
ADVANCED GROUP CRISIS INTERVENTION

APRIL 25—APRIL 27, 2016

The Danny Rhynes Interagency Training Center will be hosting an Advanced Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) training **April 25-27, 2016** in San Bernardino, California. The Advanced Group Crisis Intervention builds on the knowledge base which was obtained through the Individual Crisis Intervention and Peer Support & Group Crisis Intervention course along with the experience obtained through serving as a Peer/Lead for CISM responses. Advanced defusings and debriefings in complex critical incident situations will be emphasized along with consequences of traumatic stress. Designed for law enforcement, fire, aviation, and agency personnel who will be trained to identify ways to support their peers who have experienced a critical incident.

Program highlights: Experiential group exercises to manage complex group oriented crisis interventions, such as crisis management briefings, multiple incidents CID, suicide of a colleague, small group crisis support sessions after a disaster in a comprehensive, integrated, systematic and multi-component CISM approach.

Instructor: Jack Harris, International Critical Incident Stress Foundation (ICISF Instructor)

Dates: Begins 0830 on Monday, April 25th and concludes 1700 on Thursday, April 27th

Tuition: \$400.00 per student and is the responsibility of the sending agency

Prerequisite: Individual Crisis Intervention and Peer Support & Group Crisis Intervention through an approved ICISF instructor

Registration: Hardcopy nominations must be received by March 28, 2016 and emailed to drtc@fs.fed.us or faxed to 909.382.4192. Nomination forms can be obtained from the following link:

http://www.nationalfiretraining.net/schedule/detail/ca_CISMA_04-26-2016_5209

The course is not intended to replace the need for mental health care professionals or their roles and responsibilities. Attendees who successfully complete this session will be encouraged to provide Pacific Southwest Region Critical Incident Stress Management peer support when a need arises.

If you have any questions, please contact Kristel Johnson, CISM Coordinator and Forest Training Officer, at drtc@fs.fed.us or 909.382.2734.



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