



The National Sheriffs' Association
in collaboration with the
Office on Violence Against Women



Law Enforcement Training: Response to and Investigation of Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking

Training Agenda
February 22 – 23, 2018
Thursday, 22nd, 8:00 – 5:00
Friday, 23rd, 8:00 – 12:45
Washington County Sheriff's Office

Day One

8:00 – 8:15am Course Introduction and Overview

- Goals and Objectives

8:15 – 9:30am Liability for Law Enforcement and Lethality of Domestic Violence Response

- Liability
- Lethality and Initial Response

9:30 – 10:30am Dynamics of Domestic Violence

- Definition of Domestic Violence
- Power and Control

10:30 – 10:45am Break

10:45 – 12:00pm Dynamics of Domestic Violence Cont.

- Barriers to a Victim's Safety
- Impact of Domestic Violence on Children
- Dynamics of Dating Violence

12:00pm – 1:15pm Lunch on your own

1:15 – 2:45pm Dynamics of Domestic Violence (Cont.)

- Underserved Populations
- Impact of Law Enforcement Response
- Domestic Violence Resources

2:45 – 3:00pm Break

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Day One Continued

3:00 – 5:00pm Interviewing and Investigating

- Interviewing Victims
- Interviewing Children
- Interviewing Witnesses
- Evidence Gathering
- Strangulation

5:00pm Closing

Day Two

8:00 – 10:00am Interviewing and Investigating (Cont.)

- Stalking
- Protection Orders
- Arrest Decision
- Report Writing

10:00 – 10:15am Break

10:15 – 12:45pm Federal Laws

- Violence Against Women Act (VAWA)
- T and U Visas
- Title VI: Language Access
- VAWA Victims' Rights Laws
- Firearm Provisions

12:45pm Closing

Instructors:

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