



AWR 148: Crisis Management for School-Based Incidents: Partnering Rural Law Enforcement and the Local School Systems

March 1, 2010

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This **tuition-free** course is beneficial for rural police and sheriff departments, school administrators, school resource officers, counselors, and others involved in school safety and security.

Topics covered include:

- Introduction to Incident Planning and Preparedness
- Proactive Threat Mitigation
- Incident Response
- Incident Recovery
- Vulnerability Assessments
- Threat Assessment Management
- Incident Defusing and Debriefing
- Parent Reunification
- Anniversaries, Memorials, “Copy-Cats”

*Please note all foreign nationals need to complete a DHS Foreign National Visitor Request Form by February 12, 2010 in order to attend this course. Contact Liz Goodman with any questions.



Training sponsored and hosted by:
Lower Rio Grande Valley Development Council
Regional Police Academy and Training Center

Training site: Sheraton South Padre Island
 310 Padre Boulevard
 South Padre Island, TX 78597

**For those in need of hotel accommodations the Sheraton is offering rooms for \$83 per night.*

Date: March 1, 2010

Time: 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Prerequisites: U.S. Citizenship

Registration Deadline: February 19, 2010

Please complete the registration form fully and email or fax it to:

Paul Williams
Director

pwilliams@lrgvdc.org

Office: 956-607-6245

Fax: 956-364-5186

Name			
Course date & location	March 1, 2010—Sheraton South Padre Island		
Position			
Agency/ Company			
Address			
City/State		Zip	
Phone		Fax	
E-mail			



For more information about the course, contact Liz Goodman at goodman@findlay.edu or 419-434-4353.



LRGVDC Regional Academy 2010 Training Symposium
Sheridan South Padre Island

The [Lower Rio Grande Valley Development Council Regional Police Academy and Training Center](#) is hosting a Training Symposium at the [Sheridan on South Padre Island](#). The courses are being offered free of charge and the Sheridan South Padre Island is offering room rates of only \$83/night. Below is a list of the courses and times they will be offered:

AWR 148: Crisis Management for School-Based Incidents – Partnering Rural Law Enforcement and the Local School Systems – Monday, March 1, 2010; 8:00 – 5:00. Participants will receive 8-hours of TCLEOSE credit.

MGT310 (24 hours) - Threat & Risk Assessment

This course trains key response personnel within a local jurisdiction who are required to prevent, mitigate, manage, and/or resolve a weapon of mass destruction (CBRNE)/terrorism incident. Participant learning occurs in multidisciplinary teams. Upon course completion, these teams will be able to conduct a capabilities-based comprehensive CBRNE/terrorism risk (threat and vulnerability), capabilities, and needs (planning, organization, equipment, training and exercises) assessments. Tuesday – Thursday, March 2 – March 4, 2010. Participants will receive 24-hours of TCLEOSE credit.

HWS020: Safe Practices for Traffic Incident Responders – Friday, March 5, 2010; 8:00 – 5:00. Participants will receive 8-hours of TCLEOSE credit.

SAFE PRACTICES FOR TRAFFIC INCIDENT RESPONDERS

HWS020

Traffic incident responders frequently fall victim to “secondary incidents” that occur as they attend to the original incident. The “quick clearance” of traffic incidents is one of the most effective ways to minimize their negative impact. Quick clearance at known “high accident” locations can be enhanced by pre-incident planning that targets the rapid removal of an incident. These plans require a coordinated effort of all responders — including police, fire, EMS, public works and private towing companies.

The Texas Engineering Extension Service (TEEX) has developed this course to train on-scene traffic responders – law enforcement, fire and rescue, emergency medical services (EMS), and public works traffic control personnel – in safe procedures for accomplishing their tasks in and near traffic. The course is led by instructors from the fire services and law enforcement disciplines, and is presented at **no charge** to Texas city and county employees. TEEX conducts the course in conjunction with the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) and the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA).

Length: 8 hours

Fee: **No charge** to Texas city and county participants.

Topics:

- Basic traffic incident management definitions, standards and guidelines
- Multiple agency planning for occurrences of traffic incidents on the road system
- Benefits of quick clearance from the roadway
- Safe parking at the traffic incident
- Initiation of appropriate temporary traffic control
- Use of emergency vehicle lights at night

Audience:

Law enforcement, fire and rescue, emergency medical services (EMS), and traffic control personnel.

Prerequisites:

None

CLASSES ARE FILLING UP FAST! DON'T DELAY!

To schedule this class in your area, call **800-723-3811** (ask for Laura Wilson).



For more information or to register, contact:

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The [Lower Rio Grande Valley Development Council Regional Police Academy and Training Center](#) is hosting Safe Practices for Traffic Incident Responders (HWS020), a [TEEX](#) Course, at the Sheridan South Padre Island on Friday, March 5, 2010. The course is fee-free and participants will receive 8-hours TCLEOSE credit.

Question: During a hurricane evacuation of the Valley, a vehicle with a 5th wheel trailer in tow became disabled in the middle of Expressway 83. Responders are on scene with tow truck 30 minutes away. How can state law help us clear the road?

This course is designed for everyone in law enforcement and fire services. If you are a law enforcement administrator, supervisor, leader, shift commander, section commander, traffic enforcement officer or supervisor, or in any other way involved in public safety, this course is for you.

Question: what actions will you take during a major accident to ensure that EMS can arrive on scene and depart in a timely manner to ensure the life of a coworker?

Please contact our offices at 956/364-4507 to register for this exciting course. Attached is a flyer with more information regarding this course. If you are interested in registering in other TEEX courses, their contact information is included on the flyer.

Training Symposium
Sheraton SPI
March 1-5, 2010

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Wednesday	3/3/2010	MGT310 (24 hours) - Threat & Risk Assessment [see above]
Thursday	3/4/2010	MGT310 (24 hours) - Threat & Risk Assessment [see above]
Friday	3/5/2010	HWS020 (8 hours) - Safe Practices for Traffic Incident Responders <i>Traffic incident responders frequently fall victim to "secondary incidents" that occur as they attend to the original incident. The "quick clearance" of traffic incidents is one of the most effective ways to minimize their negative impact. Quick clearance at known "high accident" locations can be enhanced by pre-incident planning that targets the rapid removal of an incident. These plans require a coordinated effort of all responders — including police, fire, EMS, public works and private towing companies.</i>