

Department of Justice Training and Standards Bureau Update

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Purpose

- To update law enforcement executives from each EPS Region on Training and Standards activities and developments

Same Bureau, New Faces

- Berry Reynolds-responsible for providing statewide leadership and coordination to develop, revise, maintain and implement leadership and management education training programs
- Dan Turk-responsible for the LESB's instructor certification and recertification programs, and the LESB's Master Instructor Trainer program. Dan coordinates annual instructor updates, and he writes and revises curriculum for instructor courses
- Miriam Falk-Joined the Bureau as an AAG, previous work as prosecutor for Milwaukee County DA for 27 years. She will focus on law enforcement training in the area of domestic violence

720-HR Recruit Academy

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- At 2 Dec 2014 meeting the Law Enforcement Standards Board (LESB) approved the new 720-hr recruit academy
- Adds 200 hours of training and reorganizes the training into three phases
- End of phase test and “Integration Exercises”
- Academies can start running the new 720-hr curriculum at any time, ALL required to use it starting 1 Jan 2016

Defense and Arrest Tactics (DAAT)

- Basic Ground Defense with an emphasis on escapes will be added to DAAT (4 hours)
- Additionally, time will be added for recruits to go through a manufacturer Electronic Control Device (ECD) course and also additional time added for a use-of-force writing activity
- 54 hours in Phase II, six hours were moved to Phase One focusing on stance, distances, and threat assessment

Firearms

- Divided into two phases
- Phase one will focus on fundamentals of firearms and phase two will include curriculum on tactical shooting techniques
- A rifle training course will also be added to the Firearms course

Tactical Response

- More time will be added to allow more practice on room clearing and a basic active shooter course will also be added to the curriculum
- Tactical emergency casualty care is being added to the academy
- A new basic course on Incident Command will be added
- Scene Management will change to a Basic Response (RESPOND model) course

Physical Fitness and Officer Wellness

- A Physical Fitness and Officer Wellness course will be added to the recruit academy along with a fitness assessment at the beginning and end of the academy

	1.5 Mile Run	300 Meter Run	Push-Ups	Sit-Ups	Vertical Jump	Agility Run
Entrance Standard	20:20 (13.23/mile)	82 sec.	18	24	11.5 in.	23.4 sec.
Exit Standard	16:57 (11.60/mile)	68 sec.	23	30	14 in.	19.5 sec.

Instructor Updates

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- The Training and Standards Bureau has been offering instructor updates at technical colleges and employer-based academies since fall 2012, and 1,795 instructors have completed an instructor update thus far
- An additional 438 instructors must complete an instructor update by June 30, 2015

Instructor Update

- Eight instructor updates were offered during the fall of 2014, and seven instructor updates will be offered before June 30, 2015. The following locations still have openings:
- April 21, 2015: Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College (Rice Lake)
- June 24, 2015: Southwest Wisconsin Technical College (Fennimore)
- June 25, 2015: Southwest Wisconsin Technical College (Fennimore)

Instructor Update

- The instructor updates focus on different topics each year, but an instructor may attend any of the updates regardless of the topic/s they are certified to instruct

2015-2016	2016-2017	2017-2018	2018-2019 (Cycle Repeats)
General EVOC PCS	General DAAT Tactical Response SFST	General Firearms Vehicle Contacts	General EVOC PCS

Instructor Update

- In addition to the instructor updates, all certified Defensive and Arrest Tactics (DAAT) instructors, and all certified Tactical Response instructors, must complete an 8-hour transition course by December 31, 2015, to retain certification as a DAAT and/or Tactical Response Instructor
- Effective 1 Dec 2014 Instructors can receive a new certification status of “General Law Enforcement Instructor”

Law Enforcement Accelerated Development Program (LEAD)

Reciprocity Eligibility

- Gained employment with WI LE agency or have a conditional offer of LE employment
- Completed preparatory LE officer training in another state or with the military or federal government
- Held full-time LE employment for one year and been out of LE employment for less than three years

Exam

- 200 multiple choice questions derived from the 33 topics in the current WI 520-hour preparatory LE officer training academy
- Applicant must pass with a 75%, can't miss more than 50 questions
- Allowed one re-test
- If fail exam twice, must complete the full academy
- Test, re-test and academy must be completed within the one year probationary period of being hired

Law Enforcement Accelerated Development (LEAD)

- Initiative from the Governors Convention
- Targets veterans with a Military Police background from any of the Services
- Don't need to have gained employment or have a conditional offer of employment to apply for the exam (still have to meet requirements 2&3)
- If pass, become certifiable in WI for one year from the date of the exam

QUESTIONS???

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