

# 2024 CIT INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE SCHEDULE AUGUST 25 - 28, 2024

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25th		TIME
CIT Coordinator Course #1		7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.
CIT Coordinator Course #2		8:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.
<b>First Responder Conferences Presents: Expanding Your Range of Resilience</b>		<b>9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.</b>
<b>VA Roundtable 2.0</b>		<b>1:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.</b>
<b>Strengthening the Voice of Community Partners</b>		<b>2:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.</b>
Registration Open		12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Exhibitor's Set-up		12:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
<b>CIT Fun Run/Walk - River Walk - Start at Everwise Amphitheater</b>		<b>6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m.</b>
MONDAY, AUGUST 26th		TIME
Registration Open ( <b>Registration will be closed from 8:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.</b> )		6:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Exhibitor's Set-up		7:00 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
Exhibitors Open		10:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Coffee and Networking		7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
<b>General Session: Conference Opening and Keynote Speaker Margie Balfour: "Building a 21st Century Crisis System"</b>		<b>8:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.</b>
BREAK: Visit our Sponsors and Exhibitors		10:30 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
<b>WORKSHOPS</b>		
CIT Stat Sheet - Maximize Data - Minimal Cost		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Modernizing Law Enforcement De-Escalation Training in America		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Support Across the SIM: Strategies for Diversion and Engagement		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
To Leave or Not to Leave? That is the Question.		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Working with State and County Leaders to Advance CIT Partnership		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
DOJ, the ADA, and You: Innovations in Crisis Response		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Transforming Crisis Response: Expanding the Training Model		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Crisis Response and Intervention Training (CRIT): What it means for your CIT training.		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
The Power of a Name – Preserving Humanity for our Un-housed		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Leveraging Crisis Intervention Teams as the Foundation for Comprehensive Officer Wellness Programming		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Excellence in Crisis Mobile Team Dispatch		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Improved Opioid Response: Cops, Narcan & Peers		11:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
NETWORKING LUNCH; Meal Provided		12:00 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Certified Coordinator's Networking Lunch Meeting (Grand Ballroom 7/8)		12:30 p.m. - 1:00 p.m.

**WORKSHOPS**

What a Difference a Decade Makes! Mississippi's Radical Crisis Response System Transformation	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Autism Response - How to make it better next time	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Why We Didn't Tell You: Learning from lived experience of those with suicidal thoughts	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Going Rogue: Expecting the Unexpected During Role-Play Training	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Force Considerations and Documentation on Crisis Contacts, Documenting the Good Work We Do	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
CIT Connect	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Breaking Silos - Partnering Police With Social Workers to Navigate Those Most Marginalized	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
CIT Program Certification: Understanding Expectations	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Serving Those Who've Served: A Look Into Veterans Response Teams	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
WTF is FTD? Recognizing Frontotemporal Dementia and De-escalating Unsafe Behaviors	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Clubhouse Indiana: Sustaining and Expanding the Clubhouse Model in the Hoosier State	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
From the Depths of Despair to the Light of Hope: A Clinician's Story	1:30 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.
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**WORKSHOPS**

CIT ECHO: Increasing LEO's Knowledge of CIT Best Practices One Week at A Time	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Cultural Competency, Diversity, and Awareness: Engaging your Students by Engaging their Story	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Law Enforcement to Librarians, Urban to Rural: Peers Create Recovery Communities	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
A Crisis Intervention Team Strategy for Veteran Suicide Reduction in a Military Community	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Sensory solutions: Equipping first responders with self-care and self-regulation tools through sensory strategies	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Police Suicide - It Could Have Been Me!	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Crisis Reimagined: 988 and Legislative Opportunities to Advance Crisis Response	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Multijurisdictional Alternative Response Team(S) - Implementing and Expanding Mental Health Response Teams within Inner Ring	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Maximizing Crisis Diversion: Mesa's Integrated Approach to CIT Excellence	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Building Recovery Focused CIT Teams: Embracing Peers	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
When the System Fails: Dealing with High Utilizing Juveniles	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
NAMI Sharing Your Story with Law Enforcement: Seeing Crises Through Different Lenses	3:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Registration and Exhibit Area Closes	5:00 p.m.
<b>NETWORKING EVENT - CIT Connector</b>	<b>5:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.</b>

<b>TUESDAY, AUGUST 27th</b>	<b>TIME</b>
Registration Open ( <b>Registration will be closed from 8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m)</b> )	7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Exhibitors Open	7:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
<b>General Session: "Implementing SAMHSA's Best Practice Crisis Care Model and Alignment with CIT Efforts"</b> <b>Keynote Speaker: Paul Galdys (RI International)</b>	<b>8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.</b>
BREAK: Visit our Sponsors and Exhibitors	9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
<b>WORKSHOPS</b>	
Driving a Solution to Mental Health Transportation	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Using Emotional Intelligence (EQ) for CIT: De-Escalation, Wellness, and Effective Communication	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Broken Like Me - An Insider's look at "First Responder," "Community," and "Self" Care	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Tips for Subject Matter Experts Presenting Signs and Symptoms of Mental Illnesses	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Prioritizing Missouri's First Responder Resources	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Cultivating Collaboration: Cross-Pollination and Bridge Building	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
911/988: State Behavioral Health Crisis Coordination	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
My Life from Hopelessness and Homelessness to Recovery & Purpose!	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Leveraging Virtual Reality Scenario-Based Training to Enhance CIT Programming in De-escalation Skill Development	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Implementing Change: A Community Collaborative Framework	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
Can My Agency Do This Too?: Implementing Crisis Intervention in Rural Areas	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
An Introduction to the Ohio CIT Program Peer Review	10:00 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.
NETWORKING LUNCH - Meal Provided	11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Coin/patch/pin swap - Griffin Hall - CIT International Booth	11:45 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.
Public Policy Meeting - JW Ballroom 7/8	11:30 a.m. - 12:15 p.m.
<b>WORKSHOPS</b>	
The Power of Collaboration During Crisis Response	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Officer Down Needs Assistance	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Patient Not Prisoner: How Crisis Intervention Teams Have Saved My Life	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Know.Talk. Ask. A Hopeful Approach to Suicide Prevention	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Enhancing Crisis Intervention Skills with Simulation Technology	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
New Jersey's Co-Responder Model: ARRIVE Together	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
So, You Want to Teach Law Enforcement... Excelling as a Civilian Instructor	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Evidence-Based Crisis Intervention: A Multi-Dimensional, Behavior-Responsive Guide	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Sensory Implications when working with persons in crisis with developmental disabilities	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Ensuring the Military-Connected Don't Fight Their Demons Alone - Standing on Common Ground	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Canines in the Fast Lane: From New Jersey to Indiana to Rome	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Engaging and Building Relationships: Working Respectively and Effectively with LGBTQIA+ Persons	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
BREAK: Visit our Sponsors and Exhibitors	2:00 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.

