one day training on advanced de-escalation. Ellis Amdur, M.A. will present "Grace Under Fire for Law Enforcement - The De-escalation and Calming of Aggressive and Emotionally Disturbed Individuals". For more information on Ellis and his publications please visit www.edgework.info

This 40 hour training is provided at no cost to all local law enforcement agencies. Please specify when registering if you will be attending the full 40 hour training or only Ellis Amdur's one day training. Space is limited so please register early.

To Register: Contact Fawn Olk – Training Coordinator
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