

OFFICER SURVIVAL: SURVIVAL TACTICS

Course Summary:

Custody personnel and/or Probation Officers faces ever increasing threats to their safety during the response of an Active Shooter. An Active Shooter can occur during an incident on the courst floor, perimeter check, contacting the public in the lobby, Jail transports, and Hospital guard duty. This course will explore the psychological and sociological effects of interpersonal violence. Address new data coming out of law enforcement community of the physiological impact of a violent interpersonal encounter. Address the role of violent visual imagery (in TV, movies and video games) in causing the current "virus of violence" in families and in developed nations around the world. Discuss actions that can be taken to correct the problem.

Performance Objectives

The trainee will: 1. Describe the significance of Psychology of Combat. 2. Differentiate Perceptual Distortion in Combat vs. Autopilot 3. Define ""The Call to Duty."" 4. Recognize Post Traumatic Stress Disorder and the emotions behind it.