



# 28th Nebraska Statewide Critical Incident Stress Management Conference

Holiday Inn, Kearney, NE  
August 11 & 12, 2018

Nebraska CISM Members and Non-Members Welcome

## CONFERENCE INFORMATION

**TRAVEL & LODGING:** Holiday Inn, Kearney, NE. Conference participants must make their own travel and lodging arrangements. A block of 50 rooms has been reserved at Kearney Holiday Inn until July 25. Rooms are priced at \$97.95 per night plus taxes. Please say it is for the Critical Incident Stress Management Conference when making reservation. The phone number to the Holiday Inn is (308) 237-5971.

**CONTINUING EDUCATION:** This program meets the criteria of an approved continuing education program for mental health practice, EMS, and law enforcement for a total of 9.0 hours.

**QUESTIONS ABOUT THE CONFERENCE:** If you have any questions regarding the conference, call or e-mail Debbie Kuhn at 402-326-0173 or email [debbie.kuhn@nebraska.gov](mailto:debbie.kuhn@nebraska.gov).

## This conference is brought to you by:

- Wallace Barnett Jr. CISM Memorial Foundation,
- Nebraska CISM Interagency Management Committee,
- Nebraska Department of Health and Human Services - Emergency Health Systems

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## CONFERENCE SPEAKERS

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### **Boston Marathon Bombing & Watertown Shootout/Manhunt: Lessons Learned** by Chief Michael Lawn

Chief Michael Lawn will discuss in depth the circumstances of the bombing and Watertown. He will discuss the shootout and the subsequent manhunt for the suspect. He will educate the participants on lessons learned by what went right and what went wrong. Finally, he will discuss the aftermath and the challenges his department faced especially around Critical Incident response.



Chief Michael Lawn is in his 29th year as a member of the Watertown Police Department. Chief Lawn was promoted to Chief of the department in January of 2016. Chief Lawn was appointed to the WPD in October of 1989. He spent his first seven years assigned to the night patrol division. He then became one of the department's first community police officers, being one of the department's first police officers to ride the police bicycle. In January of 1999 he was assigned to the detective division as the night detective. He remained there until March of 2000 when he was promoted to Sergeant. He then returned to the night patrol division where he worked until May of 2001 when he was transferred to the administrative services division day shift. Chief Lawn worked in this position until May of 2002 when he was promoted to Lieutenant and assigned to the Detective Division. Chief Lawn was the Detective Division commander and Press Information officer until being promoted to Chief.

### **Human Trafficking in the Heartland: Realize, Recognize, and Respond** by Anna Brewer

This course will enable the audience to "Realize" that sex trafficking happens anywhere, even in Nebraska; it will help the audience "Recognize" the signs - in both their personal and professional lives; and it will offer a venue through which the audience can "Respond". The course will also discuss critical incident response and the management for first responders who are exposed to sex trafficking.



**Anna Brewer** was employed by the FBI for 24 years and held assignments in Washington DC, Reno, Nevada, and Omaha, Nebraska. As a Special Agent assigned in Reno, Nevada, Anna established and managed an Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force, and established and managed a Child Exploitation Task Force to combat child sex trafficking. In 2009, she transferred to the FBI Office in Omaha, Nebraska, where Anna initiated and led the effort to establish and operate what became known as the Omaha Child Exploitation Task Force, a standing multi-agency task force dealing with sex trafficking and sexual exploitation of children. Over the years, Anna has trained over 15,500 law enforcement officials, prosecutors, advocates, health care providers, first responders, among many other groups as a Human Trafficking Training Consultant with the Women's Fund of Omaha.

Currently, Anna is employed as an Investigator with the Nebraska Attorney General's Office assigned to investigate all human trafficking matters in Nebraska. Anna volunteers with various non-profit organizations and faith groups, including the Coalition On Human Trafficking, Carole's House of Hope, and Magdalene Omaha, to educate the community regarding human trafficking. In February 2016, Anna was recognized by the Nebraska Attorney General, Doug Peterson, with the Nebraska IMPACT Award, for her efforts to combat human trafficking in Nebraska.

