Understanding and Responding to School Bullying

Training Overview:

This training will explore practical instructional strategies for preventing, responding to and breaking the cycle of bullying in schools, including the escalating problem of cyberbullying, which includes using text messaging, social networking websites and cell phones to bully and harass peers. Each attendee will be provided resources that are user friendly for school based activities as well as strategies to teach students responsible use of social networking. This training will also focus on legal issues and the necessary elements of a comprehensive school cyberbullying policy, warning signs and strategies for preventing cyberbullying.

Topics to Be Covered:

- Historical perspective of Bullying

- Cyberbullying

- Legal Issues pertaining to Bullying

- Bullying prevention strategies

- Bullying and the LGBT community

- Understanding the role of the bystander

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