



# CRISIS INTERVENTION TEAM (CIT) TRAINING

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**Monday February 4, 2019 – Friday, February 8, 2019**

- 8:00 am-5:00 pm Monday- Friday
  - Beaufort Community College Law Enforcement Training Center
  - US-264 Washington, NC 27889 **Building 10B Room 104**
  - **No cost** to officers employed by public law enforcement agencies (police departments, sheriff departments, college campuses, etc.)
  - Register with Perry Harris at [perry.harris@beaufortccc.edu](mailto:perry.harris@beaufortccc.edu)
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CIT is a 40-hour training designed to assist law enforcement officers who respond to incidents involving individuals with a mental health or substance use crisis, and those with intellectual and developmental disabilities.

#### **Officers will learn the following:**

- **How to identify and effectively interact with people who have mental illness, intellectual or developmental disabilities, and/or addictions**
- **Basic medication awareness**
- **Verbal de-escalation skills**
- **Awareness of community resources**

Participants will also have the opportunity for face-to-face interactions with individuals who are in recovery and family members.

The CIT Program is a community-based collaborative between individuals in recovery, families, the behavioral health system, law enforcement agencies, mental health providers, NAMI (*National Alliance on Mental Illness*), consumer advocacy organizations, the community college and the medical community.

All officers who complete the training receive a certificate of completion and a CIT uniform pin.

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