

Supporting Your Community!

Psychological First Aid - II

For Local Behavioral Health, Clergy
& Violence Prevention Workgroup

July 26, 2012— 8am-5pm

Louisville Metro Department of Public Health & Wellness
400 East Gray Street, Louisville, KY 40202

PFA ONLINE

Go to: <http://ky.train.org>
Create an account (free)
Register for and complete 6
hour PFA Online Course
(#1022214).

PFA-II

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See full listing of crisis inter-
vention courses at:
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Questions regarding course
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PFA Online includes a 6-hour interactive course that puts the participant in the role of a provider in a post-disaster scene. This professionally-narrated course is for individuals new to disaster responses who want to learn the core goals of PFA, as well as for seasoned practitioners who want a review. It features innovative activities, video demonstrations, and mentor tips from the nation's trauma experts and survivors. PFA online also offers a Learning Community where participants can share about experiences using PFA in the field, receive guidance during times of disaster, and obtain additional resources and training.

This free course has been accepted by the Kentucky Community Crisis Response Board (KCCRB) as a quality experience that meets *Part I* of the crisis intervention course requirements to become a Disaster Team Member.

PFA Online was funded by SAMHSA, NCPTSD, NACCHO, and HHS Office of the Surgeon General, Office of the Civilian Volunteer Medical Reserve Corps. This credit may be applied to the CMA Certification in Continuing Medical Education. This course also has 6 CE credits available through the National Association of Social Workers, American Psychological Association, California Board of Behavioral Sciences, and the Board of Registered Nursing.

- Learn how to support your family and community with psychological first aid and self-care strategies.
- Recognize personal resiliency, how to build it and maintain it.
- Understand Kentucky's Disaster Behavioral Health Response System & the value of being credentialed.
- Become a volunteer ready to respond in the aftermath of a traumatic event or disaster.

PFA-II One-day in Class: Participants will be able to define Kentucky's Disaster Behavioral Health Statewide Response System of credentialed professional volunteers ready to respond following catastrophic events and possible medical/public health surge that follows. Participants will become familiar with disaster behavioral health volunteer's roles and responsibilities. Participants will gain knowledge and understanding of the National Incident Management System (NIMS), incident command structure and Emergency Support Function ESF -8, public health and medical asset provisions.

Participants will receive an overview of Disaster Behavioral Health triage and Psychological First Aid application in the field during and following a catastrophic event and will learn the SAFE -R model of providing crisis intervention. Participants will be evaluated on the disaster behavioral health core competencies and their proficiency in the delivery of crisis counseling services. Participants will gain knowledge of resiliency, peer-care and self-care during and following response to a catastrophic event.

Course provided by Kentucky Community Crisis Response Board and Kentucky Department for Public Health.