



# EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE Region VIII Training Academy



## TRAINING CALENDAR 1ST Quarter

### SEPTEMBER / OCTOBER / NOVEMBER

2010 COURSE DESCRIPTION	SEPT	OCT	NOV
<b>FEDERAL, STATE, DEPARTMENTAL TRAINING: (16 hours)</b> FSD will cover all Federal, State and Agency Mandated Training for Peace Officers. <b>Day 1. DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE (DDC): (6 hrs)</b> George Holden <b>TCLEOSE 2046</b> This is the National Training Safety Institute (NTSI) Course for defensive driving, will give the student the required defensive driving skills per NTSI, this course is not for ticket dismissal. <b>Disciplinary (2 hours) TCLEOSE 3033</b> Mr. Bill Ellis <b>Day 2. CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION: (4 hrs) TCLEOSE 2017</b> Sgt. Marco Vargas, Taser Policy (4 hrs) <b>TCLEOSE 3344</b> Instructor: Academy Staff. <b>Limited to 36 students Time: 0800-1700</b>	15-16 & 29-30	13-14 & 27-28	10-11 & 24-25
<b>INTERMEDIATE USE OF FORCE IN A JAIL SETTING: (16 Hours) TCLEOSE 3504</b> This course is a TCLEOSE requirement for Intermediate <b>JAILER Certification</b> . <b>Limited to 36 students Time: 0800-1700</b> Instructor: Academy Staff.	9-10	-	-
<b>INTERMEDIATE CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION: (32 hours) TCLEOSE 2106</b> This course is a TCLEOSE requirement for Intermediate <b>PEACE OFFICER Certification</b> . <b>Limited to 36 students Time: 0800-1700</b> Instructor: Academy Staff	14-17	-	-
<b>INTERMEDIATE SPANISH (CHALLENGE EXAM): (4 hours) TCLEOSE 2110</b> This course is a TCLEOSE requirement for Intermediate <b>PEACE OFFICER &amp; JAILER Certification</b> . This is a challenge exam; officers that pass the exam will receive <b>20 hours of TCLEOSE credit</b> . <b>Two Sessions: 0800-1200 &amp; 1300-1700</b> <b>Limited to 36 students Time: 0800-1700</b> Instructor: Academy Staff.	17	11	1
<b>CEDO (CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR DETENTION OFFICERS): Day 1 –</b> Organizational management – staff rules and duties <b>TCLEOSE 3700 –</b> Lt. Hebeker Searching Techniques & PPCT Pressure points – Cpl. Pena/Cpl. Rodriguez. <b>TCLEOSE 2040 Day 2 –</b> Defensive Driving Course (DDC) <b>TCLEOSE 2046 –</b> George Holden. <b>Limited to 36 students Time: 0800-1700</b>	7-8 & 21-22	5-6 & 19-20	2-3 & 16-17
<b>INTERMEDIATE CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION AND INVESTIGATION (24 hours) TCLEOSE 2105</b> This course is a TCLEOSE requirement for Intermediate <b>PEACE OFFICER Certification</b> . <b>Limited to 36 students Time: 0800-1500</b> Instructor: Academy Staff.	-	6-8	-
<b>IDENTITY CRIMES (THEFT): (4 hours)</b> State mandated for all Peace Officers for the TCLEOSE Quadrennial September 1, 2009 through August 31, 2013. Course required for the Intermediate <b>PEACE OFFICER Certificate</b> . <b>TCLEOSE 3277</b> Two sessions: 0800-1200 & 1300-1700 <b>Instructor: Academy Staff</b> .	24	22	5
<b>INTERMEDIATE INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS IN A CORRECTIONAL SETTING: (24 Hours) TCLEOSE 3503</b> This course is a TCLEOSE requirement for Intermediate <b>JAILER Certification</b> . <b>Limited to 83 students Time: 0800-1700</b> Instructor: Academy Staff.	-	12-14	-
<b>TLETS/NLETS &amp; TCIC/NCIC BASIC PROCEDURES (40 hours) TCLEOSE 3811</b> This course covers all operating procedures coding and message forms, and system management responsibilities of the Texas and national Law Enforcement telecommunications Systems (TLETS & NLETS) and the Texas and National Crime Information Centers (TCIC & NCIC). However, this course does not provide “hands on” practice at a computer workstation or printer. The computer/printer training (including booting, troubleshooting, and marinating a computer/printer), is the individual agency’s responsibility. <b>Limited to 83 students Time: 0800-1700</b> <b>REGISTRATIONS &amp; TCLEOSE CREDIT will be handled by DPS</b> <b>Contact TLETS Training Officer Joanne Jenkins (512) 424-2419 fax (512) 424-2282</b> <a href="mailto:Joanne.Jenkins@txdps.state.tx.us">Joanne.Jenkins@txdps.state.tx.us</a>	20-24	-	-

