



EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE Region VIII Training Academy



TRAINING CALENDAR 2nd Quarter

DECEMBER 2010 / JANUARY 2011 / FEBRUARY 2011

COURSE DESCRIPTION	DEC	JAN	FEB
BASIC COUNTY CORECTIONS: (280 hrs) TCLEOSE 1007 This course meets the TCLEOSE and Department Requirements for Basic Jailer License. Course Dates for BDO 10-3 (December 6 thru January 21) Instructors: Academy Staff **Maximum Level**	6	21 Graduation	
FEDERAL, STATE, DEPARTMENTAL TRAINING: (16 hrs) FSD will cover all Federal, State and Agency Mandated Training for Peace Officers. Day 1. DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE (DDC): (6 hrs) George Holden TCLEOSE 2046 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. Discipline (2 hrs) TCLEOSE 3033 Mr. Bill Ellis Day 2. CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATION: (4 hrs) TCLEOSE 2017 CREFS, Taser Policy (4 hrs) TCLEOSE 3344 Limited to 36 students Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: Dep. Soto Instructor: Academy Staff.	1-2 14-15	4-5 18-19	9-10 23-24
PSYCHOLOGY OF VICTIMS AND LAW ENFORCEMENT'S ROLE: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3901 Provides informative training related to topics including family violence, sexual assaults, dating violence, and stalking to increase knowledge and skills while emphasizing an approach that encourages victim advocacy and sensitivity. This course is mandated for EPSO commissioned officers and Communications Personnel. Limited to 36 students Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: Phyllis Herbe Instructor: Phyllis Herbe.	1, 2, 6 & 10	10, 12, 18, 20, 24, 26, 31	2, 7, 11,15, 17, 22, 23, 25, 28
LOW LIGHT CLOSE QUARTER CONFLICT RESOLUTION for El Paso County Sheriff's Office: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3300 This course focuses on providing officers with training concepts, tactics and equipment consideration to increase officer effectiveness and confidence while operating in low/no light conditions. The course will provide lecture, demonstration and drills along with scenario-based exercises. Upon completion of this course, officers will have a knowledge-base and materials that will allow them to conduct advanced low-light training for their department. Location: El Paso County Coliseum. Limited to 14 students/Shift assignments determined by Patrol Commander Time: 0800-1700 Instructors: SWAT personnel / Coordinator: Dep. R. Graziano. **Maximum Level**	7, 21	11, 25	8, 22
CEDO [CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR DETENTION OFFICERS]: (16 hrs) Day 1 – Organizational management – staff rules and duties TCLEOSE 3700 – Lt. Hebeker Searching Techniques & PPCT Pressure points – Cpl. Pena/Cpl. Rodriguez. TCLEOSE 2040 Day 2 – Defensive Driving Course (DDC) TCLEOSE 2046 –Limited to 36 students Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: George Holden. **Medium Level**	7-8 21-22	11, 12 25-26	1-2, 15-16
PATROL RIFLE CERTIFICATION COURSE: (24 hrs) TCLEOSE 3322 This is a basic course that introduces the student to the nomenclature, care operation and qualification of department approved AR-15 Rifle. Students must bring their assigned rifles, cleaning equipment and appropriate range attire. Outside Agencies will need a minimum of 350 rounds of .223 and 50 rounds of handgun ammunition per student. Prerequisite: Peace Officers only Limited to 20 students. Coordinator and Instructor: R. Graziano Time: 0800-1700 **Minimum Level**	15-17	26-28	16-18
CULTURAL DIVERSITY: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3939 TCLEOSE training Mandates for Current Training Cycle September 01, 2009 through August 31, 2013. Jailer and Peace Officer Licenses are required to attend this course once during this training cycle. Peace officer holding an Intermediate Certification or higher are exempt from this provision. Limited 36 students Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: Dep. P. Soria Instructors: Academy Staff			3

