



Crisis Intervention Team

Miami-Dade County



MIAMI-DADE COUNTY AT GLANCE

Population
Square miles

2.7 million
2400+

Sheriff's Department
Police Municipalities
Department of Corrections

Miami-Dade PD
34

Psychiatric Receiving Facilities
Public Crisis Stabilization Units
Psychiatric Beds
Detox Beds
Treatment Bed
Homeless Point in Time (Jan. 2016)

19
5/19

4,235



CIT PROGRAM TIMELINE

Criminal Mental Health Project 2000

CIT Training 2000

Jail Diversion Program 2003

CIT Program 2003



CIT PROGRAM KEY COMPONENTS

- CIT Program Coordinator
- Training/Curriculum
- Subject Matter Experts
- Partners and Stakeholders
- Facility Representative
- Program Implementation
- Police Liaisons
- Steering Committee
- Operations
- Policies and Procedures



CIT TRAINING

Police agencies have CIT officers	36
Law enforcement officers trained	5600
Communications call-takers/dispatchers	500
Average of 40-hour trainings a year	11-12



CIT TRAINING

40-hour CIT training

8-hour CIT Start-up kit for police recruits

8-hour CIT Advanced for CIT Officers

16-hour CIT for Communications

4-hour CIT Executive Orientation

2-hour Hospital Staff CIT Orientation

2-hour Community CIT Orientation

Memphis Model

Volunteer

Mandated



CIT TRAINING CURRICULUM

Knowledge-based

Intro to Mental Illness, Medications, Veterans/PTSD, Suicide Assess., Co-Occurring, Disabilities, Legal Aspects

Experiencing, Sensitizing, Building Empathy

Class Exercises, Community Tours, Individual Perspective, Communication Skills

Experiential, Practical Application

De-Escalation Scenario-based Role Play

Critique and Feedback

Coaches



TRAINING HOSTS AND SITES

Miami Public Safety Training Institute

Florida Department of Law Enforcement

All Police Agencies

Manuals printed by Sheriff's Department and other law enforcement agencies.



CIT PARTNERS AND STAKEHOLDERS

Law Enforcement

Consumer Network

Peer Specialists

Psychiatric Facilities

Emergency Departments

NAMI

Department of Children and Families

Managing Entity

11th Judicial Circuit Courts

Miami-Dade County Commission

State Attorney's Office

Public Defender's Office

Miami Veterans Hospital

Homeless Trust and Outreach

Mobile Crisis Team

School System

Social Services

Miami-Dade County Opioid Task Force

Business of Commerce

Churches and Synagogues

CIT POLICE AGENCY LIAISONS



Miami-Dade Police Department
12 Districts: 2-3 per district

Police Municipalities
2-3 per agency

All 19 psychiatric receiving facilities have CIT Liaisons and required to attend all CIT Steering Committee meetings.



CIT PROGRAM IMPLEMENTATION

Law Enforcement Leadership buy in

Police Officer buy in

Policies & Procedures

CIT Steering Committee Quarterly Meetings

CIT Police Liaison Meetings

Police Department CIT Meetings

CIT Statewide Quarterly Meeting

Police Agency CIT Liaison



CIT OPERATIONS Procedures

Reporting Concerns

Relationship with Licensing Entities

Relationship with Providers and licensed agencies

Relationship with Social Services

- *Department of Children and Families*
- *Managing Entity*
- *Florida Agency for Healthcare Admin.*
- *Mobile Crisis Team*

CIT OPERATIONS Procedures



Linking law enforcement to resources

Linking Individuals or families to resources

Linking medical professionals/community services to CIT program

Linking specialty court programs to CIT law enforcement

CIT OPERATIONS

Procedures



- Identifying high risk/high utilizers who are diverted to treatment
- Identifying individuals with mental illness who enter the criminal justice system



CIT PROGRAM OUTCOMES

- Active collaboration within community stakeholders.
- Safer more efficient hospital and facility guidelines and procedures.
- Improved and more efficient court procedures regarding Substance Abuse Act and Mental Health Act.
- Strong alliance with police legal bureau, licensing entity, managing entity developing and streamlining policy and procedures.
- Open communication and access to law enforcement.
- Access to care coordination.



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