### **Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department Response to the Oct 1st Tragedy** by Bill Gibbs

Bill Gibbs will present the response of the LVMPD to the October 1<sup>st</sup> shooting on Las Vegas Blvd. There will be a detailed description of the response as an agency, He will share what they have learned and what they have in place for the future.



Bill Gibbs moved to Las Vegas from Scranton, Pennsylvania after being offered employment with the Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department. He began his career in January of 2002. Bill worked as a patrol officer in the Downtown Area Command for 5 years, a motor officer in traffic for 8 years and was appointed, by the Sheriff, to the Police Employee Assistance Program (PEAP) as a Peer Counselor in May of 2015. He was subsequently promoted to PEAP Manager in March of 2017. Bill has always been drawn towards caring for others having worked as a Licensed Practical Nurse for 12 years prior to his law enforcement career and continues to maintain his professional license. His experience with PEAP following his own officer involved shooting in 2011 is what sparked his interest in working there. He is honored to give back to others what he has received from PEAP.

In his 16 years with the LVMPD Bill has been the recipient of two medals of "Meritorious Service", two medals of "Exemplary Service" and the LVMPD's highest honor the "Medal of Valor".

Bill and his staff are trained in CISM, SafeTalk & suicide awareness and prevention Bill attended the Centers for Grief and Loss in Fort Collins, Colorado and numerous other peer support related trainings.

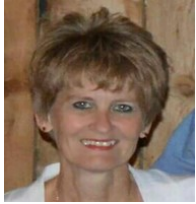
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### First Responders & The Mentally Ill by Shannon Black, PhD

Shannon Black will educate the participants with a brief overview of mental illness signs and tips to effectively manage interactions with individuals with a mental disability, illness, or injury. She will also give an overview of mental disorder and personality types, potential for violence and emergency protective custody process.



Dr. Black obtained her Master's and Doctoral degrees from the University of Nebraska Clinical Psychology Training Program. She completed her pre-doctoral internship at the United States Medical Center for Federal Prisoners in Springfield, Missouri and received her doctoral degree in 1994. She provided services at the Penitentiary and Lincoln Correctional Center, including supervision of the sex offender program. In 1999, Dr. Black became the clinical director of the Nebraska State Patrol Sex Offender Registry, completing risk assessments, community notification and testifying in administrative hearings relative to the risk level of registered offenders. She provided testimony to the legislature regarding various statutory changes specific to the registry. In 2008, she joined the Lincoln Regional Center sex offender program where she now serves as program director. She currently serves as the Associate Statewide Clinical Director.

Dr. Black has served on community and professional boards throughout her career such as the Rape/Spouse Abuse Crisis Center (nka Voices of Hope), CISM, and the Nebraska Psychological Association. She served as board member, secretary, treasurer, president-elect, president and past-president with NPA. She was awarded the Psychologist of the Year Award from NPA in 2009.

### “I can only please one person per day, Today I choose me! “ by Kacey Woodliff

You are great at helping, providing, listening, supporting, giving, saying "yes" and so on..... but do you have a "disease to please"? Are you stressed out, maxed out, burnt out, pooped out and well just plain "out"?



If your choices are draining you, this is a red flag ladies and gents! You could be committing a very serious crime! Ask yourself, are your every day choices costing you what matters most in your life?

Kacey Woodliff was born and raised outside of a beautiful, little rural Wisconsin town, on a dairy farm with two hard working, kind, dedicated parents. On the farm she learned to have a love for animals and the rural lifestyle at a very young age. Horses soon became her passion and obsession when she started working at a local riding stable and went to college and studied everything about them.

After college, She was fortunate enough to have the opportunity to work at a hand full of different places, training horses, riding in feedlots, teaching & mentoring riding, being a counselor for teenagers and also working and volunteering on a few ambulance services as an EMT.

