Media Invitation

**Media is invited to cover family reunification training**

**MORGANTOWN, WV (March 29, 2018)** — Media outlets are encouraged to cover training on family reunification after a crisis that will take place from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. Thursday, April 5, at Monongalia County Health Department’s Training Room on the lower level.

John-Michael Keyes, co-founder of the I Love You Guys Foundation, will lead the day-long training, which is directed toward individuals who include first responders, victim advocates, field counselors and school, university and hospital personnel.

Keyes named the foundation after the last text he received from his daughter, who was shot and killed by a man who took seven girls hostage at Platte Canyon High School in Colorado in 2006.

Family reunification training is an important and timely topic as evidenced by recent weather and shooting events in other parts of the country. We would be happy to coordinate a visit from media. Please contact Mary Wade Triplett at 304-598-5152 or email MaryWade.Triplett@wv.gov with any questions.

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