

# MENTAL HEALTH TACTICAL INTERVENTION: DE-ESCALATION TRAINING TO HELP PEOPLE IN BEHAVIORAL HEALTH CRISES

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Dr. Dara Rampersad is a Forensic Psychologist with over 28 years of experience in mental health and crisis intervention. He is certified in Crisis Intervention Teams (CIT) and Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM), and has trained FBI Crisis Negotiator Teams. Dr. Rampersad helped launch multiple CIT programs, including the first hospital-based CIT, and serves as the Senior Director of Crisis Services for a multi-state hospital system.

## ABOUT

AZ POST continuing training credit may be eligible for sworn law enforcement who attend.

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## LOCATION



Maricopa Police  
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