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<p><b>FIREARMS INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION: (40 hours) TCLEOSE 2222</b> This course is designed to provide the student with the information required to be certified as a Firearms Instructor. The student will be required to shoot three courses (revolver/pistol/shotgun) on the first day with a minimum of 90% (2 attempts). <b>If the student is unable to achieve 90% then they will not be allowed to participate in the course at this time. Pre-Requisites &amp; Certification Requirements TCLEOSE Rule §221.1 &amp; §221.19:</b> 1. Not prohibited by state or federal law or rule from attending training related to firearms or from possessing a firearm; 2. Currently employed or designated by the agency chief administrator or academy coordinator as a firearms instructor; 3. Never had a license or certificate issued by the commission suspended or revoked; 4. Have at least 3 years experience as either a law enforcement officer or a firearms instructor; 5. Currently hold an Instructor License issued by the commission; 6. Successfully completed the current firearms instructor course; and 7. Pay any required fee. <b>Must submit Firearms Instructor Proficiency Certificate Application and non-refundable \$25 fee to TCLEOSE, upon successful completion of the course. ** Medium Level** Instructor: Dep. Paul Soria Limited to 15 students Time: 0800-1700 Location: Range</b></p>	20-24	-	-
<p><b>INTERMEDIATE INMATE RIGHTS &amp; PRIVILEGES: (16 Hours) TCLEOSE 3502</b> This course is a TCLEOSE requirement for JAILER Proficiency Intermediate Certification. This course will provide the officer with the history of the constitution and its amendments in order to provide a better understanding of the rights and privileges inmates possess. The course will go into the differences between a right and a privilege. This course additionally provides the officer with case law and established precedence. <b>Limited to 36 students Time: 0800-1700 Instructor: Staff</b></p>	-	-	25-26
<p><b>BLACKBOARD ON-LINE TRAINING (ORIENTATION): (8 hours credit) for El Paso County Sheriff's Personnel ONLY</b> This is a <b>mandatory</b> course for all EPSO personnel. This course is designed as an orientation to the new On-line Blackboard learning system which has replaced the traditional Web based on-line training. The students will cover; E-Training Orientation (2 hrs) <b>TCLEOSE 3854</b> Sexual harassment (2 hrs) <b>TCLEOS 3910</b>, and Interpersonal Communications-Non Verbal Communication (4 hrs) <b>TCLEOSE 3027</b> in the lab through the Blackboard learning system with direct instruction from an instructor. <b>Limited to 22 students Time: 0800-1700 Instructor: Academy Staff.</b></p>	27	-	-
<p><b>AED/CPR RE-CERTIFICATION ONLY: (4 hours) TCLEOSE 3800 for El Paso County Sheriff's Office Personnel ONLY</b> This is a <b>Re-certification</b> Course that will review the use of the AED with CPR. Two Sessions per day. <b>Limited to 12 students. Time: 0800-1200 &amp; 1300-1700 Instructor: Academy Staff.</b></p>	24	29	-
<p><b>COMMUNITY EMERGENCY RESPONSE TRAINING (CERT) (8 hours) TCLEOSE 3806</b> Sponsored by Rio Grande Council of Governments. Course details will be provided in the training announcement.</p>	-	-	17, 18,19

