

# Bloodstain Pattern Analysis: Basic Level

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**December 5 - 9, 2022**

**LOCATION:** TCMPA Clubhouse - 300 Rankin Dewalt Rd., Texas City, TX

**TIME:** 8AM - 5PM

## ABOUT THE COURSE

This is a 40-hour basic course of instruction in Bloodstain Pattern Analysis. The course is designed for investigators, crime scene technicians, forensic scientists, and others involved in criminal, medical, or legal investigations involving blood shedding events. This course takes a hands-on approach to understanding bloodstain patterns. Approximately 50% of the course consists of experiments and practical exercises. It provides basic knowledge of bloodstain pattern analysis and the fundamentals of bloodstain pattern interpretation, documentation and reporting.

*This program has been evaluated by the International Association of Bloodstain Pattern Analysts (IABPA) and is designed to meet the minimum standards recommended by the IABPA and the International Association for Identification for a Bloodstain Pattern Analysis Basic Course.*

**PREREQUISITES:** None.

## YOU WILL LEARN

- To recognize and identify bloodstain pattern evidence at the scene.
- To properly document, preserve and submitted suspected blood samples to a qualified crime laboratory for testing and analysis.
- To document their observations and actions in written reports.
- To properly identify mechanisms by which specific stains may have been created.
- Equipment selection and use for investigating crimes scenes with bloodstain evidence.
- To Recognize biohazards and personnel safety procedures.

## ABOUT THE INSTRUCTORS



Rudy Flores started his career in 1982, serving as a deputy sheriff, and municipal police officer before joining the Texas Department of Public Safety, where he served as a Trooper, Sergeant and Texas Ranger. He holds a Bachelor of Science degree from Excelsior College and is a graduate of the Leadership Command College at Sam Houston State University. Retiring in 2015, he continues to work as a professional trainer and consultant. Rudy is now the Sheriff of Anderson County.



Nick Webb retired in 2010 with over 20 years of service as a municipal police officer. His last position was as the Palestine (Texas) Police Department Patrol Division Commander (Lieutenant). He holds an Associates of Science degree from Trinity Valley Community College and is a graduate of the FBI National Academy. After retirement he served as an investigator at the Henderson County Sheriff's Office (2010-2015). He is now Chief Deputy of the Anderson County Sheriff's Office.

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*THIS COURSE IS APPROVED FOR 40 HOURS CREDIT BY THE TEXAS COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT THROUGH THE HOST AGENCY.*

## REGISTRATION

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**Fee \$595**

\*\*\*\* \$695 after November 15th, 2022 \*\*\*\*

No Refund on Early Registration. (substitutions are allowed)

**TO REGISTER FOR THIS CLASS, FOLLOW THE 3 EASY STEPS LISTED BELOW.**

**STEP 1** - Identify Payment Method:    Check    Credit    Card    Cash    PO#: \_\_\_\_\_

**STEP 2** - Fill out the student registration information (one student per form please):

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Texas PID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Student Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Student Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Invoice Contact: \_\_\_\_\_

Invoice Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Invoice Email: \_\_\_\_\_

**STEP 3:** Mail or Email this form to the address below:

**EMAIL:** register@txfact.com

**MAIL:** TxFACT, LLC  
1020 East Lacy Street  
Palestine, TX 75801

**Make Checks Payable to:**

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No telephone registrations or payments are accepted.

## PAYMENT

We gladly accept Visa, MasterCard, Discover, American Express, Department Purchase Orders, Checks and Cash. If paying by credit card, please check the above "Credit Card" box. We will email you an invoice with a secure link for payment. **DO NOT INCLUDE YOUR CREDIT CARD NUMBER ON THE REGISTRATION FORM.**

## REQUIRED EQUIPMENT & DRESS CODE

Note Taking materials. A digital camera for documenting class exemplars and participating in photographic exercises is suggested.

Clothing appropriate for a law enforcement agency. No flip-flops, shorts, open-toed shoes or tank tops.

**FOR INFORMATION: (903) 922-0057 OR RUDY@TXFACT.COM**