

Office of Mayor Antonio R. Villaraigosa

Office of Homeland Security & Public Safety

## CRISIS RESPONSE TEAM NOW RECRUITING!

CRT members are comprised of community volunteers who at the request of LA Police and LA Fire Departments provide immediate on-scene crisis intervention, attend to immediate survival & comfort needs, act as a liaison between the victim and emergency personnel & give 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 & multi-casualty incidents.

2009 Training for New Team Members

JANUARY 27 - MARCH 12, 2009 TUESDAY & THURSDAY EVENINGS, 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm LOCATION: LA POLICE ACADEMY, WESTCHESTER (LAX)

## Training Topics Include:

- Police & Fire on Scene Protocol w/ Police Detective & Fire personnel.
- Children & Grief w/ LAUSD Mental Health.
- Working in Hospital Emergency Rooms w/ ER Social Workers.
- County Coroner and City/County Victim Assistance Programs.
- Suicide aftermath support w/ Suicide Prevention Center.
- Larger Scale/Multi-Casualty Incidents/NIMS w/LAPD, LAFD & Red Cross.
- Psychological 1<sup>st</sup> Aid/Crisis Intervention w/County Mental Health Dept.
- Skillful/Active Listening & Sacred Silence w/ skilled experts.
- Special Needs w/ City's Disabilities, Aging & Animal Services Depts.
- Cultural & Religious Diversity w/ City's Human Relations Dept.
- Taking Care of Yourself/Secondary Traumatization w/ CRT Mental Health.

Please submit your Resume to: CRISIS RESPONSE TEAM/Mayor's Office Homeland Security & Public Safety

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BILINGUAL VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

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