



EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

Region VIII Training Academy



TRAINING CALENDAR 3rd Quarter

MARCH / APRIL / MAY

2011 COURSE DESCRIPTION	MAR	APR	MAY
BASIC COUNTY CORRECTIONS: (280 hrs) TCLEOSE 1007 This course meets the TCLEOSE and department requirements for Basic Jailer License. Course dates for BDO 11-01 (March 21-May 6, 2011) Coordinator: E. Soto Instructors: Academy Staff **Maximum Level**	21	through	7
FEDERAL, STATE, DEPARTMENTAL TRAINING: (24 hrs) TCLEOSE 3800 This course will cover all Federal, State, and Agency Mandated Training for Peace Officers. Mandatory for Peace Officers of El Paso County Sheriff's Office. Day 1 (0800-1200) Annual Physical Assessment (1300-1700) Use of Force Policy/Firearms bi-annual Qualifications Day 2 & 3- Law Enforcement Survival Defense Tactics-This course will give students good foundation knowledge of techniques that will help them survive and prevail in an altercation. Students shall wear athletic comfortable athletic clothing and tennis shoes. Limited to 20 students per class. Coordinator: E. Soto Time: 0800-1700 ** Maximum Level**	8-10	19-21	2-4 17-19 24-26
BASIC PATROL RIFLE CERTIFICATION: (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: R. Graziano Time: 0800-1700 **Minimum Level**	16-18	27-29	
SURVIVAL DEFENSE TACTICS: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 2040 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. are instructions to 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 20 students Coordinator: R. Graziano Time: 0800-1700 **Maximum level**	7, 28	26	9, 23
CONTINUING EDUCATION FOR DETENTION OFFICERS (CEDO): (16 hrs) TCLEOSE 3800 Day 1 (All students must report in PT gear for the 1st day) Organizational management-Lt. M. Hebeker TCLEOSE 3700 Searching Techniques- E.Gandara TCLEOSE 2084 & PPCT Pressure points-Cpl. Rodriguez. TCLEOSE 2040 Day 2 Defensive Driving Course-G. Holden TCLEOSE 2046 Limited to 36 students Coordinator: G. Holden Time: 0800-1700	14-15 28-29	12-13 26-27	30-31
SPECIALTY IMPACT MUNITIONS: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3343 This is a basic certification course. It is required for the deployment of less lethal specialty impact munitions. Students are required to bring the shotguns from their respective duty assignments. Also, they are required to bring munitions to the class. Limited to 18 students Coordinator: R. Graziano Time: 0800-1700 ** Minimum Level **	4		
COUNTY CORRECTIONS FIREARMS COURSE: (40 hrs) TCLEOSE 3599 This is a basic certification course. It is required for Detention Officers who will be carrying a hand gun during the course of their assignment. This is Not a Re- Certification course or practice. Students are required to bring the hand guns from their respective duty assignment. The academy will not provide the weapons. Limited to 18 Students Coordinator: R. Graziano Time: 0800-1700 **Minimum Level **	21-25		

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INTERMEDIATE SPANISH: (24 hrs) TCLEOSE 2109 This course is a requirement for Intermediate <u>PEACE OFFICER & JAILER</u> Certification. This course is composed of seven units and is designed build upon the skills acquired during each unit. The jump-start unit is the main focus of this course. Within the jump-start unit are critical words and phrases that the student must completely master during this course. These phrases deal with safety and command and control during responses to a potentially dangerous incident. The student must be able to leave this course being able to repeat or interpret those phrases using only recall. Limited to 36 students Coordinator: E. Soto Instructor: C. Pierce Time: 0800-1700	21-23		
TCIC/NCIC FOR LESS THAN FULL ACCESS OPERATORS: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3807 (INITIAL CERTIFICATION ONLY) This course is designed for operators who perform TCIC/NCIC functions at any level lower than full access. Generally, this pertains to inquiry only, including Mobil Digital Terminal (MDT) users. Operators must receive this training within the first six months of assignment or employment. In order to comply with federal requirements, operators must retest within two years of certification or most recent re-certification date. Limited to 30 students Coordinator: E. Soto Instructor: Joseph Padilla Time: 0800-1700		1	16
RADAR/LIDAR CERTIFICATION COURSE: (16 hrs) TCLEOSE 2054 This course will certify the students in Standard Radar and Laser Operation. Note: Exam will be administered at the beginning of the class. Mandatory: Students must pick up study material one week prior to the course at the academy. Limited to 30 students Coordinator: P. Soria Time: 0800-1700	3-4		25-26
SEXUAL ASSAULT FAMILY VIOLENCE INVESTIGATOR COURSE: (24 hrs) TCLEOSE 3264 The Academy will be hosting SAFVIC, which is designed to provide law enforcement officers around the state with the tools they need to effectively investigate and prevent sexual assault and family violence. This course is designed to satisfy the legislatively mandated course of Special Investigative Topics (3232) and successful students will be eligible for a TCLEOSE proficiency certificate for advanced investigation. Instructor will be responsible for reporting TCLEOSE credit. Limited to 40 Students Coordinator: R. Hernandez Instructor: Lt. Keith Shackelford (Abilene PD) Time: 0800-1700	8-10		
DEFENSIVE DRIVING COURSE: (6 hrs) TCLEOSE 2046 for <i>El Paso County Sheriff's Office Civilian employees Only</i> . This course is designed by the National Traffic Safety Institute. This course is open to all civilian employees who have not attended a defensive driving course in the past two years. It covers techniques for defensive driving to enhance the driver's awareness while on the road. This course is not for ticket dismissal. Limited to 30 students Coordinator: G. Holden Time: 0800-1700	31		
BASIC SHOTGUN CERTIFICATION: (16 hrs) TCLEOSE 2055 for <i>El Paso County Sheriff's Office Detention Officers Only</i> . This is a basic certification course, not a Re-Certification course or practice. It is required for those persons who will be carrying a shotgun on duty or using a shotgun during a duty assignment. Pre-requisite: Currently hold a Jailers License and must have Psychological Evaluation cleared by Human Resources. The Academy will not provide the weapons. Limited to 15 students Coordinator: R. Graziano Time: 0800-1700 **Minimum Level**	2-3		

