This intensive course focuses on dealing with mentally ill and developmentally disabled persons in crisis. The training includes interaction with subjects with disabilities and scenario based communication exercises. The student will be better prepared to respond to calls involving subjects in crisis, utilize de-escalation techniques to reduce the need for force and have a better understanding of services available as well as capabilities and competencies of the mental health system. Various subject matter experts, including law enforcement officers, psychologists and mental health advocacy groups will present daily.

40 spaces available per session

*This training is available to all law enforcement agencies.

Note:

Lunch is provided on Wednesday/2-6-19 and is part of the communication exercise for the day.

Uniform:

Civilian attire. Please no open-toed shoes, shorts, or hats.