

TO: All NDCISM Team Members and Other GRIN Trained Individuals

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RE: Building Skills for Crisis Intervention Teams Course

The NDCISM Team will be hosting a *Building Skills for Crisis Intervention Teams* course on December 14 - 15, 2024 (Saturday/Sunday). This course is for individuals who have already attended the GRIN training and seek to further their intervention skills and broaden their CISM knowledge base.

This course will be held at the Health Response and Licensure (HRL) Section office at 1720 Burlington Drive – Ste A, Bismarck ND. The course is expected to run 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM daily. Current NDCISM team members and those who agree to join the NDCISM team will be reimbursed for rooms, meals, and mileage at state-approved rates. Non-team members will need to pay their expenses and will not be eligible for reimbursement. **There is no charge for the course itself.** The maximum number of attendees for the course is 75, with preference given to applicants from the NDCISM Team.

The deadline for course acceptance is close of business on **Wednesday, November 27, 2024**. To claim your spot in this course, complete the attached application and return it to the HRL office either by USPS at the address listed below or via email to dems@nd.gov.

If you have submitted your registration but have not received a confirmation letter by COB December 6, 2024, contact Kari Kuhn at kkuhn@nd.gov.

See the attached course description and agenda for further details.

If you have questions or need additional information, contact me at 701-328-4521 or aaarhus@nd.gov.