



# TRCPI

TEXAS REGIONAL CENTER FOR POLICING INNOVATION

## TCLEOSE Training At No Cost

The Texas Regional Center for Policing Innovation (TRCPI) is committed to promoting community policing throughout the state and nation. Through training, technical assistance, and information, the Center and its partners foster police-community partnerships leading to innovative methods of reducing crime and improving neighborhood safety. Additionally, we have broadened our focus to include new cutting-edge topics of interest to modern law enforcement agencies throughout Texas.

## WE GO WHERE YOU ARE

Our training activities have included about 17,500 participants in numerous seminars and conferences, resulting in approximately 140,000 training hours. Thus far, we have conducted trainings reaching participants from 234 counties throughout Texas; these counties represent more than 99.7 percent of the population of Texas.

## TRAINING TO FIT YOUR NEEDS

TRCPI offers a broad range of seminars and courses that qualify for TCLEOSE credit. Additionally, specialized training or technical assistance requests can be tailored to meet your specific agency needs. In addition to our catalog of regular course offerings, we have areas of unique specialized training that includes:

- Engagement of historically excluded groups such as mentally ill and/or cognitively impaired persons, children, G/L/B/T persons, and undocumented persons
- Police-probation partnerships
- Distance learning and interactive television

Whatever your training needs, agencies have a variety of specialty and core community policing seminars to choose from:

## Specialty Seminars

***Human Trafficking*** introduces the increasing problem of this form of modern day slavery, and equips you with the knowledge and increased awareness of victim identification and rescue issues, investigation and prosecution considerations, and an understanding of the need for coordinated community response.

***DNA Evidence: Identification, Collection, and Preservation for Law Enforcement*** supplies the information you need concerning the collection and usage of DNA evidence so that critical evidence will be properly collected, fewer cases will be jeopardized by the mishandling of evidence, and more cases can be solved by the effective use of this technology.

***Implementing Community Policing*** provides insight into programmatic and practical considerations regarding the community policing philosophy, including ways of getting the community involved in community policing.

***The Role of Local Intelligence in Homeland Security*** is a seminar created by the Wichita State RCPI integrating local agencies' community policing endeavors with the homeland security effort.

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## Core Courses

**Community Oriented Policing & Problem Solving (COPPS).** Introduces you to community and problem oriented policing, as well as a comparison of traditional models of policing.

**Supervising in a Community Oriented Policing Environment.** Gain an understanding of your supervisory role and learn tools to be successful leaders in a community policing environment. Also includes the evolution of policing; changing roles of managers and supervisors; roadblocks to community policing; changing organizational structure to facilitate community policing; and evaluation of officers.

**Ethics & Integrity** is designed for line officers and provides an innovative approach based on the reality of law enforcement by using the actual experiences of participants.

**Early Warning.** Learn a process for identifying, intervening, and following up with officers who exhibit potentially problematic conduct using data and criteria defined by your organization.

**Citizen Complaints.** Gain the knowledge and skills to assess the citizen complaint process specific to your department. In this course you will also develop and present a sample process identifying and describing key elements.

**Volunteers in Police Services (VIPS).** Law enforcement agencies are struggling to cope with dwindling budgets, while simultaneously seeking to engage community members more fully in the policing enterprise. Through the Volunteers in Police Services (VIPS) program, agencies can do both by generating ideas on how to implement and sustain meaningful and successful initiatives when law enforcement and community volunteers partner together.

**Fear Reduction.** Build the knowledge and skills needed to deliver presentations in your community to allay residents' fears following the events of 9/11/2001. Provide citizens concrete steps they can take to reassert a sense of control in their lives.

## THE RIGHT STUFF: TOP TRAINING, SERVICE & SUPPORT

Our goal is to provide policing professionals with high-quality, convenient, and no-cost training that is delivered at the highest level of service and support. We will continue to work with you in order to meet your training needs. If you have any questions, comments, or requests, please contact us at:

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