

## Special Operation Response Team Training "SORT"

This 4.5-day (40 hours) agency instructor level certification program is designed for agencies to train and certify correctional officer as "INSTRUCTORS" in Special Operation Response Team tactics for jails, camps, and prisons. This course is designed to enhance the agencies in the use of how to select, deploy and maintain a SORT Teams and Squads especially for correctional environments, and

primarily focuses on the high level situations within these facilities, such as officer rescue, use and deployment of specialty impact munitions, regaining the facility, dayroom, cell pod, recreational yards and other areas within the correctional facility when the use of disturbance control teams have been ineffective, and a higher level of force is needed. We will address the use of different less lethal options, contingency plans, logistics and equipment needed to help protect departments from costly litigation issues. This is a physically demanding program! Students are issued 3 BASIC INSTRUCTOR certifications – Tactical Chemical Munitions, Specialty Impact Munitions, and SORT

## Topics covered in the program include:

- Pre-screening personnel & evaluations
- Team drills and stacking
- Equipment and gear selection
- Establishing a munitions list & testing
- How to establish a sort team
- Aerosol munitions selection & deployment
- Contingency planning and operations
- Establishing sort standards
- Interacting with riot teams
- Firearm selecting and establishing criteria
- Tactics for operating in a contaminated environment
- Specialty impact munitions deployment
- Chemical munitions deployment
- Active countermeasure for weapon control
- Integrated use of force options
- Ground stabilization tactics
- Documentation & medical issues

**Duration:** 4.5 Days **Tuition:** \$849.00

**Equipment Required:** Assigned department duty gear used for responding to emergency situations inside your facility to include holster, pistol, impact weapon, handcuffs with key. Helmet with drop shield, protective equipment, body armor, gas mask and riot shield.

Learn from experienced instructors with real world experience in field applications.