

# **COMMUNICATIONS TRAINING OFFICER, 4th Edition**

This dynamic and very comprehensive six-week course provides you with the tools and information you need to **maximize your skills** as a public safety communications **training professional**. Through completion of this course, you'll learn how to design and conduct CTO <u>and</u> classroom training that ensures trainees truly learn the skills and knowledge needed to survive and succeed in this rapidly changing and critically important profession.

## PREREQUISITES:

This course is designed for current and aspiring CTOs, classroom trainers, training coordinators, and supervisors.

## BENEFITS OF TAKING THIS COURSE:

After taking this course, you will be able to:

- Design and conduct successful standardized CTO and classroom training programs.
- Understand and apply the qualities of an effective CTO and classroom trainer.
- Understand and apply the techniques for successful oral communications.
- Understand and apply successful coaching and counseling techniques.
- Evaluate and document trainee performance fairly and accurately.
- Recognize and solve common training problems.
- Understand how learning styles impact training.
- Understand how to avoid training liability issues.

#### WHAT YOU'LL RECEIVE:

- Comprehensive 102-page course textbook, Sample Standard Evaluation Guidelines (SEG), Daily Observation Report (DOR), Training Action Plan, Classroom Evaluation Form, CTO Trainer Critique Form and Classroom Trainer Critique Form.
- The ability to interact with your peers discover common problems find out what's working for them share information and materials build a support network of friends in like positions.
- One-on-one mentoring feedback and assistance from your instructor as you build your training/coaching skills.
- Certificate of Completion from **Profile Evaluations, Inc. and the Public Safety Group** awarding **30 training hours** upon successful completion of the course.

#### **COURSE OUTLINE:**

#### Week 1: The Big Picture

- Objectives of a Standardized Training Program
- Qualities of an Excellent Trainer
- Roles and Responsibilities of a Communications Training Professional
- Adult Learning Principles and Adult Learning Styles

#### Week 2: Getting your Message Out

- Active Listening Skills to Enhance Comprehension
- Skills for Communicating One-On-One
- Skills for Communicating Praise and Correction
- Skills for Communicating to a Group

#### Week 3: Designing Standardized CTO and Classroom Training Programs

- Basic Elements to Remember
- Levels of Learning
- Instructional Methodologies
- Identifying Training Needs and Writing Lesson Plans
- Structuring Your CTO Training Program

# Week 4: Conducting Standardized CTO and Classroom Training

- Rates of Learning
- Conducting CTO Training
- Coaching and Counseling Others
- Conducting Classroom Training
- Encouraging the Heart Motivating Peak Performance
- Trainer Motivation

## **Week 5: Evaluating Performance**

- Standard Evaluation Guidelines (SEG)
- Performance Evaluation Forms (Daily Observation Form (DOR), Training Action Plan, Classroom Training Evaluation Form)
- General Guidelines for Evaluating Trainee Performance

#### Week 6: Avoiding Legal Pitfalls and Tackling the Tough Issues

- Avoiding Legal Pitfalls Civil Claims of Negligence
- Tackling the Tough Issues Common Problems CTOs Encounter
- Remediate or Terminate?
- Course Wrap-Up and Final Exam

# TUITION: THIS COURSE IS TAUGHT OVER 6 WEEKS VIA PEI-911 ONLINE.

\$455.00 – includes all course materials.