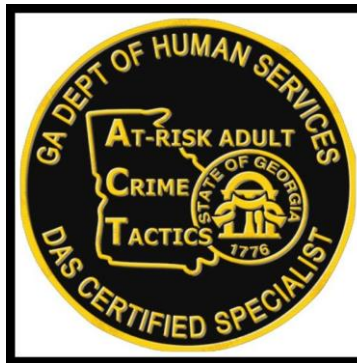


# CERTIFIED ACT SPECIALIST



Co-Sponsored by the Prosecuting Attorney's Council of Georgia.

ACT Certification is provided through the GA Department of Human Services DAS in cooperation with: AOCG; GACP; GBI; POST; GPSTC; GSA; IJCE; and PACGA.

**Mission: To equip primary and secondary responders with knowledge and skills to address the needs of at-risk adult crime victims in Georgia as part of a multi-disciplinary team, thus advancing public safety.**

Georgia is home to approximately 2.5 million at-risk adults.

At-risk adults (adults 65+ & adults 18+ with any disability)

## CRITICAL THINGS ATTENDEES WILL LEARN:

Joint accounts & legal documents are not licenses to steal

Undue influence – are transactions “voluntary?”

Power of Attorney (what does that mean exactly?)

Investigations and overcoming challenges

Georgia criminal law relating to at-risk adults

New changes to Georgia Law

Mandated reporting

When is a death suspicious?

Prosecution of crimes against at-risk adults

Communication skills, and much more

## PREVENTION - PROTECTION – PROSECUTION

## **ACT TRAINING LOCATIONS**

**January 9 & 10, 2017 8 AM to 5 PM**  
**Host: Atlanta Postal Credit Union**  
**Location: 400 Tradeport Blvd, Suite 401, Atlanta, GA 30354**

**February 15 & 16, 2017 8 AM to 5 PM**  
**Host: Vidalia Police Department**  
**Location: 302 First Street East, Vidalia, GA 30474**

**March 15 & 16, 2017 8 AM to 5 PM**  
**Host: Valdosta State University Police**  
**Location: University Center 1205 N. Patterson St., Valdosta, GA 31601**

**May 8 & 9, 2017 8 AM to 5 PM**  
**Host: Columbia County & Gold Cross EMS**  
**Location: 4328 Wheeler Rd, Martinez, GA 30907**

**July 11 & 12, 2017 8 AM to 5 PM**  
**Host: Clayton County Fire & Emergency Services**  
**Location: Clayton Regional Training Academy 7810 Hwy 85, Riverdale, GA 30274**

**August 16 & 17, 2017 8 AM to 5 PM**  
**Host: Carroll County Sheriff's Office**  
**Location: Carrollton Cultural Arts Center 251 Alabama Street, Carrollton, GA 30117**

The ACT class is restricted to law enforcement, prosecutors, judges, EMS, bank investigators/trainers/risk managers, regulatory agencies and social services agencies that respond to the abuse, neglect, and exploitation of at-risk adults. Due to limits on class size and seating each agency is restricted to 3 attendees (the hosting agency/company has 10 seats available).

ACT training is not open to the general public.

ACT is approved for 16 hours POST credit, 16 hours EMS credit, 10 hours CLE

Officers must attend both days in order to receive POST credit.

There is no charge for the training; any associated costs are the responsibility of the attendee.

To register on-line: <http://form.jotform.us/form/41244734913150>

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