The Caldwell Police Department is proud to host:

Assisting Individuals in Crisis and Group Crisis Intervention Training

April 28-30, 2025

0800-1800 hrs

Instructor: Ron Winegar, Retired Police Chief, Boise PD

Topics Include:

This 3-day course combines ALL of the content of ICISF's Assisting Individuals in Crisis & Group Crisis Intervention courses. Crisis Intervention is NOT psychotherapy; rather, it is a specialized acute emergency mental health intervention which requires specialized training. As physical first aid is to surgery, crisis intervention is to psychotherapy. Thus, crisis intervention is sometimes called "emotional first aid". Designed to present the core elements of a comprehensive, systematic and multi-component crisis intervention curriculum, this course will prepare participants to understand a wide range of crisis intervention services for both the individual and for groups. Fundamentals of Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) will be outlined and participants will leave with the knowledge and tools to provide several group crisis interventions, specifically Rest, Information, Transition Services (RITS), Crisis Management Briefings, Defusings and the Critical Incident Stress Debriefing (CISD). The need for appropriate follow-up services and referrals when necessary will also be discussed.

Who Should attend:

Any first responder members on a Peer Support team or interested in starting one

Tuition:

Registration fee is \$300 and includes all materials/books/certificates

Location:

110 S. 5th Ave Caldwell ID 83605

Class Registration:

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