

Mental Health and CIT Subcommittee

- I. Review of current FCPD policies and practices and Fairfax County capacities to interact and treat persons in physical or mental health crisis or those with intellectual disabilities, including:
 - A. Review of FCPD Crisis Intervention Training policies and practices
 - B. Evaluation of how quality and curriculum of FCPD CIT compares with national models

- II. Review of “best practices” in responding to vulnerable persons, including:
 - A. DOJ reports on Cleveland, Ferguson and Philadelphia police departments and the March 2015 Interim Report of the President’s Task Force on 21st Century Policing
 - B. Policies for identifying and responding to individuals with known or suspected vulnerabilities
 - C. Policies for providing enhanced CIT to a subset of officers to allow for ready availability of trained officers at the scenes of incidents involving vulnerable persons
 - D. Policies for requiring, whenever possible, at least one officer with enhanced CIT to respond to situations involving vulnerable persons where force might be used
 - E. Policies for training officers on how to identify and respond to commonly occurring medical emergencies such as seizures or diabetic emergencies that may at first appear to reflect failure to comply with lawful orders

- III. Based on the review of existing FCPD policies and practices and a review of the policies and practices of other jurisdictions and the cited and other resources, develop proposed recommendations for changes and/or next steps to the Board of Supervisors for consideration by the Commission