



# Southern Illinois Criminal Justice Training Program

*Mobile Team Unit 15*

## Training Announcement

Name of Training			Class ID#	Course ID#
<b>Sexual Assault Investigator (Day 2)</b>			<b>200314</b>	<b>72221</b>
Date(s) of Training	Time	Hours	Location	
August 29, 2025	8:30-4:30	8	MTU 15 Headquarters 1740 Innovation Drive, Room 241 Carbondale, IL	

### Course Description

This course will provide investigators who assist victims of sexual assault with the necessary components to conduct a victim-centered, trauma-informed investigation. This training will cover areas of proper response, legal issues, trauma, and the necessary tools for interviews and evidence collection. Case-based scenarios will be used to provide the framework for the application of this procedure.

### Course Objectives

*Upon completion of this class students will be able to:*

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| ✓ Identify vulnerable populations    | ✓ Identify who are sex offenders     |
| ✓ Identify who are the victims       | ✓ Identify serial sex offenders      |
| ✓ Recognize barriers to reporting    | ✓ Understand propensity of evidence  |
| ✓ Recognize the "cycle of mistrust"  | ✓ Recognize associated crimes        |
| ✓ Initiate investigations            | ✓ Documentation and report-writing   |
| ✓ Conduct preliminary interviews     | ✓ Prepare for interviews             |
| ✓ Work with Advocates                | ✓ Victim interviewing                |
| ✓ Use social media in investigations | ✓ Suspect interviewing               |
| ✓ Identify evidence considerations   | ✓ Detect deception and false reports |

### Important Information

Public Act 99-0801 amended the Police Training Act and mandated training for investigators in trauma-informed responses to investigations of sexual assault and sexual abuse crimes prior to January 1, 2019. This training meets the requirement of that law.

**Investigators attending this training must have attended Day One of the *Sexual Assault Trauma Informed Response for Patrol* offered on the previous day.**

**Students must bring laptop to class.**

### Instructor

The instructors for this class will be Louis Easton, in conjunction with the Attorney General's Office.

### Mandates Met by This Training

This course is ILETSB approved for the following mandates: **Civil Rights, Constitutional and proper use of law enforcement authority, Procedural Justice, Legal Updates, Human Rights, Lead Homicide Investigator, Sexual Assault Investigator Training**

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