



## **Training Announcement:**

# **Rescue Task Force for Law Enforcement**

**(fka Team Tactics for Patrol Officers)**

**December 14 - 15, 2017**

**State Preparedness Training Center**

*The course has not changed - only the name. Students who have already completed TTPO should not register for this course.*

### **Course Description**

Rescue Task Force for Law Enforcement (formerly known as Team Tactics for Patrol Officers, or TTPO) is an active shooter response course designed to prepare law enforcement officers for a follow-on response to an Active Shooter Event (ASE) and other types of Aggressive Deadly Behavior (ADB). This course builds on the principals and skills taught in the Initial Response to Active Shooters (IRAS) and other basic level active shooter courses (including ALERRT and LASER). Students will apply these lessons to emerging threats involving the response of 4-8 follow-on law enforcement officers. Students will also apply techniques that enable law enforcement to integrate EMS in indirect areas to “stop the bleeding”. Students will discuss and/or practice: establishing and maintaining leadership and communication, creating and maintaining warm zones and casualty collection points, searching for and locating casualties, and forming a rescue task force.

### **Topics Include**

Establishing Incident Command and a Warm Zone; Team Tactics for responding to an ASE; Operating in an Indirect Threat Area; and Establishing a CCP and EMS Integration

### **Course Provider**

This course is being taught by a team of instructors from the State Preparedness Training Center and the National Center for Security & Preparedness.

### **Location**

State Preparedness Training Center  
5900 Airport Road, Oriskany, NY 13424

### **Times**

December 14-15, 2017: Registration and Check-In (7:30am-8:00am), Course (8:00am-4:30pm)

## Cost

There is NO FEE for this course. *Lunch will be provided.* Travel and all other meals are the responsibility of the course participant.

## Audience

You must be a certified Police/Peace Officer who is authorized to carry a firearm in the course of his/her duties to attend this course. You must also be a U.S. citizen or have prior approval. The New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) reserves the right to determine eligibility for this course.

**\*NOTE\*** This course is comprised of several activities requiring physical exertion. This includes a great deal of time walking, jogging and standing, as well as the negotiation of stairwells between multiple floor levels. Some of this activity may be conducted in low-light conditions. Accordingly every student should be aware of this and consider self-exclusion if s/he has concerns about their physical condition or suffers from any health or other physical abnormality that may place them at risk during periods of significant physical exertion.

## Prerequisites

All students must have completed either the *Initial Response to Active Shooters (IRAS)* or an equivalent basic active shooter response course such as ALERRT or LASER. Students must provide proof of completion in order to be approved for this course.

## Student Equipment Requirements

Students should bring their duty belt and wear comfortable clothes conducive for force-on-force, reality-based training. Jeans and BDU pants are acceptable, as well as long sleeve t-shirts or button down long sleeve shirts and shoes that you normally wear during the course of duty. You may bring a ballistic vest if you wish, but it is not mandatory. All necessary protective gear required for force-on-force training utilizing non-lethal training ammunition (NLTA) will be provided to you. If you have your own protective gear, such as Simunition® or ATK® that you normally wear during FoF training, you may bring it, but it must be approved by staff before allowing you to use it during the training. Each officer is responsible for properly securing his or her weapon(s) during the training course. No personal or agency weapon (including impact and less-than-lethal weapons), live ammunition, weapon magazines, or flash bangs are to be on the officer or in the training area (including classroom) at any time during this course. Note: The SPTC has gun lockers for the storage of weapons during class.

## New SPTC Registration Process

In 2017, DHSES launched a new registration process for the State Preparedness Training Center (SPTC). Course registrations will be accepted through the web-based SNAP system. All student registrations will be reviewed by the SPTC. Once you are accepted into this course, you will receive a confirmation email from the Center.

To register for this course, access the SPTC's Training Calendar online:

<http://www.dhses.ny.gov/training/calendar/?agency=SPTC>.

## No Show Policy

Failure to attend a class you have registered for can result in restriction on future course attendance and agency notification. If you have not received a confirmation or denial two weeks prior to the course date, please contact DHSES, SPTC at (315) 768-5689 or [SPTC.INFO@dhSES.ny.gov](mailto:SPTC.INFO@dhSES.ny.gov)

## Lodging

Lodging will be provided on the nights of December 13 and 14, 2017 for public sector personnel.

You are eligible for lodging if your residence and official work station are more than 50 miles from the SPTC and you are public sector personnel. Lodging is not available for federal employees or private industry participants. You must be enrolled in the course and have received lodging confirmation from the SPTC before arriving at the Center, or your lodging will not be covered and you will not be allowed in the class.

If you have any questions, please contact the SPTC at 315-768-5689 or [SPTC.INFO@dhSES.ny.gov](mailto:SPTC.INFO@dhSES.ny.gov) prior to arriving at the Center.

**For More Information, please contact the DHSES State Preparedness Training Center (SPTC)**

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