

# EL PASO COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

## REGION VIII TRAINING ACADEMY

### 1ST QUARTER TRAINING CALENDAR



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2020/2021 Course Description	DEC.	JAN.	FEB.
<p><b>FEDERAL/STATE/DEPARTMENTAL TRAINING: (24 hrs.)</b>            This training will cover all Federal, State, and Office mandated training for Peace Officers unless otherwise indicated.</p> <p><b>Day 1</b>  <b>(0500-0900) (4 hrs.)</b> Low Light Quals/Use of Force (TCOLE 2095)  <b>Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Ofc. J. Martinez</b></p> <p><b>Requirement: Bring primary weapon only. Bring duty ammo as well.</b></p> <p><b>(1000-1400) (4 hrs.)</b> Taser Recert (TCOLE 3347) <b>Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Taser Recert open to all EPCSO personnel.</b> <b>Ofc. M. Chavez</b>  <i>Mandatory annual recertification for El Paso County Sheriff's Office personnel who carry Electronic Control Weapon in their duty assignment.</i></p> <p><b>Day 2</b>  <b>(0800-1700) (8 hrs.)</b> C.I.T. Update (TCOLE 3843) <b>Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b>            This course provides a review of the key concepts, safety techniques, and communication skills initially taught in the crisis intervention section (Chapter 29) of the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE) Basic Peace Officer Curriculum. This course will include a combination of lecture, scenario role-play. Participants are expected to be actively involved.  <b>This course is a TCOLE training cycle requirement if the officer does not achieve Intermediate Certification before the end of the training cycle.</b>  <b>This course is MANDATORY for EPCSO Peace Officers once every calendar year per CALEA.</b></p> <p><b>Day 3</b>  <b>(0800-1700) (8 hrs.)</b> High Risk Felony Stops (TCOLE 3404) <b>Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Prerequisite- Must be a peace officer.</b></p> <p><b>Limited to 20 students</b></p>	<p>1-3 16-18</p>	<p>5-7 27-29</p>	<p>2-4 24-26</p>

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<p><b>CANINE ENCOUNTERS: (4 hrs.) TCOLE 4065</b>                      This course covers: Texas State Animal Laws; Recognizing &amp; Understanding Canine Behavior; Non-lethal tools/methods/resources to avoid and defend against canine attack; Conflict Avoidance, De-escalation, &amp; Use of Force Continuum Principles; Other Techniques &amp; Surviving an Attack; and Other Animals in the State of Texas.  <b>Every peace officer first licensed on or after January 1, 2016, must take this course within 2 years of being licensed.</b>  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1200</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p> <p><b>CIVILIAN INTERACTION TRAINING PROGRAM (C.I.T.P.): (2 hrs.) TCOLE 30418</b>                      The purpose of this course is to educate officers on the expectations of conduct when in contact with the public during a traffic stop. This course will also inform officers on training provided to the public on the public's required actions during a traffic stop.  <b>Every peace officer licensed before January 1, 2018, must complete this course within 2 years.</b>  <b>Time: 1300-1500</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p>	N/A	20	N/A
<p><b>CRISIS INTERVENTION TRAINING (C.I.T.): (40 hrs.) (TCOLE 1850)</b>                      This course provides the key concepts, safety techniques, and communication skills. This course will include a combination of lecture, scenario role-play, and physical modeling. Participants are expected to be actively involved both verbally and physically.  <b>Peace Officers licensed on or after 04/01/18 must take this course within 2 years of licensing, if not taken during BPOC, or before the date the officer applies for an Intermediate Proficiency Certificate, whichever date is earlier.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p>	N/A	N/A	22-26

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<p><b>DE-ESCALATION: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 1849)</b>                      The purpose of this course is to improve the response of Peace Officers to incidents that involve persons in crisis, who are behaving erratically. The emphasis of public safety is at the heart of this training  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification AND it is a TCOLE training cycle requirement if the officer does not achieve Intermediate Certification before the end of the training cycle.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p>	N/A	N/A	11
<p><b>DEFENSIVE DRIVER'S COURSE: (6 hrs.) (TCOLE 3931)</b>                      This course is designed to familiarize the student with skills that will improve their chances of avoiding future collisions that could result in serious injury and/or death. The student will learn techniques for driving defensively.  <i>Per Policy, all personnel authorized by EPCSO to operate a County vehicle must attend a Defensive Driving Course, provided by the Academy, every three (3) years during the course of their employment with the Office.</i>  <b>Prerequisite- Licensed Drivers</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1500</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila/Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p>	N/A	14	N/A
<p><b>HEARTSAVER AED/CPR AHA INSTRUCTOR COURSE (8hrs.) (TCOLE 3832)</b>                      This is an instructor certification and instructor re-certification course. This course will cover all of the American Heart Association guidelines and updates. Topics covered: Adult, Child and Infant CPR and the use of the AED. All of the students will be required to teach a basic Heartsaver course as part as their teach-backs and practical exam.  <b>Pre-requisite: Students must have a TCOLE instructor certificate.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p>	N/A	28	N/A

