

Criminal Patrol/ Drug Interdiction \$270

Westlake PD Oct 5-7
Springfield Twp PD Oct 12-14 (Cincy Area)

This popular 3-day course, designed to teach the street officer aggressive traffic enforcement principles on how to detect and apprehend criminal couriers who are transporting narcotics and currency in motor vehicles on our highways. Officers learn to "look beyond the traffic stop"!



Search & Seizure/ Search Warrants \$90

Topics to be discussed:

The fourth amendment; The Exclusionary Rule; Why law enforcement officers stop people; The length of investigative detention; Stop and frisk; Search incident to arrest; Probable cause; Plain view and Plain feel; Inventory; Consent to search; and Search warrant use/ requirements. **6.25 hours of CLE credits approved.**

Westlake PD Nov 4

Radar/Laser Operation & Certification

Nov 8-10 Cost \$360 Host: Independence PD



Independence PD will host this three day (24 hour) course designed to provide information concerning the operation of the radar and laser in traffic law enforcement and to certify each student as a qualified operator. The background, history and theory of radar and laser will be discussed. Radar and laser operational principles and common errors associated with utilizing radar and laser will also be provided. Recommendations concerning courtroom testimony and related legal issues and radar will be reviewed. Eight hours will also be devoted to practical operation of the radar and laser whereby the student officers will ride with a certified radar and laser instructor to learn how to properly operate and calibrate the radar and laser. Students will be provided with a radar and laser certificate upon successful completion of the course.

First Line Supervision for Police & Correction Officers

Nov 15-19 Cost \$400

The **Cleveland Clinic PD** will host this one week training program is designed to provide training in first line supervision dealing with police and/or correctional personnel.

Breakdown of training as follows:

Days 1 & 2 – All students will be together for training in supervisory topics. Days 3&4 – Correctional students will be separated & receive training in "correctional issues". Day 5 – All of the students will be reunited and receive training & take final exam.

Topics will include: Accepting supervisory responsibility; Core values; Civil liability; Decision Making; Interpersonal relations; Ethical Leadership; Time Management; Empowerment and delegation; Team building and motivation; Collective bargaining; Labor relations; Grievance handling; In-basket exercise and additional synergistic exercises. Correction topics will include: Religious rights in today's jails; Correctional leadership; Legal updates – PLRA & PREA; Performance appraisals; Retention of correctional staff; Supervisory subordinate relations; Conflict resolution; synergistic exercises

Field Training Officer

Included: LA and San Jose Model manuals and CD ROMS!

Sept 27 – Oct 1 Hamilton PD (Cincy area)
Nov 1-5 Elyria PD

Cost: \$400 – This course is designed to provide information and training to the Field Training Officer (FTO) to prepare a probationary officer with the necessary information and tools to properly and professionally begin their career as a peace officer. The training program will include information on the role of the FTO, the adult learning concepts, the evaluation process, civil liability issues, coaching and mentoring, ethics, effective communication skills and documentation in the FTO manual. Each student will receive a detailed comprehensive "San Jose" & "LA" FTO training manual that should serve as a documentation and evaluation tool to successfully promote the development of the probationary officer.



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Attn: Retirees
Federal Concealed Carry Qualification for Retired officers



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The Lighthouse

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The Lighthouse "a Training guide"



William D. Healy, Director

The U.S. Supreme Court has rendered three (3) major "Miranda" related decisions in the past 6 months. In essence, the Court held that 1) silence during interrogation does not invoke the right to remain silent, 2) Miranda warnings do not have to be verbatim; different words may apply to convey rights to a suspect, and 3) because the suspect experienced a break in Miranda custody for more than two weeks between the 1st and 2nd interrogations, the *Edwards* rule does not mandate suppression of his statements. *For more information on these three (3) cases, please attend a "Legal Updates" seminar.*

For your information, I will be conducting a Federal concealed carry firearms qualification for **retired law enforcement officers** this Fall. The federal concealed carry law supersedes State laws and enables retired officers to carry firearms throughout the U.S. Retired officers must qualify annually equal to the requirements for peace officers in Ohio. I will be using an outdoor range in Litchfield (Medina county off SR 83) to conduct this qualification.

