

Lassen Community College Course Outline

AJ-171 CDCR Off Post Training for Custody Staff

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I. Catalog Description

This course is designed to provide annual off post training to California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation (CDCR) custody staff. This course is repeatable when legally mandated for continued paid or volunteer employment.

Pre-requisites: California Department of Corrections Basic Correctional Academy

Transfer Status: Not for Transfer

8 hours Lecture

Scheduled: Fall, Spring, Summer (as needed)

II. Coding Information

Repeatability: None

Grading Option: Pass/No Pass

Credit Type: No Credit

TOP Code: (210500)

III. Course Objectives

A. Course Student Learning Outcomes

Upon completion of this course the student will be able to:

1. Given typical and atypical workplace scenarios, the student will be able to demonstrate appropriate behavior, evaluation, response and follow-up as custody staff.
2. Identify and explain applicable regulations and processes affecting job performance as custody staff.

IV. Course Content

A. Use of Force

- a. Use of Force Policy
- b. Reasonable, Unnecessary, Excessive and Deadly Force
- c. Use of Force Options

B. Report Writing Review/Update

C. Escape Prevention/Pursuit

- a. Methods of escape which have been used by inmates
- b. Basic correctional awareness rules
- c. Inmate count regulations

D. Emergency Operations

- a. Emergency Operations Plans
- b. Response types
- c. Responsibilities

E. Partnership in a Correctional Environment

F. Suicide Prevention

- a. Warning signs and risk factors for suicidal behavior
- b. Myths and facts about suicide
- c. Mental health referral process

- d. Suicide methods common to the correctional environment
- G. Alarm Response
 - a. Responsibilities of an on-site responder
 - b. Selection of an assembly area
 - c. Alarm Response formations

V. Assignments

A. Appropriate Readings

All handouts/literature provided by CDCR.

B. Writing Assignments

Written exams and responses, On the Job Training (OJT) logs

C. Expected Outside Assignments

OJT logs

D. Specific Assignments that Demonstrate Critical Thinking

Practical scenarios

VI. Methods of Evaluation

Written Exams and Skill Performance

VII. Methods of Delivery

Check those delivery methods for which, this course has been separately approved by the Curriculum/Academic Standards Committee.

Traditional Classroom Delivery

Correspondence Delivery

Interactive Television Delivery

Online Delivery

VIII. Representative Texts and Supplies

Topic specific handouts provided by CDCR

IX. Discipline/s Assignment

Administration of Justice

X. Course Status

Current Status: Active

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