

APCO Institute Training Course

CISM: Group Crisis Intervention

Location: Las Vegas, Nevada ****APCO Intl. 75th Annual Conference & Expo****
Date: August 14-15, 2009 **Pre-conference Course**
Time: 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.
Tuition \$199.00
Course # 27297
APCO Members receive a \$20 discount

(Note: Emphasis will be placed on the specific stressors of, and impacts on, communications personnel.)

The "Group Crisis Intervention" training program is designed to present the core elements of a comprehensive, systematic and multi-component crisis intervention curriculum. The two-day course prepares participants to understand a wide range of crisis intervention services: including pre and post incident crisis education, on scene support services, crisis intervention for individuals, demobilizations after large-scale traumatic incidents, small group defusings and the group intervention known as Critical Incident Stress Debriefing (CISD).

The "Group Crisis Intervention" course specifically prepares participants to provide several interventions – specifically, demobilizations, defusings and the CISD. The need for appropriate follow up services and referrals when necessary is also described. Considerable evidence gathered to date, strongly supports the multi-component crisis intervention strategy discussed in this course. At the completion of this course, participants will be able to:

- Define stress, CIS and PTSD
- List the ten basic interventions of CISM
- Define and describe in detail the CISM group processes of demobilization, Community Management Briefings, defusings and debriefings.

The CISM: Group Crisis Intervention training curriculum used in this course is recognized by the INTERNATIONAL CRITICAL INCIDENT STRESS FOUNDATION INC. (www.icisf.org)

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