# San Antonio College Law Enforcement Academy # 1850 Crisis Intervention Training (CIT) 40 hour

# **Course Objectives:**

Course topics include:

- 1. Developing a Basic Understanding of CIT
- 2. Defining and discussing the Meaning and Implications of Crisis
- 3. Increasing Awareness of mental Illness and Associated Adversity
- 4. Mental Health Conditions Most Commonly Encountered by Law Enforcement Officers
- 5. Effective Communication Skills to Aid in Working with a Possible Mental Health Crisis
- 6. <u>Deinstitutionalization, Crime and Homelessness as they Relate to Mental Health Issues</u>
- 7. Legal Considerations for a Police Officer Intervening During a Mental Health Crisis
- 8. Jail Diversion Programs and Alternative Options
- 9. Accessing Mental Health Resources in Your Area

### **Course Cost**

Open Enrollment Only: 8 Hour Day, 40-hour week. Cost: \$0.00 (Free)

Maximum of 30 Students

### **Upon Completion**

Student will receive a course completion certificate for 40 hours of training and CIT #1850. The 40 hours will be reported to TCOLE as part of your training record.

To Sign-Up for the Course

Please email sac-lea@alamo.edu.

Payment due day of class in cashier check, personal check, agency check or money order (agencies can be invoiced when requested by agency administration)

made payable to: SAC Protective Services Department

# **Training Dates and Location**

First Responders Academy, 15775 IH 35 South, Atascosa, TX 78002 (exit 139 Hwy 35 S)

Monday-Friday, July 29 to August 2, 2024 8a-5p