The qualifications will be conducted on August 12th, September 18th and October 27th. **Please pass the word on to any retirees through your department to see if they are interested.** They should directly contact me to set up a date and to determine the fees involved.

"Glut" of Experienced Leadership

"Drop" is taking its toll

Departments have been trying to prepare for the official retirements of "DROP" police officers. Many of these officers held positions of leadership. Police agencies are feeling the need to promote and hire to fill this void. Budget constraints and a need for training for the "soon-to-be" promoted officers are areas of concern for many of the larger departments...some of whom are losing up to 25% of their force due to "DROP".

This fall, North Coast Polytechnic will be conducting various Field Training Officer Schools, along with a First Line Supervision School to help departments through this rebuilding process. If you have several officers you need to get trained in these leadership courses, I am willing to work within your budget. Multiple student discounts are always available.

Also, our 11th annual Police Executive & Administrative Leadership School (PEALS) will be held early next spring. It is a 3 week school and the curriculum is geared to the department's **"Top Dogs"**. We have graduated more than 250 officers, and many have been promoted. . .to include some Chiefs of Police! More information to follow.

Field Training Officer \$400

Sept 27-Oct 1 Hamilton PD (Cincy area)

Nov 1-5 Elyria PD

First Line Supervision \$400

Nov 15-19 Cleve Clinic PD

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Tactical Assault Rifle Carbine Instructor School

Attn: Range Officers

This one week course is directed to those officers desiring assault rifle-carbine skills and officers desiring assault rifle carbine instructor certification. The course provides students with a practical knowledge of the assault rifle-carbine, instructional capability and shooting proficiency. Instruction includes: tactical firearms training skills, violent confrontation preparation, firearms safety, assault rifle-carbine administrative procedures, assault rifle-carbine operational procedure, and confrontation tactics. **Aug 30-Sept 3 \$450 Host: Avon PD** *Successful completion of the course satisfies one OPOTC requirement for assault rifle-carbine instructor certification.*

2010 CPT Credit Reimbursement Information

multiple registration discounts available...all classes 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM

Departments were notified in early spring that the 2010 CPT reimbursement requirement consists of one hour of Victims of Crime Training. Last year I combined a one hour (mandatory OPOTA approved) Victims of Crime training with other training to form a 4-hr or 8 hr seminar. Many of the departments appreciated this type of scheduled training to include the reimbursement block because some have found that in years past one or two officers failed to receive the required training and voided the reimbursement for the entire department. This year, my one hour Victims of Crime training will focus on "Crimes against the Elderly".

If you are interested in scheduling the 1 hr "Crimes against the Elderly", may I suggest a block on Search & Seizure, Legal Updates, Traffic Law, Racial Profiling and Biased Based Policing to finish out either a 4 hr or 8 seminar. *Two (2) "Legal Updates" Seminars, to include the one (1) hour Crimes against the Elderly will be hosted by Bedford PD/SEALE Academy this fall.*



Bedford PD/SEALE Academy will be

hosting two 8 hr. seminars on "Legal Updates" to include the 1 hr Crimes Against the Elderly (Oct/Nov) pending

Dispatcher Training

How to Conduct Searches & Frisks for Dispatchers

Sept 20 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Host: Springfield Twp PD (Cincy area)

\$75 (5 hrs)

Sept 23 8:00 AM - 1:00 PM
Host: Strongsville PD

This 5-hr seminar is designed to provide information to dispatchers on how to conduct searches and frisks of women suspects. Sometimes, female dispatchers are placed in situations where they are required to search or frisk another female who is impending incarceration for weapons or evidence. Most dispatchers have never been taught how to conduct safe and thorough searches and frisks. We added an extra hour to enhance the practical exercises.



