



Pepper Spray Defense™ 4hr Basic Certification Course

In today's society, law enforcement, security, corrections, military and protective services agencies realize that less lethal pepper spray defense strategies and techniques are essential for protecting themselves, aggressors, and the public that they serve. These agencies also understand that mitigating liability begins with proper training and education in Pepper Spray Defense™ strategies and techniques.

The Pepper Spray Defense™ training program is designed for public safety officers to reduce the potential of injury and liability risk when lawfully restraining and controlling an aggressive subject.

- All participants will receive the book Pepper Spray Defense™ Student Manual, an Inert practice spray and a Certificate of completion.

Call us today to schedule a Pepper Spray Defense™ Course – for YOU and your agency.

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Pepper Spray Defense™ provides training and education that is designed to empower officers, increase awareness, knowledge and skills in OC Aerosol sprays, techniques, and defensive tactics strategies.

Pepper Spray Defense™ 4hr Basic Course Outline

Introduction	
Introduction to the Pepper Spray Defense	
The First Rule of Training = Safety	
Modular Based Training	
Modules and Objectives	

Module One

What is Pepper Spray?

- Oleoresin
- Capsicum
- Capsaicin
- Concentration / Percentage of OC
- SHU's
- HPLC
- Physiological Symptoms
- Psychological Symptoms

Module Two

Use of Force and Self-Defense

- Awareness of Liability Risks.....
- Agency Policies and Procedures.....
- What is Self-Defense?
- Lawful Use of Force and Self-Defense
- Levels of Force Continuum
- Subjects Actions – Officer’s Actions
- Subject and Officers Factors
- Increasing the Level of Force

Module Three

Defensive Tactics Fundamentals.....

- Fundamentals
- The Bladed Stance
- Defensive Movement (Forward Shuffle)
- Defensive Movement (Rear Shuffle)
- Defensive Movement (Side to Side Shuffle)
- Core Energy Principle
- Defensive Verbalization
- The Art of Distraction
- Escape Strategies
- Reactionary Gap
- Spraying Distances

Module Four

OC Holding & Drawing Positions

- High Ready Position
- Low Ready Position
- Proper Holding Positions for OC Sprays
- Strong Side Draw
- Support Side Draw

Module Five

Personal Defense Techniques

- Block & Spray
- Block, Draw & Spray

Module Six

Contact and Cover Team Positioning
 Contact and Cover
 Standing Position (Contact and Cover)
 Kneeling Position (Contact and Cover)
 Prone Position (Contact and Cover)

Module Seven

Spraying Techniques
 How to Use OC Pepper Spray
 Types of Delivery Systems
 Fogger Sprays
 Cone Sprays
 Gel Sprays
 Stream Sprays
 Foam Sprays
 OC Spraying Techniques
 How to Use OC Pepper Spray
 OC Pepper Warnings & Tips

Module Eight

Escape Techniques
 Escape from Standing Position
 Escape from Kneeling Position
 Escape from Prone Position
 Ground Defense
 Tactical OC Spray Considerations
 Examining Common OC Deployment Errors

Module Nine

Post Decon Procedures
 Post OC Spray Considerations
 OC Decon Procedures
 Baby Shampoo and Water
 Neutralizing Agents

Module Ten

Post Incident Response & Documentation
 Post Incident Response
 Post Incident Documentation
 Elements of Reporting Force

Reference Guide and Bibliography

Pepper Spray Defense™ Student Training Requirements

- Pepper Spray Defense™ 4hr. Training Course Certification

- Student must pass the twenty five question written exam with an 80% or better. One re-test allowed. If student fails re-test, course must be taken over again.
- Student must pass the proficiency skills test with an acceptable rating.
- Recertification is required every other year. (no time requirement for recert) *Student must pass written and proficiency test for recertification. *Yearly training is recommended.

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