



**Texas Police Trainers LLC**  
(In partnership with Five-O Better Life)  
**40-hr Crisis Intervention Training (#1850)**



**Topics covered:**

- Unit 1: Developing a Basic Understanding of CIT
- Unit 2: Defining and discussing the Meaning and Implications of Crisis
- Unit 3: Increasing Awareness of mental Illness and Associated Adversity
- Unit 4: Mental Health Conditions Most Commonly Encountered by Law Enforcement Officers
- Unit 5: Effective Communication Skills to Aid in Working with a Possible Mental Health Crisis
- Unit 6: Deinstitutionalization, Crime and Homelessness as they Relate to Mental Health Issues
- Unit 7: Legal Considerations for a Police Officer Intervening During a Mental Health Crisis
- Unit 8: Jail Diversion Programs and Alternative Options
- Unit 9: Accessing Mental Health Resources in Your Area

**Who should attend:** Texas Peace Officers desiring Intermediate Proficiency Certification, Jailers, Victim Services & Social Workers

**Course information:**

**Hosting Agency:** Hondo Police Department

**Training Location:** South Texas Regional Training Center, 402 Carter, Hondo, TX 78861

**Course Date:** November 17-21, 2025

**Time:** 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

**Length of course:** 40 hours (Training hours will be reported by CLEAT)

**Cost per attendee:** \$150.00

To register, [click here](#) or go to <https://texaspolice trainers.com/tpt-sponsored-training/40-hour-crisis-intervention-training-1850/> or give us a call at 512-766-0659 to pay by phone or to receive an invoice.

**Hotel:** Best Western Hondo Inn, 301 US Highway 90 E., Hondo, Texas 78861-6087. **Make your reservation though Texas Police Trainers at 512-766-0659 to use our Corporate Discount.**

**About the Instructor:** Richard Bryan

Richard Bryan has been in law enforcement since 1989 and is retired as the manager in charge of the Alamo Area Regional Law Enforcement Academy in San Antonio, Texas. Additionally, he is a retired Federal Special Agent and Agent Supervisor from the United States Air Force Office of Special Investigations. “Rich” is a certified Texas Master Peace Officer, certified TCOLE Advanced Law Enforcement Instructor, and Police Instructor through the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC). He is also a Texas certified Mental Health Officer and former Texas licensed insurance person; specializing in retirement and financial annuities. As a member of the Texas CIT Association and due to his professional and personal knowledge and experience of the topics, he actively teaches, crisis intervention training, the mental health officer course, de-escalation techniques, and suicide prevention to peace officers across the State of Texas. Richard earned his Master’s Degree in Criminal Justice Leadership and Management, and a Bachelor’s Degree in Criminal Justice – with a specialization in Sociology. and has received recognition from multiple law enforcement agencies for his professionalism, commitment, and dedication to law enforcement.

**SUBJECT MATTER EXPERTISE AND RELATED EDUCATION:**

Leon Valley Police Department. Patrolman, Field Training Officer, and Patrol Supervisor.

Balcones Heights Police Department. Patrolman, Training Officer, and Training Sergeant.

Crisis Intervention Training – Train the Trainer, Mental Health Officer, and De-Escalation.

Instructor - Crisis Intervention Training (16 Hour, 8 Hour Refresher, and 40 Hour course)

Northside ISD Police Department. Patrolman and Campus Officer at Special Education Campus (Holmgreen Campus, San Antonio).

**NOTE:** As an active CIT Instructor, the CIT courses include guest speakers from local Mental Health Authorities, related non-profit organizations, and Mental Health Officers from local agencies.

