Gang Awareness Update

Course Summary:
This course will address local gangs in the Marin County area and will cover Nortenos, Surenos and the difference between sects of gangs. Will cover other gangs to include prison gangs and how they interact with local gang members. We will cover officer safety, PC issues, gang identifiers and gang validation

Performance Objectives
A. Identify local gangs to include 18th Street, Marin City HAWGS, MS-13. B. Identify gang members by their tattoos, clothing, ideology, infrastructure. C. Explain the importance of 186.22 PC (definition of street gang, gang member validation). D. Describe officer safety as it relates in a custodial setting