HUMAN TRAFFICKING: (4 hrs) TCLEOSE 3271 This course is to increase the law enforcement communities' awareness of the issues of human trafficking through the exposure of informational materials and research. Pre-requisite: Peace officer license or higher, completion of TCLEOSE Course #1014, Basic Instructor Course, and documented experience in training persons in topic area per contract provider approval. Limited to 80 students. Coordinator: G. Holden Instructor: Tracy Weems Time: 2 Sessions 0800-1200 & 1300-1700	22		
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PSYCHOLOGY OF VICTIMS AND LAW ENFORCEMENT'S ROLE IN RESPONDING: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3901 for <i>El Paso County Sheriff's Office Detention officers and Outside agencies only.</i> This course 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 30 students. Coordinator: G. Holden Instructor: Brenda Contreras Time: 0800-1700	2, 3, 7, 9, 10, 28, 30	4, 6, 7, 19, 20	5, 6, 11, 12, 17
INTERMEDIATE CHILD ABUSE PREVENTION AND INVESTIGATION: (24 hrs) TCLEOSE 2105 This course is a TCLEOSE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification. Limited to 30 students Coordinator: P. Soria Instructor: Child Advocacy Center Staff Time: 0800-17:00	16-18		
TWO MAN TACTICS ROOM & BUILDING CLEARING: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3300 This course will teach the regular law enforcement patrol officers the basic fundamentals of a room/building clearing using the two man tactics methods. Students will participate in force on force building clearing scenarios using simunition equipment. Student must bring duty belt, duty vest, BDU attire recommend. Report to El Paso County Coliseum. Limited to 16 Students. Coordinator: R. Graziano Time: 0800-1700 **MAXIMUM LEVEL**			20
GANGS, DRUGS, AND MURDER: (16 hrs) This intensive course of instruction integrates the very best that experts have to offer in violent drug gang investigations. Integrated throughout the program is a successful mindset and formulaic approach as to whom are suspect and where the evidence must be. This course will lay open the critical areas of knowledge to investigate, find the answers and successfully prosecute these crimes. This course will develop the most powerful tool of all: the investigator's intellect. ENROLLMENT: Contact Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560 Limited to 80 students Time: 0800-1700			2-3
ALERRT First Responder Operations in Rural Terrain (FORT): (24 hrs) TCLEOSE 3300 The FORT course was developed as a response to requests from officers working in rural areas and the border regions of our country. Having studied incidents where patrol officers have been ambushed, hurt, and/or killed while operating in rural terrain, different techniques, tactics, and procedures must be learned, rehearsed, and utilized other than those used during operations in an urban environment. The course will cover individual and team movement techniques, vehicle drills, downed officer/citizen rescue, patrolling, and break contact methods patrol officers can use to enhance their survivability. Force-on-force drills will be used to reinforce the techniques taught. ENROLLMENT: Please email erin@alerrt.com . For more information or classes go to ALERRT WEBSITE http://alerrt.org/. Limited to 20 Students. Coordinator: Lt. Flores Time: 0800-1700	CREDIT THROUGH ALERRT		14-16

