



Northwest Illinois Criminal Justice Commission

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Standardized Field Sobriety Testing -Refresher

DATE: March 20, 2019

Registration Ends: March 18, 2019

TIME: 11:00 AM—3:00 PM 4 Hours

LOCATION: Stockton Police Dept., 105 W. North Avenue, Stockton, IL

INSTRUCTOR: Robert Finn, SFST instructor, IDNR

Training Goal: The primary focus will be on enforcing the DUI segment, including the implied consent provision. A Standardized Field Sobriety Testing proficiency exam will be given utilizing the newest SFST curriculum. This exam will serve as a SFST recertification to satisfy IDOT requirements for DUI grants.

The Compassionate Use of Medical Cannabis Pilot Program Act enacted January 1, 2014, created new challenges for law enforcement personnel. According to statute, the law enforcement officer must have an independent, cannabis-related factual basis, giving reasonable suspicion that the person is impaired by cannabis. After establishing these elements, an officer may ask the driver to submit to Standardized Field Sobriety Tests. Under this statute, the results of SFSTs will be the primary tool in determining impairment.

This 4-hour block of instruction will also provide officers with an overview of the non-standardized tests and eye exams which will aid in the determination of cannabis impairment. The ultimate goal is to reduce the number of crashes, deaths and injuries caused by impaired drivers.

Objectives: Upon completion of this training officers will be able to:

- Describe the implied consent provisions of the statute
- Summarize scientific research related to driving and cannabis usage
- Administer SFSTs utilizing the newest SFST curriculum
- Pass a SFST proficiency exam with standards from the newest SFST curriculum
- Administer eye checks to determine cannabis usage
- Recognize signs and symptoms associated with cannabis usage
- Administer non-standardized field sobriety test

This class involves hands-on practice in administering the Standardized Field Sobriety Testing according to the National Traffic Highway Safety Administration (NHTSA) standards

Partial funding provided by Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board and MTU#1's request for certification of this course has been approved by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board

REGISTRATION:

All registrations are received on the [MTU#1 website](#). Find Registration instructions [here](#)

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This class has been submitted to ILETSB for approval in meeting mandatory training for:

Mandated Annually

- Law Updates** Use of Force (must include scenario based or similar approved)

Mandated once every 3 years (begin 1/1/16)

- Civil Rights** **Constitutional and proper use of law enforcement authority**
 Cultural competency Procedural Justice Human Rights

Mandated once every 3 years (begin 1/1/17 all/ within 2 yrs. for investigators)

- Sexual Assault Trauma Informed Response
 Sexual Assault Trauma Informed Investigator

Mandated once every 3 years (begin?)

- Mental Health Awareness

Mandated 32 hours every four years after initial training

- Lead Homicide Investigator training