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<p><b>HEARTSAVER AED/CPR AHA RECERTIFICATION: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 3832)</b>                      This is a <b>recertification</b> course that will review the use of AED with CPR based on recent updates. (2 sessions)  <i>For EPCSO personnel only.</i>  <b>**When registering, please indicate session**</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1200 and 1300-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor(s): Academy Staff</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students per session</b></p>	N/A	N/A	17, 26
<p><b>INTERMEDIATE INMATE RIGHTS AND PRIVILEGES: (16 hrs.) (TCOLE 3502)</b>                      This course will provide the officer with the history of the Constitution and its amendments in order to provide a better understanding of the rights and privileges inmates possess. The course will go into the differences between a right and a privilege. The course additionally provides the officer with case laws and established precedence.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Jailer Certification.</b>  <b>Time 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p>	N/A	12-13	22-23
<p><b>INTERMEDIATE INTERPERSONAL COMMUNICATIONS IN CORRECTIONS: (16 hrs.) (TCOLE 3503).</b>                      This course is designed to provide the Detention Officer with an understanding of basic communication skills and the ability to use them.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Jailer Certification.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p>	N/A	N/A	10-11
<p><b>INTERMEDIATE SPANISH CHALLENGE EXAM: (TCOLE 2111)</b>                      Please note that this is a challenge exam. No TCOLE credit hours will be given; however, successful completion of this course will satisfy the TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Certification. (2 sessions)  <b>**When registering, please indicate session**</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1000 and 1300-1500</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students per session</b></p>	9	N/A	3

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<p><b>INTERMEDIATE SUICIDE DETECTION AND PREVENTION IN A JAIL SETTING: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 3501)</b>                      This course will help the officer to take a proactive approach to identifying and preventing suicidal attempts in a jail setting. This course is designed to train the officer on early warning signs and symptoms an inmate may possess. This training will make the officer aware of potential liabilities that may occur when suicides are successful in a facility. The officer will additionally become aware of the state and national statistics on suicides in lockups.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Jailer Certification.</b>  <b>Time 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p>	4	N/A	2
<p><b>INTERMEDIATE USE OF FORCE IN A JAIL SETTING: (16 hrs.) (TCOLE 3504)</b>                      Upon completion of this course, the student will have a thorough understanding of the use of force guidelines when using force on an inmate and to follow established protocol with the policy and procedures. The officer will understand the defenses to prosecution as depicted in Chapter 9 of the Penal Code along with the causes of disruptive behavior and disturbances and will be able to take preventative actions to protect against potential civil liability.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Jailer Certification.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p>	9-10	N/A	9-10
<p><b>MENTAL HEALTH TRAINING FOR JAILERS: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 4900)</b>                      In compliance with Senate Bill 1849, this course will provide an understanding of mental impairments and their impact within the jail system.  <b>This course is a legislatively mandated course that is to be completed by August 31, 2021, by persons in the position of county jailer on September 1, 2017, per Occupations Code section 1701.310 (SB1849 section 4.08(b).)</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p>	29	N/A	17, 18
<p><b>OLEORESIN CAPSICUM (O.C.) SPRAY RECERTIFICATION: (2 hrs.) (TCOLE 3343)</b>                      Mandatory biennial recertification for El Paso County Sheriff's Office personnel who carry O.C. in their duty assignment. (2 sessions)  <b>**When registering, please indicate session**</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1000 and 1300-1500</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students per session</b></p>	28	21	N/A

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<p><b>PPCT COMPREHENSIVE RE-CERTIFICATION: (8 hrs.) TCOLE 2040</b>                      This course is designed as a refresher course for officers on how to understand, define and explain the components of survival learning research, control principles within PPCT systems. Demonstrate proficiency in Tactical handcuffing, PPCT joint locks, Pressure point Techniques, Defensive Countermeasures/Strikes.  <i>Mandatory biennial recertification per Policy 6.08 for El Paso County Sheriff's Office uniform personnel.</i>  <b>Time: 0800-1700 hrs.</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students.</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>**Maximum Level**</u></b></p>	22	25	N/A

