

FBI National Academy Associates Washington Chapter Proudly Announces  
Training for all First Responders and Mental Health Professionals

# Police De-Escalation Strategies For Veterans in Crisis

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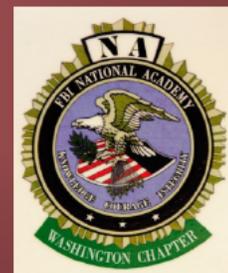
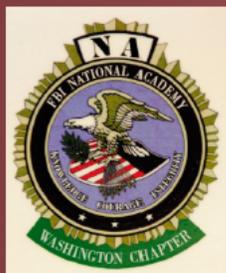
**Upper Midwest Community Policing Institute**

*A Regional Center for Public Safety Innovation*

**June 6, 2012 – Renton, WA**

At the: American Legend

200 SW 34<sup>th</sup> Street Renton, WA



## TRAINING CONTENT

- Military culture, values and beliefs
- Identify wartime stressors that veterans have experienced
- Identification of converging conditions that are likely to increase veteran/police contact
- The effects of veterans' military training and combat experience
- The stigma that can be associated with psychological health problems
- Techniques to create dialogue, rapport, and common reference points for application of de-escalation principles
- Officer safety principles
- The basics of PTSD
- Verbal de-escalation strategies that help to defuse critical incidents
- Resources available to veterans and their families

## HOW CAN YOU MAKE SURE YOU ARE PREPARED?

This training will feature three lessons learned presentations detailing officer involved shootings involving veterans from the following communities over the past two years; Vancouver PD, Yakima PD and Lakewood PD. These presentations will tie the overall training topic of police de-escalation strategies for veterans in crisis.

This course addresses converging conditions that indicate higher risk for stress-related disorders as veterans readjust to civilian life. This is their new normal. The training extrapolates these conditions to identify situations whereby police personnel will be called to respond to veterans in crisis whose military training and combat experience may be hazardous to police personnel.

### COST

\$50 FBINAA Chapter Members  
\$75 Non-Members

Registration: 7:45AM  
(Coffee/pastries available)  
Training: 8:30AM - 5:00PM  
(Lunch provided)

REGISTER ON THE FOLLOWING FORM

Training Questions?  
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Lessons Learned Training Invoice

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**Police De-Escalation Strategies For Veterans In Crisis**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Law Enforcement Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Additional attendees from agency if paying with same check or credit card including email address

(add names on back if necessary)

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ National Academy Members @ \$50 each Total \_\_\_\_\_

Magnetic Name Tag for NA Member ONLY \$24 Total \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Non-Members @\$75 each Total \_\_\_\_\_

Payment method: Check No. \_\_\_\_\_ Cash \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Card (see below)

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