

# Chemical Agent Instructor Course



40-Hours  
POST Certified  
Plan II

## COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This is a forty-hour Train the Trainer's Course in the instruction of non-lethal chemical agents.

This course is certified under P.O.S.T. Plan II and is open to peace officers possessing a basic P.O.S.T. certificate. The course is designed for officers assigned to a SWAT Team and it is recommended that officers currently be assigned to a tactical team.

## Topics included in the course are:

- Types of Chemical Agents
- Methods of Delivery
- Tactical Deployment
- Agency Liability
- Use of Air Purifying Respirators
- Techniques of Teaching
- and more

## Course Requirements:

- Each student is required to bring:
- A gas mask/ APR
- Eye and Ear protection (i.e. shooting glasses and foam ear protection)
- Nomex gloves
- Appropriate clothing
- Calculator
- Samples of chemical agents used by their agency
- Launching Systems used by their agency (i.e. 37/40mm and/or 12 gauge).

## COURSE STAFF

- Craig Beery - SDSO, ret
- Dennis Cole - SDSO, ret
- Josh Defoe - SDPD
- Mike Forbes - SDSO
- Phil Myers - Costa Mesa
- John Pokorny -SDSO

## REGISTRATION:

Sign up online at  
[www.catonews.org](http://www.catonews.org)

## COST:

- CATO Members - \$510
- Non-Members - \$540

Class size is limited, Early registration is recommended

## Course Contact:

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