



CIT (Crisis Intervention Team) 2021 Training Schedule

Hamilton County CIT Newsletter
February 2021

CIT | Crisis Intervention Team Training (40-Hr)

Dates:

March 8-12, 2021
May 10-14, 2021
August 16-19, 2021
October 4-8, 2021
December 6-10, 2021

Time:

8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Where:

Great Oaks Career Campus Building 300
303 Scarlett Oaks Dr. Sharonville, OH

Coordinator:

Jessica Ball

Course information:

Crisis Intervention Team Training is 40-hours of comprehensive training to increase skills in relating to individuals with mental illness. Training emphasizes behavioral health-related topics, access to community-based services, de-escalation tactics, and crisis resolution skills. Training format consists of didactics/lectures, on-site visitation and exposure to several behavioral health facilities, intensive interaction with individuals with mental illness and substance use disorders, and scenario-based de-escalation training. Experience has shown this is a minimum level of training hours. Materials covered are complex. Far beyond simple cognitive retention of the material, the desired learning outcome for this training is the adoption and retention of behavioral changes.

If you have any questions or would like more information, please contact Jessica Ball at jball@mhankyswoh.org.

Registration: (Registration January-June open now; Registration June-December opening April 2021)
<https://www.mhankyswoh.org/CIT>

De-Escalation | Advanced CIT Training (8-Hr)

Dates:

March 26, 2021

May 25, 2021

Time:

8:30 AM - 4:00 PM

Where:

Great Oaks Career Campus

303 Scarlett Oaks Dr. Sharonville, OH

Coordinator:

Jessica Ball

Course information:

This course is intended for Law Enforcement Officers/Personnel to learn how to effectively de-escalate a person who is having a psychological or behavioral crisis in order to reduce harm to oneself and the community.

Learn de-escalation skills by identifying who you are and understanding how your own internal triggers affect communication with others. The goal is to help officers build crucial skills to improve police-community relations through better verbal and non-verbal communication while enhancing safety for all participants.

Identify and understand socio-emotional development, in order to understand foundational behaviors, improve emotional intelligence, and enhance professionalism in order to effectively utilize constructive, solution-based approaches, so everyone goes home.

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Registration link:

<https://www.mhankyswoh.org/Events?Date=3/1/2021&TypeView=Graphical&PeriodView=Monthly>

CIT Refresher/Advanced De-Escalation | (8-Hr)

Dates:

April 12, 2021

May 4, 2021

May 21, 2021

Time:

8:30 AM - 4:30 PM

Where:

Great Oaks Career Campus | Public Safety Building
303 Scarlett Oaks Dr. Sharonville, OH

Coordinator:

Jessica Ball

Prerequisite:

Must have taken 40-hr CIT Training prior to taking Refresher Course

Course information:

Trainees can expect to learn the latest regarding Hamilton County Mobile Crisis response, how to effectively co-respond, and ways to decrease response on repeat runs. Trend detail for Hamilton County will be provided and newer content being provided through the CIT 40 hour training will be reviewed, including de-escalation techniques/tactics. A roundtable discussion will occur where trainees will discuss and problem solve issues identified ahead of the training (submitted by trainees prior to course). During the afternoon, trainees will actively participate in a simulation exercise and then move to small group role-play scenarios. These activities afford opportunity to practice de-escalation skills in two separate environments.

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Registration link:

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