

NEW! Split-Second Decisions on Deadly Enforcement Encounters **...in a Nutshell (Live online).**

12noon-4:00pm EST June 3, 2024 **Class size is limited, register early!**

This course training delves into the intricacies of **split-second decision-making during life-threatening situations**. This knowledge not only sheds light on the workings of the human mind under extreme stress, but also provides a framework for justifying actions taken in such critical moments. As part of the course, **officers analyze a real-world case study**, allowing them to apply this understanding to practical scenarios.

Who should attend:

All sworn law enforcement officers, supervisors, and administrators subject to a Section 1983 action would benefit from this course.

Attendees gain an understanding of:

- **How the Mind Works in “Split-Second” Decision Making**
- **Officer Immunity Protections in Fourth Amendment Seizures**
- **Defending the Objective Reasonableness Officer Standard**
- **Avoiding Vicarious Supervisory Liability**

Performance Objectives:

- **Write and defend a Critical Incident Statement**
- **Develop “Split-Second” Reaction**
- **Keep under the Color of Office Umbrella**
- **Analyze your agency’s Deadly Use of Force policy.**

Topics:

- **Supreme Court decisions that support officer’s actions**
- **Staying on point during document and testifying**
- **Key Supreme Court cases governing use of deadly force**



Take Aways: **Model Policy and Critical Incident Report Form.** Recommended Educational, Reading Materials and certificate.

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Regular Tuition: \$355 first registrant/\$280 each additional (PO’s Vouchers, postmarked on or after May 30, 2024)

Prepaid Tuition: \$325 first registrant/ \$250 each additional (All CC payments and checks postmarked by May 29, 2024)

P.O’s, Vouchers, Claims, DOJ accepted but does not guarantee tuition rate

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