

## **WORKSHOPS FOR TEACHING ASSISTANT CERTIFICATION**

- **IDENTIFICATION & REPORTING OF SUSPECTED  
CHILD ABUSE OR MALTREATMENT**
- **VIOLENCE PREVENTION AND INTERVENTION**

Effective February 2, 2001, all applicants for certification are required to complete two hours of course work or training in the identification and reporting of suspected child abuse and maltreatment, and in school violence and intervention in accordance with Sections 303(4) and 3004 of the Education Law. This training is available only from a provider approved by the New York State Education Department. Upon completion of the workshop, you will be provided a Certification of Completion. A fee is required for each workshop.

These workshops are available through the following providers:  
(Need to attend training at a specified location)

Southern Westchester BOCES	(914) 345-8500 Ext. 131
Putnam/Northern Westchester BOCES	(914) 248-2331

The Child Abuse Identification Workshop and the School Violence Prevention and Intervention Workshop are also available online through the New York State Education Department's Office of Teaching Initiatives at:

<http://www.op.nysed.gov/caproviders.htm>

- ➡ NYS Professions / Providers
- ➡ "Access Continuing Education, Inc."  
(P.O. Box 14585, Albany, NY)

Upon completion of the online workshop(s), a certificate of completion is submitted electronically to NYSED