



**Office of Mayor Antonio R. Villaraigosa
Mayor's Office of Homeland Security & Public Safety**

**CRISIS RESPONSE TEAM
NOW RECRUITING!**

Crisis Response Team (CRT) members are community volunteers who respond to traumatic incidents at the request of the Los Angeles Police & Los Angeles Fire Departments. CRT provides immediate on-scene crisis intervention, attends to survival & comfort needs, acts as a liaison between the victim & emergency personnel and gives referrals to victims & their families affected by a death, a serious injury, a violent crime or other traumatic incidents. These include homicides, suicides, serious traffic accidents, natural deaths and multi-casualty incidents. The CRT program is managed by the Mayor's Office of Homeland Security & Public Safety in collaboration with the City's Fire & Police Departments.

2010 Training for New Team Members

FEBRUARY 2 - MARCH 25, 2010

TUESDAY & THURSDAY EVENINGS, 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm

LOCATION: L.A. POLICE ACADEMY, WESTCHESTER (LAX)

Training Topics Include:

- Police & Fire on Scene Protocol w/ Police Detectives & Fire Personnel.
- Hospital Emergency Rooms Environment w/ E.R. Social Workers.
- Victims of Crime Programs with City & County Victim Assistance Programs and the County Coroner.
- Suicide Aftermath Support w/ Suicide Prevention Center.
- The Grief Process in Adults and Children.
- Traumatization & Crisis Intervention Principles and Skills.
- Skillful Listening & Sacred Silence w/ Skilled Experts.
- Diverse Populations: Working with the Elderly and People with Disabilities.
- Cultural & Religious Diversity w/ City's Human Relations Dept.
- Taking Care of Yourself/Secondary Traumatization w/ CRT Mental Health.

OTHER GUEST SPEAKERS INCLUDE: County Dept of Mental Health, LAUSD Mental Health, City's Disabilities Dept., and additional collaborating agencies.

Please submit your Resume to:

CRISIS RESPONSE TEAM - Mayor's Office of Homeland Security & Public Safety

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