

Sexual Assault Investigations: **Forensic Protocols & Procedures**

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LOCATION: 601 - 54th Street Galveston, Texas

TIME: 8AM to 5PM

ABOUT THE COURSE

This program is taught from a practitioner's point of view. It benefits the investigator or patrol officer assigned to investigate sexual assault cases from initial report to completion. Techniques to resolve these cases in a way that will give the best chance of successful prosecution for the guilty and to protect the rights of the innocently accused are stressed. A "holistic" approach to the resolution of adult and child sexual assault cases making use of stakeholders and using common sense tactics as resources to find the truth is taught. Tactics for resolving sex cases with delayed outcries through interview of victims/witnesses and interrogation of suspects will be demonstrated to the attendees. **PREREQUISITE:** None.

YOU WILL LEARN

- Importance of the Initial Report
- Proper Documentation, Collection, and Packaging Techniques
- Methods to Detect, Photograph and Enhance Latent Evidence
- Resources to Assist in the Investigation
- Critical Questions that Must Be Asked of Victims
- Methods for Identification of Suspect Personality Type
- Techniques for Interviewing Suspects
- When Polygraph is Used to Assist
- Techniques for Documentation in Reports and Affidavits
- Testimony in Sexual Assault Cases

ABOUT THE INSTRUCTORS



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 (Texas) Sheriff's Office (2010-2015). He is now the Chief Deputy of the Anderson County Sheriff's Office.



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, Texas.

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REQUIRED EQUIPMENT & DRESS CODE

Note taking materials.

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

WARNING: This class will include graphic images and videos depicting foul language and sexual content during the course of instruction.

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