1. **Course Title and Number of Credits:**
   CSP 628  Crisis Intervention and Management for Counselors 1 credit

2. **Course Description:**
   This is an online course that introduces the counseling student to basic theories and techniques of crisis intervention and management. This course is to be taken concurrently with CSP 651, Counseling for Substance Abuse and Addiction.

3. **Prerequisites and Restrictions:**
   Permission of the Program director

4. **Course Objectives:**
   2. To introduce effects of crisis, trauma, and disaster on the individual (II.G.2.a., CMH A.9., K.5.)
   3. To examine the effects of crisis, trauma, and disaster in an organization such as a school, university, or workplace (II.G.2.a., G.3.c., CMH L.3)
   4. To introduce the Crisis Management Plan (II.G.1.c., G.5.g., CMH A.10.)
   5. To explore the counselor’s role on crisis management teams (II.G.1.c., CMH A.10.)

5. **Student Learning Outcomes: The student will be able to:**
   1. Have an understanding of the effects of crisis, trauma, and disaster on the individual as demonstrated by online class discussion (CMH L.3.)
   2. Have an understanding of the effects of crisis, trauma, and disaster on an organization such as a school, university, and workplace as demonstrated by online class discussion
   3. Conceptualize the counselors role on a crisis management team as demonstrated by formation of crisis management team.
   4. Demonstrate the ability to develop a basic crisis management plan as evidenced by development of a community crisis management plan.

6. **Course Content:**
   - Defining crisis
   - Types of crisis
   - Theories of crisis intervention
Basic crisis intervention skills and techniques
Assessing a crisis
Crisis management teams and plans
Applying crisis intervention to diverse populations

7. **Teaching/Learning Methods:**
   - BlackBoard Discussion
   - BlackBoard group work

8. **Evaluation Methods:**
   1. Formation of Crisis Management Team
   2. Development of Community Crisis Management Plan
   3. BlackBoard Discussion

9. **Required Texts/Readings:**

10. **Preparer's Name and Date:**
    Paula R. Danzinger, Ph.D.  November, 2007

11. **Department Approval Date:** November, 2007

12. **Reviser(s) Name(s) and Date(s):** Paula R, Danzinger, Ph.D., Fall, 2008

13. **Revision Approval Date:**

14. **Bibliography:**

   Charles, L.L. (2007). Disarming people with words: Strategies of interactional communication that crisis (hostage negotiators share with systemic clinicians. *Journal of Marital and Family Therapy*, 33, 51-68


