

# Crisis Intervention: What You Need to Know Before, During and After a Disaster



BALDWIN COUNTY



**Purpose:** The purpose of this training is to provide information on how to identify and utilize crisis intervention techniques in manmade events, weather related disasters and public health emergencies. This training will offer practical applications skills to health care staff and disaster volunteers on how to respond to crisis related situations in health care and community settings.

## **Date:**

Thursday, January 12, 2017

## **Time:**

8:15 - 8:45am Sign In/Registration  
8:45am - 4:30pm Training

## **Location:**

Baldwin County Annex  
22251 Palmer Street  
Robertsdale, AL 36567

## **Additional Training Information:**

- This training is limited to 45 participants.
- Training Cost: Free
- Lunch is on your own. Restaurant options will be provided at the training.
- If you need any special assistance or accommodations, please let us know by Thursday, December 22, 2016.
- For more information, please contact Peggy Lassitter at [peggy.lassitter@adph.state.al.us](mailto:peggy.lassitter@adph.state.al.us).

## **Topics:**

- A Glance at Crisis Incidents in Alabama: Manmade Events, Weather Related Events, and Public Health Emergencies
- Introduction to Crisis Intervention
- Crisis Intervention in the Workplace: Addressing Critical Incidents with Patients, Staff and Coworkers
- Crisis Intervention Techniques: Using Play Therapy with Children and Older Adults Impacted by Trauma
- Preventing Vicarious Trauma: Tips for Health Care Providers Following Crisis Events
- Crisis Response Triads: What Would You Do If?

## **Conference Objectives:**

1. Discuss critical and crisis incidents in Baldwin County, Alabama
2. Define crisis intervention strategies and how to implement them during a disaster
3. Explain how to address and diffuse crisis situations in the workplace with patients and staff
4. Demonstrate how play therapy techniques are used with children and adults following a traumatic incident
5. Discuss how to recognize and address vicarious trauma in health care workers and disaster volunteers
6. Demonstrate how to use crisis intervention techniques in all hazards disasters.

**Continuing Education:** Continuing education is being applied for nurses and social workers and are pending approval.

*The Alabama Department of Public Health is an approved provider of continuing nursing education by the Alabama State Nurses Association, an accredited approver of continuing nursing education by the American Nurses Credentialing Center's Commission on Accreditation.*

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