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<p><b>GANG INVESTIGATIONS (HIDTA): (24 hours) TCLEOSE 3283</b> This course is designed to assist law enforcement personnel assigned to investigative or gang suppression units. The identification, investigation, and prosecution of gang related criminal activity will be stressed. This course will cover gang sociology, structures, and history. Black gangs, Hispanic, Asian, and white supremacists will be discussed in depth. The criminal activities of these gangs will be examined with emphasis on drug sales and violence. This course will allow the individual investigator to detect gang activity, identify the membership and have a comprehensive plan to address the threats posed by these organizations. <b>ENROLLMENT:</b> Contact <b>Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560.</b> <b>Limited to 60 students Time: 0800-1700</b></p>	20-22	-	-
<p><b>CLUB DRUGS &amp; THE CLUB SCENE [HIDTA]: (24 hours) TCLEOSE 2024</b> This course is designed to teach law enforcement officers, prosecutors, and probation office about the various types of designer drugs being utilized in the "Club Scene", formally referred to as "Raves". These types of drugs are very prominent in our society with the little being done by law enforcement to curtail the problem due to lack of knowledge about the drugs and the scene. In the past, "Club Drugs" were often overlooked by law enforcement possibly due to the lack of violence associated with these types of drugs. <b>Time: 0800-1700 Limited to 60 students. ENROLLMENT: Contact Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560.</b></p>	13-15	-	-
<p><b>INTRODUCTION TO INTELLIGENCE FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT [HIDTA]: (24 hours) TCLEOSE 3200.</b> This program is specifically developed to provide attending patrol personnel, intelligence officers, analysts and investigators with a basic understanding of the concepts, processes and disciplines associated with law enforcement intelligence functions and operations. The training uses the "intelligence cycle" from target selection, to data collection, to evaluation, to collation, to analysis, to reporting and dissemination. The use of various tools, technique, disciplines and methods, both manual and electronic, will be discussed. <b>Time: 0800-1700 Limited to 60 students. ENROLLMENT: Contact Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560.</b></p>	-	5-7	-
<p><b>CRIMINAL STREET GANGS [HIDTA]: (8 hours) TCLEOSE 3283</b> Criminal street gangs are increasingly posing a threat to communities across the United States. Gang members are no longer limited to large metropolitan cities. The majority of gang violence revolves around drug distribution and "turf wars". In addition to posing a threat to communities, gang members are carrying out deadly attacks against law enforcement officers across the county. This one day training course was designed to assist law enforcement officers with the identification and recognition of criminal street gang members. Officers will gain an understanding of the motivation for individuals joining a gang. <b>Time: 0800-1700 Limited to 60 students. ENROLLMENT: Contact Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560.</b></p>	-	18	-
<p><b>INTEGRATED DRUG AND CONTRABAND INTERDICTION: (24 hours) TCLEOSE 2024</b> This is a course of instruction for drug enforcement agents, criminal investigators, canine handlers, and drug unit supervisor. The course offers a comprehensive examination of field-tested investigative techniques, methodologies and legal aspects of domestic drug and contraband interdiction operations. <b>Time: 0800-1700 Limited to 60 students. ENROLLMENT: Contact Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560.</b></p>	-	-	8-10

# E-TRAINING BLACKBOARD SYSTEM

**Will encompass the stipulated dates.  
Must follow regular protocol for registration.**

**ALL REGISTRATIONS MUST INCLUDE FULL NAME AND TCLEOSE PID NUMBER.**

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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>E-Training CIVILIAN TRAINING NO TCLEOSE CREDIT</b></p> <p><b>UNDERSTANDING PERSONS WITH MENTAL DISABILITIES: (8 HOURS) TCLEOSE 4040</b> The purpose of this class is to familiarize civilian personnel who may work in the jail or other areas of the sheriff's office with some of the signs and symptoms of mental disorders in order to detect an individual with this form of disability. Employees should be able to detect and take the appropriate action when needed. Employees should be able to effectively communicate and interact with persons with mental disabilities. <b>Limited to 25 students. Instructor: George Holden</b></p>	12-18	-	-
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>E-Training CIVILIAN TRAINING NO TCLEOSE CREDIT</b></p> <p><b>COMBATING COMMUNICABLE DISEASES: (8 Hours) TCLEOSE 3800</b> This course will familiarize civilian personnel with occupational exposure and contagious disease control, which is contained in Policy 4.09 of the Sheriff's Policy Manual. This class explains; Practices to follow that will protect employees and others against infections caused by contagious diseases. General procedures for affected employees and certain applicants for employment and procedures for submission of Worker's Compensation claims. <b>Limited to 25 students. Instructor: George Holden</b></p>	-	10-16	14-20

## Physical Fitness Requirements

\*\* Some courses offered by the El Paso County Sheriff's Office  
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will require a degree of physical fitness.

- **Minimum Level-** This level will consist of walking, stepping, and very light cardiovascular exercise.
- **Medium Level-** This level will consist of Jogging, minimal levels of calisthenics i.e. push-ups, sit-ups, side straddle hop, beginning levels of hands on classes i.e. PPCT and O.C.
- **Maximum Level-** This level will consist of running, sprinting, advanced calisthenics, advanced levels of hands on classes i.e. mobile field force, physical fitness exams.
- **Medium and maximum-** levels will require a blood pressure screening and students who do not pass will not be allowed to participate without a doctor's release on file.

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