



Course Announcement

To: All Law Enforcement Agencies

From: John C. Moses
Director of Criminal Justice

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Date: October 15, 2026

Re: **Law Enforcement Active Shooter Emergency Response (PER-275)**
CJP235-5023
MPTC Approval #: P52042 (24 hours)

January 19 to 21, 2027

Location:

- Roland E. Powell Convention Center
4001 Coastal Highway
Ocean City, MD 21842

Dates & Times:

- Tuesday, January 19 to Thursday, January 21
- 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM

Training Registration:

- Refer to the NCBRT Online Registration section of this announcement

Fees:

- Funded by Louisiana State University/NCBRT

Note: A FEMA SID number is required for this course. See the attached NCBRT Online Registration page.

The *Law Enforcement Active Shooter Emergency Response* (LASER) course is designed to provide participants with the knowledge, skills, and abilities to rapidly deploy and neutralize violent offenders during active shooter incidents or mass casualty incidents in order to prevent the loss of innocent lives.

Topics covered during the classroom instruction include the evolution of active shooter incidents, providing valuable lessons to law enforcement officers of any experience level regarding response to an active shooter attack. Classroom instruction covers the planning and implementation of appropriate response measures to achieve the primary goal of stopping a perpetrator in order to protect innocent lives. Participants will also observe and then carry out entry and clearing techniques based on various response team sizes and structural configurations. In addition, the course briefly addresses medical concerns often encountered during an active shooter incident. The class stresses fundamental considerations that, when applied, can significantly improve response efforts.

Finally, the course features numerous practical exercises that employ Non-Lethal Training Ammunition (NLTA) to create a realistic training environment. The scenario-based practical exercises serve to solidify the knowledge gained throughout the course and provide participants the opportunity to apply the techniques learned in class using NLTA Force-on-Force rounds. These practical exercises simulate active shooter scenarios in which responding officers must use the knowledge and tools taught throughout the course to intervene in the incident rapidly.

This physically demanding course raises the stress level of the first responder through real-world scenario-based training. The use of 8mm blank weapons enhances the real-world scenarios. LASER is a hands-on course where participants will be tasked with multiple breaching exercises and real-world scenario-based training. The hands-on field training featured in this course includes information on both mental and physical tools necessary to achieve an effective and efficient response to an active shooter incident.

Upon completion of this course, the student should be able to:

1. Evaluate individual and agency preparedness for an active shooter threat.
2. Apply risk-based decision in an active shooter incident based on management considerations.
3. Move effectively towards an active shooter.
4. Demonstrate tactically sound techniques for engaging an active shooter.
5. Use direct threat care to manage emergency bleeding during an active shooter incident.
6. Process a room during an active shooter incident, involving post-entry with no threat, as well as post-engagement of a threat.
7. Enter a room or building through a locked door or window using the fastest and safest method during an active shooter incident.
8. Eliminate threats in a simulated active shooter incident using critical thinking and risk-based decision-making.
9. Describe the tools and tactics needed to neutralize a violent offender in an active shooter incident to save innocent lives.

This course is designed to meet requirements as mandated by the Maryland Police Training Commission and to meet the annual in-service requirements.

Participant Equipment Requirements

All participants are required to wear their agency-issued work or patrol uniforms. No shorts or short sleeves are permitted. Officer-issued weapons, both primary and secondary, are not required for this course.

Officers are responsible for securing their weapons properly during the training outside of the classroom as is possible. Officers should not have personal or agency weapons (including impact and less-than-lethal weapons), live ammunition, weapon magazines, or flash bangs on them or in the training area (including classroom) at any time during this course.

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FEMA SID

A FEMA SID number is required for registration. You can look up your FEMA SID, or register for a new one, at the following site: <https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid>.

Register

Register online at: [Use this link to register for this class.](#)

Class ID: 35452

Class Access Code: NCBRT275



Create Account

If you have an account with NCBRT, log in to continue registration. If you do not have an account, you will have to create one prior to registration. Once you create an account and log in, you will have a message in your Action List to complete your class registration, or use the registration link above.

Pre-Test

As soon as you complete registration, you will see a link "Begin Class Pre-Test". Click on this link to access the class pre-test. A completed pre-test is required in order to later take the post-test and receive class credit.

In Class

The online registration site is mobile friendly and can be used by any phone, tablet, or computer with internet access. At the end of training, a post-test and class evaluation will be conducted. Bring a device to class that can access the online registration site, so you may complete your post-test and evaluation online. Your post-test will be graded immediately, and you will be able to review the answers. As soon as the post-test is passed and the class evaluation is completed, your Class Information page will update to include a link for your certificate. The certificate may be downloaded as a PDF to your device, or sent as a PDF to your email.

Assistance

If you need assistance with the online registration site, please contact the NCBRT Help Desk at help@ncbrt.lsu.edu or fill out a help request here: <https://lsu.formstack.com/forms/traininghelp>