ADVANCED ROADSIDE IMPAIRED DRIVING ENFORCEMENT: (16 hrs) TCLEOSE 3402 This course will train law enforcement officers to observe, identify, and articulate the signs of impairment related to drugs, alcohol, or combination of both in order to reduce the number of impaired driving incidents. ENROLLMENT: Contact Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560 Limited to 60 students Time: 0800-1700	16-17		
GRANT WRITING USA WORKSHOP: (16 hrs) TCLEOSE 3755 This Course is designed for beginning and experienced grant writers from city, county, and state agencies as well as non-profits. This course will teach you how to get the grant money and manage the money in accordance with regulations and laws. ENROLLMENT: Contact Janet Darling at (888) 290-6237-Grant Writing USA . http://grantwritingusa.com/active/hosts/el-paso-texas-march-2011.html Limited to 80 students Time: 0800-1700	24-25		
FORENSIC PHOTOGRAPHY: (40 hrs) This course addresses the basic concepts of photography and their application to thorough, professional crime scene documentation. Course instruction is through lecture, case review, and application exercises. Forensic Photography I or a course equivalent is required for attendance to Forensic Photography. Prerequisites: Participants must be licensed or certified peace officers with a current commission or non-commissioned personnel assigned to investigate/process crime scenes. ENROLLMENT: Through TEEX , Call 1-800-423-8433 or email publicsafety@teexmail.tamu.edu Limited to 30 students Coordinator: G. Holden Instructor: RCOG and TEEX. Time: 0800-1700	CREDIT THROUGH TEEX		23-27
DRUG RECOGNITION EXPERT [HIDTA]: (72 hrs) TCLEOSE 3402 This course includes physiology, vital signs, standardized field sobriety testing (SFST), as well as extensive material on each of the 7 categories of the drugs of abuse. Prerequisites: Texas Peace officer, 2 years of service, 24 hr. SFST course (ARIDE), reasonable background and experienced level of making DWI arrests, have an endorsement/recommendation from your agency. ENROLLMENT: Contact: Christina Zanella-West Texas HIDTA Coordinator at (915) 532-2560 . Limited to 35 students Time: 0800-1700			16-26

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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E-Training STATE AND FEDERAL LAW UPDATES: (2 hrs) TCLEOSE 3181 This course offers the legislative updates from the 81st Legislature which have significant applications of state laws. Additionally, selected recent Supreme Court decisions are covered to aid officers in the field. Limited to 25 students Instructor: G. Holden			15-21
E-Training INTERMEDIATE USE OF FORCE IN A JAIL SETTING: (16 hrs) TCLEOSE 3504 This course is a TCLEOSE requirement for Intermediate JAILER Certification. Upon completion of this course, the student will have a thorough understanding of the use of force guidelines when using force on an inmate and to follow established protocol with the policy and procedures. The officer will have a thorough understanding of the defenses to prosecution as depicted in			1-14

Chapter 9 of the Penal Code. The officer will have a basic understanding of the causes of disruptive behavior and disturbances. The officer will be able to take preventative actions to protect against potential civil liability. Limited to 25 students Instructor: G. Holden			
<p style="text-align: center;">E-Training CIVILIAN TRAINING</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 Instructor: G. Holden</p>	6-12		
<p style="text-align: center;">E-Training CIVILIAN TRAINING</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 Instructor: G. Holden</p>	6-12		
<p style="text-align: center;">E-Training</p> <p>EFFECTIVE COMMUNICATIONS FOR LAW ENFORCEMENT: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3027 for Sergeants and Corporals only. Effective communication is an essential component of a supervisor's success whether it is at the interpersonal, intergroup, or dealing with the public in general. This course will cover the basic process of communication and then explore some of the more difficult communication issues that supervisors face by providing constructive and effective feedback and performance appraisal. Limited to 25 students Instructor: G. Holden</p>	13-19		
<p style="text-align: center;">E-Training</p> <p>INSTITUTIONAL & CORRECTIONS SYSTEMS AND PRACTICES FOR SUPERVISORS: (8 hrs) TCLEOSE 3514 for Sergeants and Corporals only. This course explores the history and the future of corrections. Students will learn the various criminological theories and discuss the history of corrections and punishments. The course explores the natural progression of corrections throughout the eras. Corrections law and inmate litigation will be discussed and how politics has influenced corrections throughout the centuries to the present. Future trends of corrections will be discussed. Limited to 25 students Instructor: G. Holden</p>		3-9	

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.
- **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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COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT REGIONAL TRAINING

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BASIC COUNTY CORRECTIONS DISTANCE COURSE- (96 hrs) TCLEOSE 1070/1071 This course meets the TCLEOSE and department requirements for basic jailer license. Course dates for BDO 11-01. (March 12-April 23) This class will meet every Saturday. Coordinator: G. Holden Instructors: Academy Staff **Maximum Level** Location: Alpine, TX. Brewster County Sheriff's Office	MARCH 12 –APRIL 23		

LOCATION:
Brewster County Sheriff's Office
201 W. Ave E
Alpine, TX 79831

REGISTRATION FORM

(ONE REGISTRATION FORM PER COURSE)

Please fax to (915) 856-4883

Course Name: _____ Course Date: _____ Supervisor's Approval: _____

Agency: _____ Telephone Number: _____ Date Approved: _____

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