PREPaRE Workshop 2:
Mental Health Crisis Interventions:
Responding to an Acute Traumatic Stressor in Schools

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This workshop develops the knowledge and skill required to provide immediate mental health crisis interventions to the students, staff, and school community members who have been simultaneously exposed to an acute traumatic stressor. The knowledge and skill developed within this session also help to build a bridge to the psychotherapeutic and trauma informed mental health response sometimes required to address challenges associated with trauma exposure. This workshop is an excellent course for all mental health professionals in your district who provide mental health crisis intervention services. It also provides a specific examination of the school-based mental health professionals' roles and responsibilities, with a special emphasis on crisis intervention and recovery.

Who Should Receive Workshop 2 Training?
PREPaRE Workshop 2 is appropriate for any individual filling the role of crisis intervention specialist. This includes school mental health staff (school psychologists, social workers, counselors and nurses), administrators, and other individuals whom the team has identified as appropriate providers of psychological first aid. Additionally, this workshop can be very helpful for community-based mental health practitioners who may work with the school crisis team and/or maybe brought in to the school assist in response to a crisis.

**Dates:** January 21, 22, 28 AND 29, 2021 *(must attend all sessions)*
**Time:** 8:30 am – 12:00 pm
**Cost:** $299 for subscribers / $349 for non-subscribers *(includes materials)*
**Audience:** School based mental healthcare professionals, administrators, and school crisis intervention team members.
**Location:** LIVE ONLINE via ZOOM
**Register:** [http://webreg.esboces.org](http://webreg.esboces.org)

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- Under ‘Search Options’ at the top center, select and check ‘Eastern Suffolk BOCES Professional Development Program’ from the drop down list and click search;
- Workshops are listed in chronological order
- Select the title of the course you would like to enroll in
- Click the ENROLL button at the bottom of the page
- Select the correct login method that applies to you (1) registered user; (2) new user; (3) MyLearningPlan.com user
- After you choose your login method then Enter User Name & Password – select Log in
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- Click Update & Continue
- Select payment method
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- Click SUBMIT

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