Southern Illinois Criminal Justice Training Program

Mobile Team Unit 15

Training Announcement

Name of Training	Class ID#	Course ID#
Active Threat Response	**201067**	**37385**

Date(s) of Training	Time	Hours	Location
January 29, 2027	**8:30 – 4:30**	**8**	**Calvary Church 1509 Melmar Dr. Sparta, IL 62286**

Course Description

This course will equip Law Enforcement officers with the skills to respond and deal with a "Active Threat" situation. This will be accomplished through classroom instruction, scenario-based, force-on-force training exercises, utilizing Training Firearms (Simunition & Blue Guns). This course will also focus on the use of deadly force. There will also be an emphasis on firearms safety.

Course Objectives

Upon completion of this live webinar, participants will be able to:

- ✓ Describe common safety threats within the school setting, particularly active shooter situations and the need to protect students from harm.
- ✓ Establish commonalities and trends regarding causes and responses that now lead to best practices.
- ✓ Understand their special role as a LEO when responding to active threats, including the need to perform several roles simultaneously.
- ✓ Identify signs that maybe exhibited before a threat is executed, to identify when a threat has been initiated and is in progress, and to know when to execute a plan of action in response.
- ✓ Perform techniques and best practices when responding to an active threat within a school.
- ✓ Deploy tactical response options and techniques when responding alone, as opposed to those available in a group response.
- ✓ Check classrooms during an active threat, including methods to calm students and staff while maintaining their security.
- ✓ Deploy skills and tactics for best engaging with the source of a school-based threat.
- ✓ Understand items to consider after a school-based threat has been alleviated.

Instructor

MTU 15 Assistant Director, Doug Wilson, has over 24 years of police experience. Doug is an Active Threat Master Instructor, Firearms Instructor, Red Dot Pistol Instructor, Use of Force Instructor, EEVOC Instructor, TASER Instructor and has been a supervisor, FTO, and Special Response Team member/ sniper. Doug's goal is to teach police officers to become "Thinker Fighters".

Mandates Met by This Training

This course has been approved by ILETSB for the following mandates: *Use of Force – De-Escalation Techniques; Officer Safety Techniques Including Cover, Concealment, and Time; Active Threat Response- (Specialized)*

This class is partially funded and certified by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board