



Wichita Falls Police Department Training Calendar

October 2018

Crisis Intervention Training 40 Hour Course (TCOLE Course #1850)

October 01-05, 2018 / 40 hours / \$30
0800 – 1700

This course is a required course to be completed no later than the second anniversary of the date the officer is licensed or the date an officer applies for an intermediate proficiency certificate, whichever date is earlier. The begin date to satisfy this requirement is April 1, 2018.

With increasing frequency, law enforcement is being called upon to respond to individuals in serious mental health crises. It is necessary for law enforcement personnel to understand mental illness, and the tactics and techniques that have been proven to work most effectively when responding to individuals in these situations. These tactics and techniques are different than those routinely taught to officers to manage conflict. Generally, the underlying element behind mental illness-related behavior is usually not criminal or malicious. Utilizing the information from this course, and implementing effective strategies can help keep the officer safe, keep the public safe, and greatly reduce civil liability.

For more information: Email mark.wise@wfpd.net or call 940-720-5059.

***** FOR THOSE NOT EMPLOYED BY THE WICHITA FALLS POLICE DEPARTMENT ONLY****

To register for this course, go to www.signupschedule.com/wfpdtraining and enter your contact information for the course you would like to attend. You no longer need to fax or email a registration form to sign up for a course.



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Tactical Medical for First Responders Course (TCOLE Course #3835)

**November 05, 2018 / 8 hours
0800 – 1700**

The Tactical Medical for First Responders program is designed to define a Medical Threat Assessment, to include a medical plan for a tactical operation. Students will learn how to apply techniques to control life threatening bleeding during Care under Fire in a (HOT ZONE). Additionally, they will perform techniques to treat life threatening and non-life threatening injuries during Tactical Field Care in a (WARM ZONE). During the program students will demonstrate lifting, moving and extricating victims from a tactical or hostile environment during Tactical Evacuation Care.

All registration for this course must be submitted through the Federal Law Enforcement Training Centers (FLETC) website.

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November 2018

Tactical Medical for First Responders Course (TCOLE Course #3835)

**November 06, 2018 / 8 hours
0800 – 1700**

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December 2018

De-Escalation Techniques: Limiting the Use of Force in Public Interaction (TCOLE Course #1849)

**December 04, 2018 / 8 hours / \$10
0800 – 1700**

**December 11, 2018 / 8 hours / \$10
0800 – 1700**

The purpose and focus of a de-escalation training is to improve the response of officers to incidents that involve persons in crisis, who are behaving erratically, emphasizing that public and officer safety are at the heart of this training process. Tactical De-escalation involves the use of techniques to reduce the intensity of an encounter with a suspect and enable an officer to have additional options to gain voluntary compliance or mitigate the need to use a higher level of force while maintaining control of the situation.

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Civilian Interaction Training (TCOLE Course #30418)

**December 06, 2018 / 8 hours / \$10
0800 – 1700**

**December 13, 2018 / 8 hours / \$10
0800 – 1700**

Senate Bill 30, titled the “Community Safety Education Act,” was passed by the 85th Regular Session of the Texas Legislature in 2017. SB 30 was developed with the goal of providing information to drivers, the public, and students, and also training for members of law enforcement, on the expectations that each should have during a contact between officers and motorists. Officers receive best practice instruction on their expected behaviors and reactions during a citizen contact.

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Unless otherwise stated, all training courses will be conducted at the Public Safety Training Center located at 710 Flood, Wichita Falls, Texas. All courses are TCOLE credited unless stated otherwise. **Students must attend the complete course to receive TCOLE credit and certification. If you have obligations that would require you to miss any portion of a course, please understand that you will not receive TCOLE credit or certification for that course.** Course registration will close five business days prior to the start date of the class. For additional information you may call 940-720-5059.

Dress Code:

- Collared shirts are preferred. Shirts with writing or images, which compromise the professional image of the Wichita Falls Police Department, will not be allowed.
- No halter tops or “muscle” shirts.
- No shorts or cut-off jeans unless specifically approved for a particular course.
- No flip flops, thong shoes, slides, shower type shoes, or toe shoes allowed.