Training Bulletin

California Coroner Training Center
Orange County Sheriff-Coroner Department

BASIC DEATH INVESTIGATION COURSE
MODULE B

POST control number: 2060-31200-13002

The Basic Death Investigation Course is designed to develop the death investigation knowledge and skills of newly hired Coroner and Medical Examiner Investigators and all Deputy Sheriff Personnel with Coroner responsibilities. The full course provides 80 hours of education delivered in two 40-hour modules. Module B topics include: Psychological Autopsy and Profiling, Tool Marks & Biological Material, Anthropological Recovery, Forensic Anthropology, Post Traumatic Stress Disorder, Critical Incident Stress Management, Death Investigation in the Age of Terrorism, Basic Anatomy, Fire Death Investigation & Explosives, Asphyxial Deaths, Unusual Forensic Cases & Toxicology, Firearms, Forensic Dentistry, Blood Splatter Interpretation & Court Room Testimony.

California POST requires Peace Officer Death Investigators who fall under Penal Code section 830.35 (c) to complete both Module A and B within the first 12 months of their date of appointment. Other courses or education cannot be substituted in lieu of this requirement. Peace Officer Death Investigators who fall within Penal Code section 830.1 are strongly encouraged to complete this course.

This is a 40-hour P.O.S.T. certified Plan IV course that complies with POST Regulation 1005(a) (5) (minimum training standard for peace officer coroners). Course credit is also accepted by ABMDI and may be applied toward continuing education requirements. Full attendance is necessary for course credit and POST reimbursement. Please consider this when making travel arrangements.

Date:	April 14 through April 18, 2014 (Mod B)
Time:	8:00 am to 5:00 pm
Location:	California Coroner Training Center 1071 West Santa Ana Blvd., Santa Ana, CA 92703
Prerequisite:	Successful Completion of Module A
Tuition:	Prepaid through Module A

Parking is available at 1020 West Civic Center Drive in the Stadium Structure. The Training Center does not validate parking so please budget accordingly.

Local Hotel Accommodations: Mention California Coroner Training Center Course to receive preferred rate.

Ayers Hotel
2550 East Katella Avenue, Anaheim
(714) 634-2106 or (800) 595 5692

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Secondary Hotel

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