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School Resource Officer – Physical Security Specialist Level I 5-Day Initial Certification Course

Date: July 29 - August 2, 2019

Prerequisites/Requirements:

Commissioned law enforcement officer currently serving as or will serve as a School Resource Officer (SRO).

Course Summary:

This course provides SRO's with an opportunity to learn how to conduct site physical security assessments, human behavior threat assessments, design and integrate security technologies, understand and apply physical security best practices, draft and implement security policies and procedures and state compliant preparedness plans, and improve the overall security and preparedness posture of the schools in which the SRO has responsibility.

Company Overview:

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Course Length:

Five days. The start time is usually 8:00 a.m. The course typically lasts 8 hours each day. Course specific details will be provided to registered students.

Topics Covered:

Period of Instruction 1: Risk Assessments

- Risk Assessment Models
- Threats, Vulnerabilities, Consequences
- Quantifying Risk
- Exterior Perimeter
- Building Design, Construction & Operations
- Security and Preparedness Technologies
 - Access Control

Period of Instruction 2: Threat Assessments

- Definitions
- Violence Spectrum
- Warning Signs / Behavioral Indicators
- Escalation of Behavior
- Reporting
- Priority Risk Scale
- TABIT Membership and Duties



- CCTV
- Intrusion detection
- Photo ID
- Mass Notification
- Visitor Control
- Life Safety
- Integration
- Physical Security
- Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design
- Policies (including S&PRRP) & Procedures
- Staffing and Training
- Threat Assessments
- Interviewing
- Attack Cycle
- Domestic Violence Spillover
- Stalking
- TABIT Program Management
- Case Studies
- Active Threat Response

Period of Instruction 3: All Hazard Planning

- State Requirements
- All Hazard Planning
- Emergency Management Framework
- District Crisis Support Teams
- Emergency Operations Team
- Emergency Operations Center
- Incident Plans
- Action Plans
- Job Aids
- Maps, quick reference guides, etc.
- Exercise Design

Period of Instruction 4: Mass Gathering Events

- Mass Gathering Appendix
- Event Planning - Interior
- Event Planning - Exterior
- Pre-event Communication
- Crisis Leader
- Rally Point Designations
- Push - Pull
- ICS Event Planning Use
- Active Threat Response
 - Rescue Task Force

Gear & Equipment Requirements:

Bring an open mind, good attitude, and potential sanitized case studies for practical application.

Training Location Information:

Lecture Portion: Delaware County Board of Developmental Disabilities, 7991 Columbus Pike, Lewis Center, OH 43035 (DCSO south sub-station). Practical application and site visits will take place on many of the training days. Ensure your vehicle is properly fueled as local travel is required.

Training Cost:

Tuition includes student materials, refreshments, instruction, and practical application exercises.

Students will receive a certificate of completion upon successfully passing the final test and assessment.

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