ATIXA Violence Risk Assessment with NABITA Endorsement
Training & Certification Course Sample Agenda

Description:
Violence Risk Assessment (VRA) with NABITA Endorsement is a half-day course that will introduce participants to the VRA process. The Title IX regulations mandate an individualized safety or risk analysis if an institution is going to limit educational access (e.g., emergency removal), which can often take the form of a Violence Risk Assessment. This program will help practitioners implement an evidence-based process that reduces bias, mitigates legal risk exposure, and ensures consistency in determining (1) if a VRA is warranted, (2) who should conduct the VRA, and (3) what to do after receiving the VRA results report. Those who attend the training will receive information on how to vet those conducting a VRA, how the VRA differs from other types of assessments, and how to work collaboratively with behavioral intervention/care/threat assessment teams to ensure an effective and thorough process.

Learning Outcomes:
Participants will be able to…

▪ Explain the steps of the Violence Risk Assessment process
▪ Distinguish between general, psychological, threat, and violence risk assessments
▪ Describe the key components of a good violence risk estimate
▪ Evaluate potential VRA assessors’ skills and training to determine if they meet the institution’s needs
▪ Develop effective collaboration and communication between the BIT and Title IX staff
▪ Interpret VRA reports to inform decision-making about emergency removal and supportive measures

11:30 AM – 3:30 PM

Introduction
▪ 2020 Title IX Regulations
▪ Emergency Removal
▪ When to Refer for a Violence Risk Assessment

Behavioral Intervention Teams Overview
▪ Defining BIT
▪ Mission/Scope
▪ Membership/Leadership
▪ BIT Process
Overlap of BIT and Title IX

- Process Differences
- BIT Referrals from Title IX
- Title IX Referrals from BIT
- VRA
- Information Sharing

Violence Risk Assessment Overview

- Types of Assessments
- Components of an Effective Violence Risk Assessment
- Who Should Conduct a VRA?

VRA Results

- Report Contents
- Using Results to Inform Decisions
- Considerations When Results are Challenged

NOTE: Training will include one morning and one afternoon break (approximately 10 minutes each). Training start and end times for in-person events are determined by the host site. All virtual training sessions take place from 11:30 AM – 3:30 PM ET unless otherwise specified.