

Learn about mental health topics, Mat-Su specific community resources, and de-escalation techniques for interacting with individuals experiencing a mental health or addiction crisis.

- Employ tactics to safely manage crisis situations.
- Ensure the safety of the officers and citizens.
- Recognize the signs of individuals experiencing mental health or addiction-related crisis in the community.
- Reduce recidivism by partnering with local service providers to direct individuals in crisis to support beyond the criminal justice system.

To register, email Sgt. Derek Cottle with the Alaska State Troopers at:

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Class size is limited to 25 students. Preference is given to previously waitlisted students, Mat-Su law enforcement, and first responders.

Interested participants will be contacted via email to confirm registration and details.