# AFTERSHOCK: Responding to the After Effects of Unexpected Mass Violence







LOCATION

MAHEC Mary C. Nesbitt Biltmore Campus

**Education Building** 

121 Hendersonville Rd, Asheville NC 28803

**DATE** 

Wednesday, February 26, 2020

REGISTRATION **PROGRAM** 

8:30 am–9:00 am (light breakfast provided)

9:00 am-4:30 pm (lunch provided)

**SNOW DATE** Wednesday, March 11, 2020

#### **EARLY REGISTRATION FEES THROUGH FEBRUARY 19, 2020**

**PROGRAM FEE** \$99.00

**FIVE OR MORE FROM** \$75.00

**SAME AGENCY** (must register at the same time)

**RN REFRESHER** 

**STUDENTS &** 

(must show student ID at check-in)

**STUDENTS** 

**MAHEC EMPLOYEES** 

Free

(must register to attend)

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### **DESCRIPTION**

Violence in our society has unfortunately become an all too common part of daily life. Large scale mass casualty incidents present significant challenges for immediate response as well as for coping in the aftermath as communities attempt to recover. Human service professionals and emergency responders play multiple roles throughout these processes. It is essential that human service professionals recognize complex issues from both an internal and practice standpoint, and are prepared to respond to as they work within highly-charged, traumatic environments.

#### **FACULTY**

Matt Sullivan, JD, MSW | As the town of Chapel Hill's Fire Chief, and as a member of the town's executive staff, Matt Sullivan is responsible for oversight, development and implementation of the town's strategic vision. Prior to his appointment as Fire Chief, he served as the town's Emergency Management Coordinator, which included, directing all emergency management efforts, assisting with the development of emergency preparedness plans, and providing practical oversight for the Emergency Operations Center.

Prior to these recent appointments, Matt spent 26 years in the Chapel Hill Police Department, where he served in a variety of roles including staff legal advisor, interim police attorney, police crisis counselor, narcotics investigator, public safety officer, departmental hostage negotiator, community police officer, crime prevention officer and as a youth services DARE officer.

This presenter is being supported through a partnership between the UNC-CH, School of Social Work and the **NC AHEC Program** 

#### **OBJECTIVES**

Upon completion of this program, participants will be able to:

- List multiple roles that human service professionals may play in responding to incidents of mass violence in a community.
- Discuss possible signs and symptoms of traumatic stress that may present in individuals.
- · Explain how to recognize symptoms of secondary trauma and compassion fatigue.
- · List viable strategies that can be utilized for self-care when working within emotionally charged traumatic environments.
- Outline the importance of an organizational continuity of operations plan (COOP) and the challenges presented by mass casualty violence incidents.

#### **AGENDA**

8:30-9:00 On-Site Registration / Check-In (light

breakfast provided)

9:00-10:30 Immediate Impacts after an Incident of Mass

Violence — Challenges Presented

Roles of Human Services Professionals and **Emergency Responders During Incidents of** 

Community Mass Violence

Response Considerations / Planning

**10:30–10:45** Break (with refreshments)

10:45–12:15 Signs and Symptoms of Traumatic Stress

Recognizing Symptoms of Secondary Trauma and Compassion Fatigue

Effective Self-Care Strategies to Apply in Emotionally-Charged, Traumatic

Environments

Introduction to Designing an Organizational Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP)

12:15-1:15 Lunch (provided)

1:15-2:45 Practicum / Table Top Exercise

Reactions

2:45-3:00 Break (with refreshments)

3:00-3:30 Table Top Discussion

> Development of Crisis Response Plans and COOPs for Key Areas in Western North

Carolina

Group Discussion of Comprehensive Crisis 3:30-4:30

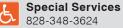
Response Plans / COOP / Logistics and Community Implementation; Questions and

Planning for Follow Up

4:30 Adjournment

#### HAVE A QUESTION?

**Contact the Program Planner** 



Barbara Warren, MSW, LCSW, LCAS-A, CFT

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#### **AUDIENCE**

All interested health and human services professionals, as well as emergency responders.

#### REGISTRATION

#### Early registration deadline: February 19, 2020

The program registration fee is \$99.00; \$75.00 for Five or more from same agency; \$49.00 for RN Refresher & Students; or free for MAHEC employees. These fees include administrative costs, educational materials, refreshments, and lunch. If your registration is received after the above deadline, the total fee will be the registration fee + \$15.00.

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- · No vouchers will be issued in lieu of a refund
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RN REFRESHER STUDENTS & STUDENTS	\$49.00 \$64.00 (after 2/19/20) (students must provide ID at check-in)	
MAHEC EMPLOYEES	Free (must register to attend)	
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