

Course Summary:	This course focus will be on the legal definition, classification and elements of hate crimes. Trainees will be instructed on recognizing indicators of hate crimes, legal rights and remedies available to victims of hate crimes, and the impact of hate crimes on victims, victim's families and the community. Other topics will include mandatory documentation of hate crimes, desecrating religious symbols, interfering with religious freedom, and terrorizing another. Trainees will learn of enhanced penalties for hate crimes, federal criminal statutes, Civil Rights Acts (Ralph and Bane Acts) and ways of dealing with suspects.
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Performance Objectives:

- A) List the legal definition, classification and elements of hate crimes.
- B) Recognize indicators of hate crimes.
- C) Describe legal rights and remedies available to victims of hate crimes.
- D) List 3 impacts of hate crimes on victims, victim's families and the community.
- E) Describe mandatory documentation of hate crimes.
- F) Discuss consequences of interfering with religious freedom and desecrating religious symbols.
- G) Identify mandatory documentation of hate crimes, enhanced penalties for hate crimes and federal criminal statutes.
- H) Explain how to deal with suspects.

Course Outline

Day	Time Begin (24 Hour)	Time End (24 Hour)	Subject or Topic	Instructional Methodology
1	0800	1000	Introduction and overview of course. Legal definition, classification and elements of hate crimes. Indicators of hate crimes.	Lecture Group Discussion
1	1000	1200	Legal rights and remedies available to victims of hate crimes. Impact of hate crimes on victims, victim's families and the community. Mandatory documentation of hate crimes.	Lecture Group Discussion Audio/Video Clip
1	1200	1300	Lunch	
1	1300	1500	Desecrating religious symbols and interfering with religious freedom. Terrorizing another. Enhanced penalties for hate crimes.	Lecture Group Discussion Audio/Video Clip
1	1500	1700	Federal criminal statutes. Civil Rights Acts. Dealing with suspects. Summary, feedback, and evaluations.	Lecture Group Discussion Evaluation