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<p>BASIC TELECOMMUNICATIONS CERTIFICATION COURSE: (40 hrs) TCLEOSE 1013 The Basic Telecommunications Certification Course is designed to provide the beginning Tele-communicator with an understanding of situations encountered in a certification as a basic emergency Tele-communicator. Target Population: Individuals desiring to obtain a Basic Telecommunications Proficiency Certificate. Pre-Requisites: Employment in a law enforcement agency. Certification Requirements: Successful completion of this course; and one year experience in public safety telecommunications. Limited to 36 students. Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: Joe Padilla Instructors: EPSO Communications Sec.</p>	13-17		
<p>NEW SUPERVISOR'S COURSE: (32 hrs) TCLEOSE 3737 (32 hrs) Upon completion of this course, newly promoted supervisors will be versed in the relevant commission rules and legislative changes. The supervisor will understand the concepts of the various leadership styles they may encounter. Students will have a grasp on the techniques in proper counseling of subordinates. The students will learn how to successfully transition from the ranks to the supervisory role. This course will prepare the new supervisor in the art of leadership and to become better leaders through experience and education. TCLEOSE 217.11 requires completion of this course within two years of a supervisory promotion. Limited 80 students Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: G. Holden Instructors: Academy Staff</p>		3-6	
<p>HAZMAT H-24: (24 hrs) TCLEOSE 3806 This course will be two days in, with each day consisting of 12 hours in duration, total course in 24 hours. This course is provided as part of the Texas Emergency Management Grant funded training. The course is an operations-level H-200 HazMat first responder operations course. The course is intended for fire, rescue, EMS, law enforcement, public works and emergency managers. The course is open to the region and all registration will be done online to preparing texas.org. G. Holden will acknowledge everyone who registers online in order to be accepted into the course. Limited 30 students Time: 0800-2000 Coordinator: G. Holden Course being hosted in partnership with the R.C.O.G.</p>		5-6	
<p>MDT/MCT Training: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3800 The students will understand and be able to utilize the new MPS software associated with the MDT/MCT mobile computer system in patrol units. Limited to 20 EPSO Patrol for each session Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: R. Graziano Instructor: Dep. E. Robinson and Dep. Robert Rojas.</p>		7, 14, 28	4, 11, 18, 25
<p>AED/CPR <u>RE-CERTIFICATION ONLY</u>: (4 hrs) TCLEOSE 3800 This course is for peace officers only, in an attempt to certify all peace officers. This is a hands-on course and officers will be evaluated while performing victim assessments, clearing the airway, giving compressions and breaths, attaching and operating the AED, choking adults, children, and infants. Two Sessions per day. Limited to 12 students. Time: 0800-1200 & 1300-1700 Coordinator: G. Holden Instructor: G. Holden **Minimum Level**</p>		28	25
<p>TASER COURSE: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3344 This course is for initial Taser Certification. EPSO students will not be provided with a department issued Taser upon completion of the course. Outside agencies must provide their own Taser and Cartridges Limited to 25 students. Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: Dep. P. Soria Instructor: Dep. P. Soria **Minimum Level**</p>	3		