Dispatcher Inservice

Dec 9-10
Host: Westlake PD

\$200

The purpose of this two (2) day seminar is to provide dispatchers advanced technical, human relations and operational training to more effectively and efficiently perform their duties. Topics will include: Use of LEADS/NCIC; Telephone/Radio Etiquette; Note Taking; Multi-Tasking; Voice Stress; Human Relations/Conflict Management; Crisis Management; Stress Management; & Media Relations.

CTO Communications

Training Officer
Oct 13-15
Hamilton PD (Cincy area) **\$30**

This three (3) day course will provide information to a Communication Training Officer (CTO) to help prepare a probationary dispatcher with the necessary information to properly and professionally begin their career as a dispatcher communication specialist. Topics will include: Role of the CTO; Conflict Resolution; Team Building and Motivation; Performance Appraisals and Documentation; Coaching and Mentoring; Adult Learning Concepts; Steps in the Training Process; Teaching and Training Methodology and Civil Liability. A review of the CTO Training Manual will be conducted (CD ROM included).



New school

"SCRIPT"

Safety in Criminal Patrol and Traffic School

Springfield Twp PD (Cincy area) Sept 21-22 \$200

This two (2) day officer safety and survival school is designed to heighten the awareness of law enforcement professionals to be ever vigilant and alert while performing their traffic stop duties. The instructors combined have over 50 years of law enforcement experience and over 30 years of law enforcement "officer survival" training experience. The course utilizes lecture presentations, videos, slide presentations and practical exercises in red-handled gun traffic stop scenarios to develop an officer survival attitude in each student.

Topics will Include: The deadly errors; Patterns of encounters; The psyche of survival; Situational Awareness/Unknown risk contacts; Contact and cover principles; and Red-handled gun traffic stop exercises and scenarios

NOTE: Each officer must bring their duty holster, duty weapon, body armor, ear protection, and eye protection to the seminar. The red handled guns will be provided by the North Coast Polytechnic Institute; they are completely safe weapons that "cannot" be loaded with any type of "live" ammunition.

Police Report Writing

Sept 9 Westlake PD Cost: \$90

This course is designed to provide students with a clear understanding of what their police related reports are expected to achieve and to enhance their knowledge and skills in order to write their reports effectively and efficiently. The course will include training in the use of capitalization, punctuation and abbreviations, along with the use of numbers, plurals, possessives, spelling, grammar, word usage, composition and forms germane to law enforcement. Numerous practical writing assignments will be conducted utilizing videotapes and scenarios as a guide. Also, discussion will be generated on common errors associated with police reports.



Traffic Stops, Officer Safety & CCW Law




Wallbridge PD
Oct 4
Cost: \$90

This one (1) day seminar is designed to heighten the awareness of all law enforcement professionals to be ever vigilant and alert while performing their traffic stop duties. The seminar will discuss safe and efficient traffic stops to include right side approaches. In addition, officer safety issues will be discussed with emphasis on contact and cover principles. A practical exercise will be conducted utilizing "red-handled gun" scenarios. Finally, an update will be provided on Traffic Law and Ohio's CCW law. Officer safety is everybody's business; it is a survival "attitude" that must be developed, practiced and rehearsed.

ETHICS in Policing

\$90



Ethics in Policing Seminars

Lorain PD
Oct 8, Oct 18 & Oct 25

Hamilton PD (Cincy area)
Oct 28 & Oct 29

This seminar is designed to provide an ethical framework by which law enforcement officers and criminal justice agencies can evaluate their decision making and choices in potential ethical dilemmas. Topics will include: Ethics and integrity overview; Ethical decision making; Societal changes in American policing; The acronym ETHICS; Core values and organizational philosophy; A.C.T. model of ethical decision making; Ethics test and ethics check questions; & Practical ethics scenarios.