



MISSOURI SHERIFFS' ASSOCIATION

OC PEPPER SPRAY INSTRUCTOR COURSE & RE-CERTIFICATION

SEPT. 25, 2025
8:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m.

COLE COUNTY

POST CLEE CREDIT
4 Hours Legal Studies
2 Hour Technical Studies
2 Hour Skill Development

3 YEAR CERTIFICATION
Successful graduates of this course will receive a three-year instructor certification certificate along with a 4-hour end-user lesson plan and visual aids.



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CLASS OVERVIEW

This 8-hour Instructor Course prepares successful graduates to train end-users on the proper deployment of OC (oleoresin capsicum) and to care for individuals exposed to the product.

In addition to covering deployment techniques for OC pepper spray, the course emphasizes:

- The appropriate circumstances for using pepper spray as a force option
- Proper decontamination procedures
- The importance of monitoring individuals for adverse medical effects following exposure

TOPICS COVERED

- Legal aspects of OC deployment
- OC pepper spray containers and minimum deployment distances
- Common spray patterns and target areas
- Steps to reduce the possibility of hydraulic needling
- Acceptable decontamination solutions
- Documenting the use of OC pepper spray

SUCCESSFUL COMPLETION REQUIREMENTS

Participants must pass a written exam with a score of 90% or better and demonstrate the ability to properly deploy inert training spray.

NOTICE TO STUDENTS: ALL STUDENTS IN THIS COURSE WILL BE EXPOSED TO OC AS PART OF THE REQUIREMENTS FOR INSTRUCTOR CERTIFICATION.

DISCLAIMER: This program includes practical exercises that require active participation. Students should be in good physical condition to ensure successful course completion, as the program involves exposure to oleoresin capsicum and various physical activities.

Students with conditions that might impair their ability to participate—such as high blood pressure, heart problems, lung issues (including bronchitis and asthma), or allergies—are responsible for obtaining medical clearance prior to enrollment. Individuals who have undergone any type of eye surgery within the past 12 months are not permitted to attend.

The Missouri Sheriffs' Association assumes no responsibility for students who do not seek medical consultation prior to course participation. Students unable to participate in the exercises will not be able to complete this instructor-level course.

Each student is responsible for ensuring they are physically capable of meeting the requirements of this course.

LOCATION:

MSA Training Building
6605 Business 50 West
Jefferson City, MO 65109

COST:

Contracted Agency: FREE (\$50 no show fee)
Non-Contracted Agency: \$100
**No refunds for no shows.*

REQUIRED EQUIPMENT:

- Clear safety glasses
- Clothing suitable for physical activity
- Change of clothes & towel for drying

NOTE: Cost includes manuals, study material and CLEE credit. Students are responsible for all lodging, meals, and transportation expenses.

REGISTRATION:

<https://mosheriffs.com/training> or by emailing the attached registration form to: gina@mosheriffs.com

DEADLINE: September 12, 2025

CLASS SIZE: Limited to 16 attendees.

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