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<p>STATE AND FEDERAL LAW UPDATE COURSE: (2 hrs) TCLEOSE 3181 The goal of this course is to provide law enforcement officers with an update of recent statute changes provided by the 81st Texas Legislature, including recent Supreme Court decisions that impact important issues such as search and seizure, detention, etc.,. Also included in this curriculum are cases which may impact the function, policy, and procedures of law enforcement officers and law enforcement administration. TCLEOSE mandated course (Texas Occupations Code 1701.251 (a-1)) for all Peace Officers for the current 2009-2011 training cycle. This course is being provided for outside law enforcement agencies and EPSO deputies who did not take this 2 hour block of instruction during the last FSD cycle. Limited to 25 students Time: 0800-1000 and 1300-1500 Coordinator: Dep. P. Soria Instructor: Academy Staff</p>	10, 31		
<p>ICS (INCIDENT COMMAND SYSTEM): (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 66195 This course will introduce the student to the Incident Command System (ICS). The student will learn the essential components of the ICS in order to develop an ICS in the facilities. The student will test on ICS 100 and 200 to receive the certifications. The students will further develop their skills through scenario driven exercises. <u>This course is tailored for Jail supervision and Management</u> Limited to 30 students Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: G. Holden Instructor: Ray Recendez, from Homeland Security</p>	2	13	10
<p>SURVIVAL DEFENSE TACTICS for EPSO Civilian Employees Only: TCLEOSE 2040 (8 hrs) This course will give students a good foundation and working knowledge of techniques that will help them survive and prevail in an altercation. The ground fighting techniques taught in these 8 hrs of instruction cover escapes, takedowns, preventing takedowns, ground defense and defense against the neck restraint. Students should wear comfortable athletic clothing and tennis shoes. This is a physically demanding class and contact with other students will occur. Limited to 14 students Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: Dep. R. Graziano Instructor: Dep. R. Graziano **Maximum level**</p>	1		9, 10
<p>BASIC SHOTGUN CERTIFICATION: (16 hrs) TCLEOSE 2055 for El Paso County Sheriff's Office Detention Officers Only. This is a basic certification course. It is required for those persons who will be carrying a shotgun on duty or using a shotgun during a duty assignment. This is Not a Re-Certification course or practice. Pre-requisite: Students must not be prohibited by state or federal law or rule from attending training by the commission suspended or revoked. Currently hold a Jailers License and must have Psychological Evaluation cleared by Human Resources. Students are required to bring the shotguns from their respective duty assignments (two shotguns per facility). The Academy will not provide the weapons. Limited to 15 students Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: Dep. R. Graziano Instructor: Dep. R. Graziano **Minimum Level**</p>	9-10		10-11

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<p>ADVANCED VEHICLE CONTRABAND AND CONCEALMENT: (16 hrs) TCLEOSE 77016 This course is designed to enable the student to effectively search vehicles where suspects have concealed contraband to avoid its detection by law enforcement. Effective search techniques are taught for all areas of the vehicle. This course teaches methods suspects utilize to defeat traditional search techniques used by law enforcement. Time: 0800-1700 Limited to 60 students. ENROLLMENT: Contact Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560.</p>	13-14		
<p>CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION TECHNIQUES: (24 hrs) TCLEOSE 2023 This course is designed for investigating patrol officers, detective's, investigators, special agents and investigative supervisors that will be conducting major Criminal Investigations. The training provides an advanced look at proper investigative procedures applied to today's political and social climate. All aspects of conducting a complete criminal investigation are presented and the participants are taken through the investigative process, step by step, from the initial crime to the arrest and eventual prosecution of the suspect. Emphasis is placed on proper documentation and legal guidelines and the impact and effect that the media, defense and civil attorneys along with public sentiment can have on the outcome of the court presentation. Upon completion of the course the student will have a better working knowledge of today's field of Criminal Investigations and the knowledge needed to be effective in obtaining a solution for the crime and a successful outcome in the criminal justice system. Time: 0800-1700 Limited to 60 students. ENROLLMENT: Contact Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560.</p>	6-9		
<p>MARIJUANA GROWTH INVESTIGATION: (24 hrs) TCLEOSE 3200 This two day (16 hour) Indoor Cannabis Cultivation Investigator's Course is designed to equip investigating officers and support personnel with the tools necessary to detect, prosecute and testify in indoor marijuana grow cases. Topics covered in this course will be cannabis horticulture, cloning and germinating plants, and cultivation equipment. How to locate and investigate indoor grows will be discussed in depth. Numerous case studies and investigations will be examined and critiqued. Time: 0800-1700 Limited to 60 students. ENROLLMENT: Contact Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560.</p>		10-11	
<p>INTELLIGENCE CONNECTING THE DOTS: (40 hrs) TCLEOSE 3800 This comprehensive intermediate-level intelligence training program has been developed to provide law enforcement practitioners, who may be engaged in criminal investigations, criminal intelligence assignments, or serving as intelligence liaison officers in affiliation with a regional or state fusion center, with the capability to supervise, support or participate effectively in criminal intelligence functions. The training will focus on specialized skills for developing actionable intelligence products, problem-solving methods and strategies for successfully identifying threats and criminal conspiracies, or advancing complex criminal investigations. Students will participate in practical exercises that follow components of the law enforcement intelligence process/cycle as they develop intelligence findings and products. The course presents various intelligence practices, techniques and methods relating to three distinct law enforcement intelligence perspectives-collection, analysis and management. Various analytic techniques will be explored including both manual and computerized intelligence processes. Class lecture sessions will be augmented by several exercises and in-class computer-aided information manipulation and Internet research projects. The curriculum for this course is based on training recommendations contained in the National Criminal Intelligence Sharing Plan (NCISP). The NCISP is the most comprehensive and widely accepted source of guidance currently available for intelligence operations and training programs in support of law enforcement agency efforts to establish a capacity for intelligence-led policing. Time: 0800-1700 Limited to 60 students. ENROLLMENT: Contact Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560.</p>			7-11