**WORKSHOPS**

Leveling up your CIT program evaluation: Strategies from 20 years of CIT research	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Expanding mobile crisis services through partnership, and integration with 9-1-1 and 9-8-8 systems	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
The Power of Rural Crisis Partnerships: How to Make a Difference	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
"I've been there": Utilization of Family Peers to Increase Diversion of Youth	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Implementing a CIT for Corrections	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Onboarding Dispatch and EMS to CIT Training and Committee Membership	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Working Collaboratively with Law Enforcement	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
FBI's Responders' Wellness and Resiliency Documentary	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Hidden Figures: Can One CIT Coordinator Really Make a Difference?	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Alternate Response - Redefining Law Enforcement's Response to Our Unsheltered Population	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Recognizing and assessing dangerous people in order to keep yourself and your community safe	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Enhancing Mental Health Services: Exploring Oklahoma's Comprehensive Crisis Continuum	2:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
<b>BREAK: Visit our Sponsors and Exhibitors</b>	<b>3:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.</b>

**WORKSHOPS**

Ethical Decision Making in Suicide Risk Assessments: Navigating Complexities with Confidence	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Bring CIT to your Rural Scene: Lessons Learned	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
"Coffee with Joe" - a Neighborhood CIT Officer's Meeting of Peer Support	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Creating Officer Engagement Through Hands-On Learning	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
"Help! I need somebody!" The value of partnerships in crisis response – E3 Initiative.	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Demystifying Data for Crisis Programs	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Relief for Law Enforcement: How your community can use Mobile Teams as alternative response	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Processing Grief Throughout a Career	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Missouri Crisis Response Resources and CIT Collaboration	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
"Drop the Rope!": Applying Risk vs Risk to Identify/Avoid/Defuse Power Struggles with Youth	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
School is in Session: CIT in School Districts and Universities	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Indigenizing CIT in Indian Country: The Unifying Energy of the Whole Person and Community	4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Registration and Exhibit Area Closes	5:00 p.m.

<b>WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28th</b>	<b>TIME</b>
Registration Open ( <b>Registration will be closed from 8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m</b> )	7:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Exhibitors Open	7:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
<b>BREAKFAST of HOPE - Meal Provided</b>	7:00 a.m. - 8:00 a.m.
<b>General Session: "Pillars of Hope: Building Compassionate Care from the Lived Experience"</b> <b>Keynote Speaker: Steve Miccio (People USA)</b>	<b>8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.</b>
<b>BREAK: Visit our Sponsors and Exhibitors</b>	9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
<b>WORKSHOPS</b>	
Autism Awareness	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Empowering our Minds: What can we do to reduce risk of Dementia and stress	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
(Q.P.R.) Question. Persuade. Refer. for CIT personal.	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Responding to Neighbors with HEART	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Veterans in Crisis: Let's Change the Outcome	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
The Path is the Goal: Transforming Trauma - A Healing Workshop for First Responders	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Incorporating a Mobile Crisis Team into an Existing Embedded Co-response Unit	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
If there's PC for arrest, everyone goes to jail -- One CIT Coordinator's Journey	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Using Data to Build Trust, Improve Access, and Bridge Gaps in Rural Communities	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Crisis Response Evaluations and Field Research: The State of Michigan's Crisis Services	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Hoarding – The Basics	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Ready. Set. Share.	10:00 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
<b>NETWORKING LUNCH &amp; CRISIS JAM - Meal Provided</b>	11:30 p.m. - 1:30 p.m.
<b>WORKSHOPS</b>	
Advanced Techniques in Crisis Negotiation	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Co-Response in the Crisis System: On Demand	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
DIScovering Personality: WHO you are is as important as WHAT you do	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Excited Delirium – A New Approach to an Old Dilemma	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Autism Spectrum Disorder and Crisis Interactions	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
If Your Only Tool's a Hammer... Responding to Dementia & Mental Illnesses	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Activate to Captivate: What You're Missing in Turning Their Brain "ON" During Training	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Hidden Hazards in Policing: Crisis Intervention and Leadership Engagement	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Psychopharmacology Crash Course	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Making Your CIT Training A Better Success!	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
Native Resilience: Learning to Police from a Trauma-Informed Lens	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
HEARING VOICES - audio exercise where you hear and experience psychiatric disabilities	1:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.
<b>CONFERENCE CLOSSES</b>	
	<b>4:00 p.m.</b>