

**JANUARY- FEBRUARY 2023**

**DISASTER  
RESPONSE CRISIS  
COUNSELOR  
CERTIFICATION  
VIRTUAL SCHEDULE**



**Disaster & Terrorism  
Branch**

NJ DHS Division of Mental Health and Addiction Services

For more information on exact requirements to be certified and to start an online application please visit:  
<https://njdrcc.org/index.php>

Please see the 4 required initial courses below. The Introductory and Key Concepts in Psychological First Aid courses have been broken up into two 3-hour segments. You must take BOTH to receive credit and complete the requirements.

To register click directly on the dates and times in blue.

**Introduction to Disaster and Trauma Counseling:  
Basic Training for Disaster Response Crisis  
Counselors (PART I of II)**

[January 23rd at 9:00 AM \(3 Hours\)](#)

**Introduction to Disaster and Trauma Counseling:  
Basic Training for Disaster Response Crisis  
Counselors (PART II of II)**

[January 24<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM \(3 Hours\)](#)

**Key Concepts in Psychological First Aid  
(PART I of II)**

[January 30<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM \(3 Hours\)](#)

**Key Concepts in Psychological First Aid  
(PART II of II)**

[January 31<sup>st</sup> at 9:00AM \(3 Hours\)](#)

**Cross Cultural Issues in Disaster Response**

[February 6<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM \(3 Hours\)](#)

**Ethical Issues In Crisis Response**

[February 7<sup>th</sup> at 9:00 AM \(3 Hours\)](#)

For any questions on the certification process/next steps contact [Tperrotta@mhani.org](mailto:Tperrotta@mhani.org)

For questions on registration/training contact [Annie.Westerman@dhs.nj.gov](mailto:Annie.Westerman@dhs.nj.gov)

To satisfy the requirement of Incident Command System (ICS100) please complete the online exam HERE (Please save a copy of the certificate on your computer) [https://emilms.fema.gov/is\\_0100c/curriculum/1.html](https://emilms.fema.gov/is_0100c/curriculum/1.html)

To satisfy the requirement of National Incident Management System (NIMS700) please complete the online exam HERE (Please save a copy of the certificate on your computer) [https://emilms.fema.gov/is\\_0700b/curriculum/1.html](https://emilms.fema.gov/is_0700b/curriculum/1.html)