Kacey is an EGCM® Certified Practitioner and also the Founder & Owner of Embracing Life Through Horses and Kc Photography. She studied at Touched By A Horse® of Longmont, CO and the Iowa Equestrian Center of Cedar Rapids, IA and has an AAS in Horse Science Technology. Through her schooling Kacey has a wide variety of experiences with riding, training, mentoring, coaching and instructing people through Equine-Based Learning.

Kacey is also a Nationally Registered EMT, EMS Training Officer and CPR/First Aid Instructor. She is also a member of the Nebraska CISM team.



# CONFERENCE AGENDA

## FRIDAY, August 10, 2018

- 7:30 - 10:00 p.m.      **Social Time** (Hors d'oeuvres provided)
- 6:00 - 7:30 p.m.      CISM Management Meeting - (Interagency Management Committee, Regional Clinical Directors, CISM Coordinators, and Callout People ONLY) **Stateroom A**

## SATURDAY, August 11, 2018 – Members and Non-Members Welcome (with paid registration)

- 7:00 – 8:00 a.m.      **Registration**
- 8:00 – 8:15 a.m.      **Welcome**
- 8:15 - 10:15 a.m.      **Boston Marathon Bombing & Watertown Shootout/Manhunt: Lessons Learned** - Chief Michael Lawn
- 10:30 – 12:30 p.m.      **Human Trafficking in the Heartland** - Anna Brewer
- 12:30 – 1:45 p.m.      **LUNCH** (provided) and  
Wallace Barnett CISM Memorial Foundation Annual Meeting
- 1:45 – 3:45 p.m.      **Las Vegas Metropolitan Police Department Response to the Oct 1st Tragedy** - Bill Gibbs
- 4:00 - 4:45 p.m.      **Troop Meetings**  
D & E in Suite # 176  
A & C in Stateroom B & C  
B & HQ in Executive Room (2nd Floor)
- 5:30 – 7:30 p.m.      **Banquet & Awards**                      **Stateroom E & F**
- 7:30 – 10:00 p.m.      **Hospitality Room**

## SUNDAY, August 12, 2018 – Members and Non-Members Welcome (with paid registration)

- 8:30 - 10:00 a.m.      **First Responders & The Mentally Ill** - Shannon Black
- 10:15 - 11:45 a.m.      **I can only please one person per day, Today I choose me!** - Kacey Woodliff
- 11:45 - 12:00 p.m.      **Evaluations**



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**MAIL-IN REGISTRATION FORM**

*Registration fee includes: educational materials, lunches, banquet, breaks and networking reception.*

Please check the appropriate line(s):

\_\_\_\_ PRE-REGISTRATION for CISM Members (Now - August 1) - \$75

\_\_\_\_ LATE REGISTRATION for CISM Members (After August 1) - \$90

\_\_\_\_ REGISTRATION for Non CISM Members - \$120

\_\_\_\_ Extra Lunch Ticket(s) \$15 for non-registered person. Banquet Ticket is \$25 for non-registered person.

\$ \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL ENCLOSED

Mail Registration and check to:

**Wally Barnett CISM Foundation, 1215 South 40th St, Lincoln, NE 68510**

**For Online Registration and Payment Options, visit our website**  
**[wallybarnettfoundation.org/training](http://wallybarnettfoundation.org/training)**



# CISM Conference Activities

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Feel  
**good**  
Friday

**Social Time**  
Friday - 7:30-10 pm  
Executive Room  
(2nd Floor by the Lobby)



Buy your Wallace Barnett CISM Foundation  
Raffle tickets!



Chips, dips,  
finger food  
& drinks

**Saturday** - 5:30-7:30 pm

**Banquet**



# SATURDAY NIGHT LIVE

**Awards**



**Entertainment**

The **CISM**  
Got **Talent**  
Show



**Hospitality Room**  
Saturday - 7:30-10 pm

