

Southern Illinois Criminal Justice Training Program

Mobile Team Unit 15

Training Announcement

Name of Training	Class ID#	Course ID#
ILETSB SRO Refresher	200250	75041

Date(s) of Training	Time	Hours	Location
May 4-5, 2026	8:30 A.M 4:30 P.M.	16	Mt. Vernon PD 600 S. 27 th St. Mt. Vernon, IL 62864

Course Description

School Resource Officers are required to take a 16 hour SRO Refresher course, every two years. This School Resource Officer Refresher course is intended for current SRO's whose certifications need to be updated, to prevent them from expiring.

The final day of this 2-day class will be devoted to the necessary Active Threat Response training utilizing force-on-force scenarios. This will require participants to provide protective equipment including a thick long-sleeve shirt or jacket, gloves, and safety glasses. Officers should also bring all duty belt gear, <u>excluding</u> any and all weapons (firearms, TASERS, OC Spray, knives, etc.).

BRING laptop to class w/charger, instructors will send handouts/pdf to your email for you to print or put on your laptop for class.

Course Objectives

- ✓ Juvenile law update
- ✓ Dealing with Bullying behavior
- ✓ Recognizing violent trends among students
- ✓ Handling student mental health issues
- ✓ Use of Force when dealing with an active threat

Instructor



Gail P. Sullivan graduated from Loyola University (BA) and DePaul University (MA) with honors. She has worked in the field of social services and criminal justice for the past 25 years in the private and public sector. She has provided therapy to children who have been sexually traumatized by abuse and neglect. She managed an organization with over one hundred employees (Illinois certified) to serve the needs of sexually traumatized and problematic children under the age of twelve years. As an expert, she has sat on the State's Attorney Task Force for the Mass Molestation of Children and The Cook County Child Death Review Team. She has developed a curriculum that meets State requirements for the certification of juvenile police officers. She provides training for the Cook County Adult

Probation Department, Illinois Crisis Intervention Team and Homeland Security, as well as MTUs across the state of Illinois.

Mandates Met by This Training

This course is approved by ILETSB meets the following mandates: Civil Rights, Constitutional Use of LE Authority, Crisis Intervention, Cultural Competency, Human Rights, Legal Updates, Procedural Justice, Psychology of Domestic Violence, Reporting of Child Abuse and Neglect, and Use of Force/ De-escalation Techniques

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