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<p><b>ARMED DETENTION OFFICER SIMULATOR TRAINING – NO TCOLE CREDIT</b></p> <p>The simulation training gives Detention Officers a virtual setting similar to real life situations which gives them the opportunity to experience different scenarios in a jail and courtroom setting and in transporting inmates and allows officers to test their abilities and reactions.</p> <p><b>Prerequisite- Must be an Armed Detention Officer.</b>  <b>**When registering, please indicate session**</b></p> <p><b>Time: 0800-1100 and 1300-1600</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>Limited to 6 students</b></p>	10	N/A	23
<p><b>BASIC PATROL RIFLE CERTIFICATION: (24 hrs.) (TCOLE 3322)</b></p> <p>This is a basic course that introduces the student to the nomenclature, care, operation and qualification of department approved AR-15 Rifle. Students must bring their assigned rifles, cleaning equipment and appropriate range attire.</p> <p><b>Requirement: Outside Agencies will need a minimum of 350 rounds of .223 and 150 rounds of handgun ammunition per student.</b></p> <p><b>Prerequisite: Peace Officers only.</b></p> <p><b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez/Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p> <p><b>**Maximum Level**</b></p>	28-30	N/A	N/A
<p><b>BASIC SHOTGUN CERTIFICATION: (24 hrs.)</b></p> <p>This is a basic certification course. It is required for those persons who will be carrying a shotgun on duty or using a shotgun during the course of specific assignments. <u>This is not a recertification course or practice.</u></p> <p><b>For EPCSO Detention Officers only.</b>  <b>Must attend all three days.</b></p> <p><b>Day 1 &amp; 2:</b> Basic Shotgun Certification (TCOLE 2055)  <b>Day 3:</b> Less Lethal Impact Weapons Training (TCOLE 3345)</p> <p><b>Requirement: Must bring the shotguns from their respective duty assignments. The Academy will not provide the weapons.</b></p> <p><b>Prerequisite: Student must not be prohibited by state, federal law, or rule from attending training by the commission through suspension or revocation; must currently hold a Jailer's certification.</b></p> <p><b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b></p> <p><b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	N/A	20-22	N/A

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<p><b>DETENTION OFFICER DAY FIREARMS/BI-ANNUAL QUALIFICATIONS – NO TCOLE CREDIT</b>  <i>Mandatory for Detention Officers of the El Paso County Sheriff's Office who carry a handgun in their duty assignment. Armed Officers assigned shotguns and/or rifles will qualify with all weapons when attending.</i>  <b>Requirement: Must wear long sleeve and must bring weapon qualifying with. (IE shotgun, etc.)</b>  <b>Two sessions only. Promptly beginning at start times indicated below.</b>  <b>Time: 0800 and 1300</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	14	4	10
<p><b>OPEN RANGE - NO TCOLE CREDIT</b>  <i>The firearms range will be open to all <b>EPCSO Deputies and Armed Detention Officers</b> who are interested in practicing their shooting skills.</i>  <b>Requirement: Must provide your own ammunition.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1100 and 1300-1600</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>**Maximum Level**</b></p>	11, 18	8, 29	5, 26
<p><b>PEACE OFFICER DAY FIREARMS/BI-ANNUAL QUALIFICATIONS – NO TCOLE CREDIT</b>  <i>Mandatory for Peace Officers of the El Paso County Sheriff's Office who carry a handgun in their duty assignment. Armed Officers assigned shotguns and/or rifles will qualify with all weapons when attending.</i>  <b>Requirement: Must wear long sleeve and must bring ALL weapons qualifying with. (IE shotgun, etc.)</b>  <b>Two sessions only. Promptly beginning at start times indicated below.</b>  <b>Time: 0800 and 1300</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	21	11	N/A
<p><b>PEACE OFFICER SIMULATOR TRAINING – NO TCOLE CREDIT</b>  <i>A virtual training simulator where officers can test their reflexes and decision making skills in hundreds of shoot/no shoot scenarios. The simulator immerses participants in a panoramic scene of incidents and with a simple click, the officer can escalate simulated confrontations prompting officers to deploy guns or O.C. spray.</i>  <b>Prerequisite- Must be a Peace Officer.</b>  <b>**When registering, please indicate session**</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1100 and 1300-1600</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>Limited to 6 students</b></p>	17	N/A	11



