

# Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) Training for Corrections

Hosted by the Clark County Sheriff's Office

## Course Description:

Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) is a law enforcement mental health crisis response model. This 40 hour training is tailored for corrections staff to address real world situations found in jails and prisons.

Clark County's CIT for Corrections program was developed with technical assistance from National Institute of Corrections (NIC) and modeled after CIT in Denver County, Colorado. Content is presented through classroom instruction by community professionals and scenario-based role plays. Role plays use actors to allow CIT participants to practice de-escalation for inmates with mental health needs in custody. CIT training can improve safety for corrections staff and inmates, reduce crisis situations, and help agencies mitigate risk.

## Who Should Attend CIT

Corrections deputies and officers  
Corrections sergeants and supervisors

## Training Dates

May 2-5, 2017

Hours: 0800-1830

## Training Cost

\$100 per student

Space is limited

## Location

Vancouver, WA

## To Register

Clark County Sheriff's Office- Training Unit

(360) 397-6031

[judy.stange@clark.wa.gov](mailto:judy.stange@clark.wa.gov)

## CIT for Corrections Topics

- ⇒ Mental Health 101
- ⇒ Interpersonal Communication
- ⇒ De-escalation
- ⇒ Anger, Rage & Violence
- ⇒ Suicide Risk Assessment
- ⇒ Substance Abuse
- ⇒ Complex Trauma and Behavior
- ⇒ Criminal and Civil Competency
- ⇒ Many more!

## Included in Training Cost

- ⇒ Spouses/partners invited to join for presentations on the last day
- ⇒ Copy of "Officer Emotional Survival" by Dr. Eric Gilmartin