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<p>INTERVIEW INTERROGATION TECHNIQUES: (24 hrs) TCLEOSE 2029 A (3) three-day customized course, primarily focused on Police Interview and Interrogation methods. This course will be specifically defined for law enforcement officers, investigators, and prosecutorial agents. Course topics will deal with investigatory interviewing techniques of victims and witnesses and unique interrogation methods of suspected criminals, etc. Time: 0800-1700 Limited to 60 students. ENROLLMENT: Contact Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560.</p>		19-21	



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<p>REGIONAL TRAINING: Legislative Updates (2 hrs) TCLEOSE 3181 Spanish Challenge Exam (4 hrs) This is a challenge exam; officers that pass the exam will receive 20 hours of TCLEOSE credit. TCLEOSE 2110 Cultural Diversity (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3939 Use of Force and Firearms Training (4 hrs) TCLEOSE 2095 Limited to 25 students Time: 0800-1700 Coordinator: G. Holden Instructor: Dep. P. Soria</p> <p>Requirements: Bring minimum amount of rounds needed to qualify on the first time attempt will be, 50 handgun rounds per handgun, 30 rifle rounds & 10 (ten) 00 buckshot and 5 slug rounds for shotgun.</p>	1-2		
<p>LOCATION FOR DECEMBER: SIERRA BLANCA</p>			

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;">E-Training</p> <p>INTERMEDIATE INMATE SUICIDE DETECTION AND PREVENTION IN A JAIL SETTING: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3501 Detention officers must be able to recognize the signs and symptoms of a potential suicidal inmate in order to take preventative measure in the prevention of a suicide attempt. The agency must establish a proactive policy in order to be successful in the prevention and early detection of suicide attempts. This course is designed to train the officer on early warning signs and symptoms an inmate may possess. The training will help the officer to take a proactive approach to identifying and preventing suicidal attempts in a jail setting. The course will make the officer aware of potential liabilities that may occur when suicides are successful in a facility. The officer will additionally become aware of the state and national statistics on suicides in lockups. Limited to 25 students Coordinator: G. Holden Instructor : G. Holden</p>		2-8	
<p style="text-align: center;">E-Training CIVILIAN TRAINING NO TCLEOSE CREDIT</p> <p>UNDERSTANDING PERSONS WITH MENTAL DISABILITIES: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 4040 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. Limited to 25 students. Coordinator: G. Holden Instructor: George Holden</p>	5-11 19-25		
<p style="text-align: center;">E-Training CIVILIAN TRAINING NO TCLEOSE CREDIT</p> <p>COMBATING COMMUNICABLE DISEASES: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3800 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. Limited to 25 students. Coordinator: G. Holden Instructor: George Holden</p>	5-11 10-25		
<p style="text-align: center;">E-Training</p> <p>INTERMEDIATE ARREST, SEARCH, AND SEIZURE: (24 hrs) TCLEOSE 2108 This course is a TCLEOSE requirement for Intermediate PEACE OFFICER Certification. This course provides the constitutional rights of individual citizens and the proper procedures for law enforcement. The officer will learn the various laws and procedures for arrests, searches, and seizures. Limited to 25 students. Coordinator: Dep. P. Soria Instructor: Dep. P. Soria</p>	5-24		

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Physical Fitness Requirements

****** Some courses offered by the El Paso County Sheriff's Office Region VIII Training Academy 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. This level 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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