**Training Name:** Tactics

**Course Name:** Advanced Hostage Rescue

**Dates:** 03/24/2025 - 03/28/2025

**Venue:** Greater Houston Area
Houston, TX

**Price:** $550

**Instructors:** TTPOA Cadre

## Course Description:

****The Texas Tactical Police Officers Association (TTPOA) Regional 2 Directors will be available to address inquiries via email and will respond between the hours of 1500 and 0700 or on weekends as necessary.****

**OVERVIEW:**

Advanced Hostage Rescue: 5-day class **(MUST BE ASSIGNED TO AN SRT OR SWAT TEAM TO ATTEND)**

Operational planning for HR / break out for specialty (breacher/sniper/medical)

CQB fundamentals (refresher)

CQB NVG

Breaching for HR

Putting it together for final scenario

Hostage rescue is the most dangerous operations law enforcement officers will face. With proper planning and tactics, the risk can be significantly reduced. The course will go into all aspects of elements needed for a successful Hostage Rescue. The preliminary schedule is below. The venues will be in the Houston area TBD.

**Day 1** will begin with the most critical aspect, operational planning. Followed by breakout sessions of the three main specialties within the team (breaching/sniper/medical).

**Day 2** will focus on the breaching aspect of the operation.

**Day 3** will focus on using darkness as an advantage utilizing NVGs.

**Day 4** live fire/sims clearings

**Day 5** will be consisting of it all together with multiple complex scenarios that will require planning, coordinating, breaching, medical. **This is not an introductory course therefore students are required to have baseline understanding of CQB and preferred one of the three specialties skills.**

This course will focus on hostage rescue tactics. Students will receive practical application for conducting HR both as a dynamic rescue team and a deliberate rescue team. All students should have a basic knowledge of CQB prior to attending this course. This course will have a PowerPoint classroom and practical portion.

Topics Covered:

- Room entries
- Team movements – Dynamic
- Team movements – Deliberate
- Hasty rescue plans
- Emergency rescue
- Sniper initiated rescue
- Break and rake teams
- Command post operations
- Electronic equipment – intelligence gathering
- NFDD deployments, HEB considerations on breach points
- Force on Force scenarios

**Required Equipment**

- Tac vest and helmet ***NVG Equipment, and an aiming device PEQ15, MAWL etc***

• Tac belt with rifle and simunition pistol
• Primary weapon (Rifle) and a Simunition upper (bolt)
• NFDD bodies (flash bang bodies)
• Eye and ear protection
• Long sleeve shirt and gloves
• Sims protection
• 350 simunition rounds pistol
• 350 simunition rounds rifle

These instructors teaching this course have extensive training in Hostage Rescue and have been assigned to a full time SWAT team collectively over 25 years. These instructors have had numerous real world Hostage Rescue operations and have had the oppurtunity to train with several entities overseas and locally.

**Cost $550.00**

**Credit card payment is strongly recommended.  Last day to cancel and get your money back will be 02-24-25.  If paying by check, make checks payable to:  TTPOA and send them to PO Box 304, Burnet, Texas 78611 Make sure the check has a note saying " Region 2 Advanced Hostage Rescue Class"**

Any information regarding this course or refunds reach out to Regional Directors Victor Bachar or Michael Swartz

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## Training Description:

TTPOA believes in bringing in some of the best instructors in the country to share their knowledge and experience. If you have requests for a specific instructor or course, contact your Regional Director.