

SAFETY FUNCTION ACTION STRATEGIES & TACTICS

NOVEMBER 9, 10, 11 & 12, 2009



**SAFETY
FUNCTION
ACTION**
FOR DISASTER RESPONDERS

During emergencies and large scale disasters, it is important to ensure individuals, families, and organizations are looked after and cared for during and after such an event.

Safety Function Action Training from the DEEP Centre based at Miami University, provides first responders as well as secondary responders with training and techniques to support and restore the resilience and well-being of emergency responders and disaster survivors.

Day One will provide the introductory SFA training and Day Two and Three are advanced training geared to those that will take this unique training back to their respective communities and apply the general SFA training to their community responders.

SAFETY FUNCTION ACTION is a framework for achieving and maintaining a high level of disaster health and well-being



Disaster & Extreme Event Preparedness

Dr. Jim Schultz has trained first response agencies in both the United States and Canada. Most recently in British Columbia.

Trainer Biographies:

James M. Shultz MS, PhD

Dr. James M. Shultz is Founder and Director, **Center for Disaster and Extreme Event Preparedness (DEEP Center)** and Co-Director, Miami Center for Public Health Preparedness, Department of Epidemiology and Public Health, University of Miami Miller School of Medicine, Miami, Florida where he is an Associate Professor (Voluntary Faculty). Dr. Shultz also serves as an adjunct faculty member at the University of Minnesota School of Public Health, Florida International University Stempel School of Public Health, Barry University, and Ross University School of Medicine.

He has served as a Consultant to the Terrorism and Disaster Center and Disaster Research Training programs at the Oklahoma University Health Sciences Center. He is a member of the Behavioral Health Task Force for the Medical Reserve Corps.

Dr. Shultz trains public health, behavioral health, and hospital-based professionals, and their community preparedness and response partners, in disaster behavioral health and emergency preparedness.

Alan Dick MSW, RSW has worked in various hospital programs including community mental health, trauma and CrCU since 1993. Currently working in acute care at Sunnybrook, Alan has a secondary position as Supervisor of the **Psychosocial Health Team, part of the Emergency Medical Assistance Team (EMAT)**, Ontario's mobile emergency medical team. Through EMAT and the IDEAS (Inter-professional Disaster and Emergency Action Studies) Network Alan has been involved in at least 20 different disaster exercises during the last 5 years as either an organizer or responder. Actual responses that he has been involved in have included: 9/11, SARS and the First Nations Kashechewan E Coli evacuation. Alan is a member of several psychosocial response planning committees at both the municipal and federal levels. He has a special interest in the psychosocial response role hospitals play

Session Information:

Choose either Day One OR Day Two:

Day One, November 9th, 2009 (General SFA Training) OR

Day Two, November 10th, 2009 (General SFA Training)

Session:	Description:	Time & Location:
SFA Training \$50/day	This general session is for individuals that are responsible for the health and social wellbeing of survivors during emergencies. It is geared to First Responders, Emergency Social Services, Public Health, NGOs and Senior Administration (maximum = 100 people/day)	November 9th or November 10th, 2009 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. GTAA—AESC Conference Rooms 1 & 2

Day Three & Four, November 11th & 12th (Trainer the Trainer)*

Session:	Description:	Time & Location:
SFA Train the Trainer (2 Day training) \$160	These 2 days are for individuals who have completed Day One above and plan on providing the SFA General SFA training within their own respective communities. (maximum = 40 people)	November 11 & 12, 2009 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. GTAA—AESC Conference Rooms 1 & 2

Registration for each day will begin at 8 a.m. and the sessions will begin at 9 a.m.

* To participate in the Train the Trainer Sessions, you must take Day One or Day Two as a Prerequisite

* Depending on numbers of registrants, Day One and Two may be combined at the organizers discretion

2009 Online Registration Process Safety Function Action Training Sessions

Steps for Online Registration:	Procedures:	
1. To Create an Account <i>(This is a one-time process)</i>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Go to www.cwitraining.torontocas.ca 2. Click on “login” on the top right hand corner. 3. Click on “Sign up here!” above the login box. 4. Now fill in the required fields and click “Submit”. 5. A verification email will then be sent to your email account to verify that you are the owner of the email account. Click on “Confirmation Link” embedded within the email. If you are unable to click on the link, copy & paste the link onto your web browser and proceed with the confirmation process from there. 6. Go to www.cwitraining.torontocas.ca The first time you login, you will be prompted to the account update page. If you have no changes, just click on “Submit” to get you out of the page. 7. You are now ready to register online. Your profile can always be updated under “My Page”. 	
2. To Register Online	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Go to www.cwitraining.torontocas.ca 2. Click on “login” on the top right hand corner. 3. Once you log in, the calendar or course list will show you workshops that are offered to public users only. You can browse through the list of workshops by clicking either the “Workshops” or “Calendar” blue button located on the top left hand corner. 4. By clicking a “Register” button, your registration request will be sent to the Child Welfare Institute for approval. Your registration status at this stage is “Pending”. 5. Once you are accepted into the course, you will receive an email notifying you that payment is required within 10 business days from the email sent. 	
3. To Make Payment	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Go to www.cwitraining.torontocas.ca 2. Click on “login” on the top right hand corner. 3. Click on “My Page” on the top right hand corner. 4. Click on “View My Upcoming Registrations” and click on the workshop you would like to pay for. 5. If you pay by VISA or MasterCard, your registration will get approved right away. 6. If you pay by cheque, your registration will remain in “Pending Approval” status until the Child Welfare Institute receives payment. Please make sure that the cheque number is entered in the note section after you select “cheque” as your payment option. Don't forget to put your name and the workshop / conference title on the cheque before you mail it in. 7. Approval will then be granted, if spaces are available, after payment is made. 8. Print off the final confirmation email for your records and bring it along with you to the workshop. 	
4. Payment by Cheque	Send a cheque by MAIL to: Children’s Aid Society of Toronto Child Welfare Institute Attn: Anne Kwok 30 Isabella Street, 7th Floor Toronto, ON M4Y 1N1	Make Cheques Payable to: Children’s Aid Society of Toronto *Note: “ SFA Workshop ” on the cheque REGISTRATION DEADLINE: October 30th, 2009
For registration inquiries, cancellations & technical support, contact Anne Kwok at akwok@torontocas.ca or 416-924-4640 x 2780 Anne Kwok T: 416-924-4640 x 2780 F: 416-324-2324 www.childwelfareinstitute.torontocas.ca www.cwitraining.torontocas.ca		
Payment will not be taken on the Day of the Event		

PLEASE NOTE THAT DUE TO THE UNCERTAINTIES WITH THE CURRENT H1N1 FLU PANDEMIC, THIS TRAINING MAY BE CANCELLED OR RESCHEDULED TO A LATER DATE. REFUNDS WILL BE ISSUED TO ALL REGISTRANTS FOR CANCELATIONS.

Sponsoring Organizations



Directions to the Airport Emergency Support Centre (AESC) Conference Rooms

Parking Instructions: Please park across from the AESC building in the overflow parking

