

## Florida Seminole County CIT

### Baker Act: Florida Mental Health Act

#### Learning Objectives

1. Understand the purpose of the Florida commitment statute.
2. Learn the definition of mental illness under the statute.
3. Review the civil rights and due process protections provided in the statute.
4. Differentiate between voluntary and involuntary treatment.
5. List the criteria for involuntary admission under the statute.
6. Understand the role of law enforcement under the statute.
7. Learn criteria for field determination of involuntary admission.