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<p><b>PRACTICAL PISTOL ACCELERATOR: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 2055)</b>                      The student will obtain an overview of marksmanship fundamentals, drills, and tools to create a "Better Shooter". The student will obtain information on the foundation required to become more efficient behind a handgun. The student will be able to recognize errors in their own shooting, and correct errors. The student will also learn techniques to improve shooting with a minimal round count. The student will leave the firearms range with a plan for improvement.  <b>Requirement: Must bring duty handgun, duty belt, magazine carrier, body armor, eye/ear protection (instructors can issue these if needed), appropriate footwear (closed toe shoes/boots), means of hydration, and note taking material (small notebook and pen is recommended).</b>  <b>Outside agencies must bring 400 rounds of handgun ammunition.</b>  <b>Prerequisite: Must be an Armed Detention Officer or Peace Officer.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez</b>  <b>Limited to 10 students</b>  <b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	N/A	N/A	25
<p><b>RED DOT OPTIC TRANSITION COURSE: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 6019)</b>                      This course is required for the use of a Red Dot Optic on a duty, secondary or off duty handgun per Office policy. This training will cover the fundamentals of employing the Red Dot Optic equipped pistol.  <b>Requirement: Must bring Red Dot equipped handgun and duty belt or holster.</b>  <b>Time: 0800-1700</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez/ Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Limited to 10 Students</b>  <b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	3	N/A	4
<p><b>WEAPON MOUNTED LIGHT TRANSITION: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 6019)</b>  <b>For EPCSO Deputies only.</b> The purpose of this course is to educate Peace Officers on the proper use and deployment of any weapon mounted light system in the line of duty per Office policy.  <b>Requirements: Weapon Mounted Light, duty belt, and duty hand gun.</b>  <b>Time: 0500-0900</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. J. Martinez/Dep. M. Avila</b>  <b>Limited to 20 students</b>  <b>** Maximum Level**</b></p>	4	N/A	N/A

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## ONLINE POWER DMS

**Must follow regular protocol for registration.**

<p><b>CHILD SAFETY CHECK ALERT LIST: (1 hr.) (TCOLE 4068)</b>                      This course covers the Child Safety Check Alert List (CSCAL) law to include; purpose of the list; steps to perform upon encountering persons listed on CSCAL; and proper reporting when encountering a child or person listed on CSCAL.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification.</b>                      Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</p>	<p><b>Must register by November 30</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by December 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by January 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>
<p><b>COMBINED RACIAL PROFILING AND ASSET FORFEITURE: (6 hrs.) (TCOLE 3257)</b>                      The student will be able to identify the legal aspects and the legislative requirements placed upon peace officers and law enforcement agencies regarding racial profiling and demonstrate understanding of the forfeiture of seized property.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification.</b>                      Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. J. Pizana</p>	<p><b>Must register by November 30</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by December 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by January 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>
<p><b>CULTURAL DIVERSITY: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 3939)</b> Upon completion of this course the student will be able to identify the various dimensions of diversity. TCOLE mandated course for Peace Officers and Jailers. This course is required only <u>ONE TIME</u> during the four year cycle to maintain a Basic Peace Officer &amp; Detention Officer License. Those holding a Peace Officer Intermediate or higher are exempt from this provision.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer certification AND it is a TCOLE training cycle requirement if the officer does not achieve Intermediate Certification before the end of the training cycle.</b>  <b>All Jailers must take this course during TCOLE Training Cycle, unless exempted by Certification level in another license.</b>                      Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</p>	<p><b>Must register by November 30</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by December 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by January 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>
<p><b>IDENTITY THEFT CRIMES: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 3277)</b>                      Upon completion of this course students will be able to identify the types of identity crimes according to the Federal Trade Commission; recognize how identity crimes occur; recognize the legal aspects of identity crimes; request information needed for an identity crime offense report; recognize techniques for educating victims and the public on identity crime.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification.</b>                      Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</p>	<p><b>Must register by November 30</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by December 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by January 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>

