



Northwest Illinois Criminal Justice Commission

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PREA Investigator Training for Allegations of Inmate Sexual Abuse

DATE: October 28-29, 2024

Registration Ends: October 1, 2024

TIME: 8:00 AM—5:00 PM 16 Hours

LOCATION: Stewart Centre West 2900 West Pearl City Road, Freeport, IL

INSTRUCTOR: Jeff Carter-LLRMI

Course Objectives:

This 2-day training is designed for those who are responsible for investigating allegations of sexual abuse and sexual harassment of inmates in facilities-both administrative and criminal investigations. The topics covered in this seminar align directly with the training required for investigators as specified in PREA standard 115.34(b).

This seminar discusses why these sexual abuse investigations are different and what special skills and knowledge is required. It also provides an understanding of how sexual abuse victims may respond; techniques for interviewing sexual abuse victims proper use of Miranda and Garrity Warnings; proper collection and preservation of evidence in confinement settings; procedures for preserving the objectivity and integrity of the investigation; and the criteria and evidence required to substantiate administrative findings and criminal prosecution.

At the conclusion of this training, participants will:

1. Understand the unique nature of investigating sexual abuse in confinement.
2. Know the techniques for interviewing sexual abuse victims.
3. Know the proper uses of Miranda and Garrity Warnings.
4. Know proper techniques for the collection of physical evidence.
5. Understand best practices for reaching investigative conclusions.
6. Describe the level of evidence needed to substantiate both administrative and criminal findings.

Who Should Participate:

Jail Administrators, Audit Coordinators, PREA Coordinators or those in positions responsible for Investigating PREA Allegations

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:

On-line registration for law enforcement is found [here](#) on the MTU#1 website (www.mtu1.com)

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