



Law Enforcement Training Advisory Commission

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16-HR. Patrol Isolation & De-escalation End User Course

Funded in the Partnership with the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board

DATE: November 9-10, 2026

TIME: 8:00am – 4:00pm

LOCATION: ICAT Building – 3120 S. Business Rt. 51, Decatur, IL 62521

INSTRUCTORS: Bruce Liebe & Patrol Isolation & De-escalation Instructors

NON-MEMBER FEE: \$0.00

REGISTRATION LIMIT: 16

Meets Illinois Mandates: De-escalation Techniques (12.50hrs + 7.00hrs Scenario) and Officer Safety techniques, including cover, concealment, and time (3.50hrs + 3.50hrs Scenario)

COURSE OBJECTIVES: The ITOA Patrol Isolation & De-Escalation End User Course is based on the fact that an effective police response to an individual in a mental health, and/or chemically induced crisis, is enhanced and more effective when first responders have commonalities of philosophy, training, tactics, techniques, equipment, verbiage and capabilities.

COURSE CONTENT: Officers will learn tactics, techniques and procedures that assist them in creating distance, cover, intervening barriers, isolating persons in crisis, less lethal force options, and decision-making. The focus of this course is to provide response approaches and alternatives in cases where the person experiencing a crisis is not in possession of a firearm. Patrol Isolation & De-Escalation involves both classroom and application of tactics and techniques to expand response options and to increase discretionary time to enhance decision-making.

EQUIPMENT NEEDED: Duty great & safety glasses.

TO REGISTER: Email registration to register@letac.org. You may also fill out and submit our online registration form through the website at www.letac.org or call 217-726-7014 to register by phone. **MTU #10 member agencies will be given registration preference until seven days prior to the date of class. After that date, registrations will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis, regardless of MTU status. We cannot accept registrations from individual officers. All registrations must go through your Chief, Sheriff, or department training office, even if you are attending class on your own time.**

CANCELLATION: If a class must be canceled for any reason, every effort will be made to do so at least 2 weeks before the class is scheduled to begin.

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