Tahoe Safe Alliance
Stopping Abuse for EVERYONE

Crisis Intervention Training – Spring 2017 Syllabus

*These classes are mandatory since they provide a foundational knowledge of our services.

Session	Date/Time/ Location	Session Content	Speaker
1	Tues, March 7 5:30-8:30pm	• Tahoe SAFE Alliance Agency Philosophy • Tahoe SAFE Alliance Agency Procedures • Mandatory documentation Introduction to Domestic violence	Paul Bancroft, ED Andrea Chapman, Crisis Advocacy Manger
2	Thurs, March 9 5:30-8:30pm	• History of Domestic Violence • Correlation between discrimination/oppression and sexual violence • Awareness & understanding of groups that have experienced discrimination	Andrea
3*	Saturday, March 11 9-4pm	• Gender Roles in Society/Attitudes Towards Violence • Domestic Violence Laws • Overview of Domestic Violence i. Cycle of Violence ii. Types of Domestic Violence iii. Impact of Domestic Violence on Individual and Community iv. In Her Shoes Activity • Connection with Animal Abuse	Prevention Program Staff Truckee Humane Society
4	Tues, March 14 5:30-8:30pm	• Crisis Intervention & Advocacy I. Principle and Techniques • Needs/Safety Assessment and Survivor Options	Viana Zucchet, Advocate Andrea
5*	Thurs, March 16 5:30-8:30pm	▪ Cultural Considerations when providing services ▪ Working with LGBT community members • Community Referrals part 1	
6*	Saturday, March 18 9-4pm	• Overview of Sexual Assault i. Intro and history of sexual assault ii. Types/Definitions of sexual assault iii. Trauma of sexual assault and long range effects i. Spousal Rape ii. Date Rape Drugs Teen Sexual Abuse and Intimate Partner Violence i. Developmental Considerations ii. Teen Culture and Risk Factors iii. Juvenile Sex Trade Concerns Legal Issues	Prevention Program Staff
7	Tues, March 21 5:30-8:30pm	Human trafficking and juvenile sex trade • Stalking • VAWA & Immigration	Awaken Inc.

		• Underserved populations	
8	Thurs, March 23 5:30-8:30pm	• Disabilities & DV/SA • Elder Abuse • Working with Children with Disabilities • Rights of Survivor/Victim in Law Enforcement System •	NCEDSV
9*	Tues, March 28 5:30-8:30pm	Rights of survivors/victims of sexual assault • Religious and cultural concerns related to medical procedures Collaborative Response • Forensic medical exam and evidence collection • Consent for forensic medical exam • Payment for exam • Survivors health concerns • Local procedures and coordination with other service providers • Role of Advocate during medical exam • History and goals of collaboration • Role of Advocate in collaboration Role of medical services provider	Crisis Call Center SANE Nurse
10*	Thurs, March 30 5:30-8:30 pm	Child Sexual Abuse I. Definitions/Characteristics II. Sexual Offenders III. Effects of Sexual Abuse on Children IV. Risk Reduction/Prevention V. Sexual Assault Laws VI. Factors affecting decision authorize forensic Counseling Issues/Concerns (teen & child)	Darkness to Light
11	Tues, April 4 5:30-8:30pm	• Effects of domestic violence on children Crisis Intervention i. With Significant others ii. Continuing Support • Survivor Story i. Rights of Survivor/Victims ii. Victims crime fund coordination	Children's Program Staff
12	Thurs, April 6 5:30-8:30pm	• Underserved Populations • Residential and Transitional Housing Services • Confidentiality	Liz Soto, Residential Program Manager
13	Saturday, April 8th 9-4pm	Suicide lethality, assessment, and intervention • Substance Abuse o Types of drugs and their effects on DV/SA • Mental Health o Types and Definitions • Mental health and SA/DV •	Mental Health First Aid
14	Tues, April 11th 5:30-8:30pm	• Help Line i. Local resource and support services ii. Procedures to access local resources and referrals iii. Community Referrals part 2 iv. Identifying and handling prank/crank, chronic and sex callers	Andrea

		Crisis Role Plays	
15	Thurs, April 13 5:30-8:30pm	• Grant Requirements & mandatory documentation • Referral Role Plays • Mandated reporting role plays • Other Community Partners	Elizabeth Kunz, Grants Manager Dawn Harris, Development Manager Andrea
16	Tues, April 18 5:30-8:30pm	• Child Protective Services Panel • Mandated Reporting • Mandated Reporting Role Plays part 1	Washoe County CPS Placer County CSOC Survivor
17	Thurs, April 20 5:30-8:30pm	• Law Enforcement Panel I. Role of law enforcement II. Law enforcement procedures III. Law enforcement investigation procedures IV. Role of Advocate • Coordination with victims witness centers • Legal Role Plays part 1	Placer County Sheriffs Truckee PD Washoe County Sheriffs Nevada County Victim Witness
18	Tues, April 25 5:30-8:30pm	• District Attorney Panel I. Criminal Justice Process II. Rights of the Victim/Survivor III. Civil Remedies IV. Common Defenses in sexual assault cases V. Role of prosecutor VI. Response to subpoenas VII. Role of advocate during legal and court proceedings Legal Role Plays part 2	Placer County DA Washoe County DA
19	Thurs, April 27 5:30-8:30pm	• Safety & Self Care • Test and Evaluations • Graduation!	Jessica Brown, Client Services & Prevention Director Andrea