

VIOLENCE PREVENTION FOR MENTAL HEALTH PRACTITIONERS



COURSE DESCRIPTION

The course is intended to give practicing mental health providers an understanding of targeted violence and the warning signs they might observe in their practice, how to do a basic assessment to determine if an individual is at imminent risk for violence, and considerations for how to respond if a client is at risk.

DURATION

4 hours

COST

Free

COURSE TYPE

Online eLearning

Asynchronous Training

INSTRUCTOR(S)



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AUDIENCE

California Mental Health professionals

PREREQUISITES

A licensed or credentialed mental health
practitioners in California

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

- **Apply** the biopsychosocial ecological model to understanding risk for targeted violence;
- **Identify** acute behavioral indicators of targeted violence risk;
- **Practice** effective use of violence risk assessment in clinical practice; and
- **Identify** appropriate responses to violence risk if encountered in their practice.

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How to Access Your Online Training

A step-by-step guide to creating your account and accessing your course on the Moonshot learning platform.

1 Go to the Moonshot Training Website

Open your web browser and go to:

moonshot-training.tovuti.io

2 Create Your Account

On the login page, click **Create an Account** or **Register**. You will be taken to the Account Registration form.

Fill in all required fields (marked with an asterisk *):

- **First Name** and **Last Name**
- **Email address** — use the email you check regularly
- **Username** and **Password** of your choice
- **Title** (e.g., Male, Female, Nonbinary, N/A)
- **Mobile Phone, Job Title, and Organization/Agency/Institution Name**
- **Country** and **State**
- Whether you are a **licensed or credentialed mental health provider** — if yes, provide your license type, licensing state, and license number; if no, enter N/A

You may also fill in optional fields: Preferred Name, how long you've been in your profession, prior violence prevention training experience, and how you heard about the course.

When complete, check the **I'm not a robot** box and click **Register**.

3 Log In and Access Your Dashboard

After registering, log in with your username and password. You will be taken to your **Dashboard**, which shows your course progress, badges, and certificates.

4 Select and Start Your Course

In the left-hand navigation menu, click **Courses**. You will see all available courses, including:

- **School Counselor's Role in Violence Prevention** (20 Lessons)
- **Violence Prevention for Mental Health Practitioners** (18 Lessons)

Click on the course that applies to you to begin.

Need help? If you experience any difficulties accessing the platform or your course, please contact us at BayAreaTraining@moonshotteam.com.