Alameda County BEHAVIORAL HEALTH INTERPRETER TRAINING (BHIT)

Interpreter Training April 11-12, 2019 8:30AM-4:30PM

Alameda County BHIT

INTERPRETER
TRAINING
Intensive Skill-Building
Curriculum for
Interpreters:

- 2-Day
- 14 Hours

TRAINING SITE:
1900 Embarcadero Cove
Suite 101
Brooklyn Basin/Tilden
Room
Oakland, CA 94606

SEATING IS LIMITED TO FIRST 40 PARTICIPANTS

The BHIT was developed by the National Latino Behavioral Health Association (NLBHA).

Behavioral Health Interpreter Training (BHIT)

The need to communicate effectively and convey information in a manner that is easily understood by Limited English Proficient (LEP) clients in any clinical situation in which behavioral health services are provided is critical. The number of LEP clients far exceeds the available number of bilingual, bi-cultural behavioral health professionals. Properly trained Interpreters can fill a critical role in improving the quality of care to clients whose first language is not English, ensuring accurate and complete communication to minimize risk and maximize appropriate care.

Training of Interpreters

This intensive 2-day, 14-hour, workshop is designed to immerse bilingual interpreters in the principles and practices of interpreter communication skills. Participants must be proficiently fluent in at least one language other than English.

Who should attend this training?

Direct service staff, clinicians, administrative support staff, community members, contractors, consumers, case managers and others who use their bilingual skills to interpret for agencies.

*Morning refreshments and Lunch will be provided to participants.

Please register online at:

http://alameda.netkeepers.com

For registration help please contact:

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