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<p><b>LEGISLATIVE UPDATE: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 3186)</b>                      This course will cover recent judicial decisions that are important for law enforcement officers, administrators, and policy makers. This course is a general summary of selected court cases and changes to Texas' criminal law as wrought by the 86th session of the Texas Legislature.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for current training unit (09/01/19 – 08/31/21) for all Peace Officers.</b>                      Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. J. Pizana</p>	<p><b>Must register by November 30</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by December 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by January 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>
<p><b>MISSING &amp; EXPLOITED CHILDREN COURSE (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 3275)</b>                      This course provides a basic overview of trends and background information relevant for a first responder or investigator responding to a missing or exploited child report. This training is not intended to replace detailed training of any individual sub-topic. Continue to consult specialized trainings for additional policies, best practices and legal definitions.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification.</b>                      Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</p>	<p><b>Must register by November 30</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by December 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by January 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>
<p><b>OFFICER STRESS IN CORRECTIONS: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 2190)</b>                      Whether it's acknowledged to be factual or not, stress is a silent killer among correctional officers and detention officers. This viewpoint is often challenged by correctional officers who resist the suggestion it can happen to them as they are stronger than the average person working inside a large jail or prison thus immune to such an invasion of the body, spirit or mind. This class will provide student with the awareness of stress and stress-related issues within the Correctional setting.                      Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. L. Trevino</p>	<p><b>Must register by November 30</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by December 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by January 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>
<p><b>PRISON RAPE ELIMINATION ACT (PREA): (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 3507)</b> The Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) of 2003 is a Federal law established to address the elimination and prevention of sexual assault and rape in correctional systems. PREA applies to all federal, state, and local prisons, jails, police lock-ups, private facilities, and community settings such as residential facilities.                      Coordinator/Instructor: Ofc. M. Chavez</p>	<p><b>Must register by November 30</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by December 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>	<p><b>Must register by January 31</b>                      Open the entire month</p>

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<p><b>PURSUIT POLICY: (4 hrs.) (TCOLE 6019)</b>                      This course will cover EPCSO Policy 9.03 - it is the policy of this Office to only engage in vehicular pursuits in response to the most serious incidents, when the risk of allowing the subject of the pursuit to remain at-large is greater than the risk of the pursuit itself. Therefore, the Office, by this policy, regulates the authority to engage in vehicular pursuits and the manner in which vehicular pursuits are undertaken.  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. J. Pizana</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by November 30</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by December 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by January 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>
<p><b>SPECIAL INVESTIGATIVE TOPICS: (8 hrs.) (TCOLE 3232)</b>                      The goal of this course is to provide the student with a better understanding of Texas State laws concerning Child Abuse and Child Protective Services; to provide the student with the information for dealing with sexual assault interviews involving both children and adults; to have the student learn what is mandated for registered sex offenders and to learn about the different types of sex offenders and sex offenses.  <b>This course is a TCOLE requirement for Intermediate Peace Officer Certification AND it is a TCOLE training cycle requirement if the officer does not achieve Intermediate Certification before the end of the training cycle.</b>  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by November 30</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by December 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by January 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>
<p><b>TEMPORARY HOLDING FACILITIES: (2 hrs.) (TCOLE 6019)</b>                      This course provides procedures for the temporary detention and supervision of persons who are awaiting arrest paperwork, questioning or testing, prior to being booked into El Paso County Detention or Annex Facility per EPCSO Policy 6.10.  <b>Coordinator/Instructor: Dep. M. Avila</b></p>	<p><b>N/A</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by December 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>	<p><b>Must register by January 31</b>  <b>Open the entire month</b></p>

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### 3RD QUARTER TRAINING CALENDAR



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>YOU CAN <a href="#">EMAIL</a> OR FAX YOUR REGISTRATIONS TO (915) 856-4883.</b></li><li>• <b><a href="#">REGISTRATION FORM</a></b></li></ul>	
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#### **\*\*Physical Fitness Requirement\*\***

Some courses offered by the El Paso County Sheriff's Office Region VIII Training Academy will require a degree of physical fitness.

**Minimum Level-** This level will consist of walking, stepping, and very light cardiovascular exercise.

**Medium Level-** This level will consist of jogging; minimal levels of calisthenics (i.e. push-ups, sit-ups, side straddle hop); and/or beginning levels of hands on contact (i.e. PPCT and O.C.).

**Maximum Level-** This level will consist of running; sprinting; advanced calisthenics; and/or advanced levels of hands on contact (i.e. mobile field force, physical fitness exams).

**Medium and maximum-** These levels will require a blood pressure screening and students who do not pass will not be allowed to participate without a doctor's release on file.