



Training Announcement

Public Safety De-escalation Tactics For Military Veterans in Crisis

1-day Course

Hosted by The San Diego Harbor Police

Military veterans experience a unique set of circumstances upon reintegrating into society post deployment. Veterans can suffer physical and psychological aftereffects from traumatic experiences that can culminate in injury to themselves, their families and public safety/law enforcement personnel. The 8-hour "Public Safety De-escalation Tactics for Military Veterans in Crisis" training is designed to enhance the knowledge, skills and capacity of law enforcement officers and relevant public safety personnel to recognize the factors that impact the veteran's ability to reintegrate into their communities and provide verbal tactical tools to effectively defuse potentially life threatening situations. Relevant public safety personnel include: 911 dispatchers, emergency medical service responders, chaplains, jail personnel, and public safety supervisors and administrators. Upon completion of the course, participants will be able to demonstrate a set of specific skills and de-escalation strategies that can be used when responding to crisis calls.

Training Content

- Identification of wartime stressors
- The effects of multiple deployments
- Understanding the emotional impact of both wartime stressors and converging conditions which place returning veterans at risk
- The definition of Post-Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) and other mental health disorders effecting military veterans
- Challenges of veterans with reintegration into society and their families
- Verbal de-escalation tactics to defuse critical incidents
- Resources available to veterans and their families

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Cost

Free

Date

January 15, 2013

Sign In: 7:30AM

Training: 8:00AM - 5:00PM

(Lunch on own)

Location

**Hilton San Diego Airport/
Harbor Island**

Spinnaker Meeting Room
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