



### **Course Description**

#### **CJK0093 | Critical Incidents | 1.46 credits**

The student will learn about events that can put lives at risk and cause major damage to property and the environment. The student will also learn about the causes of these events and how an effective response can affect a community's ability to recover from an event. For School of Justice students only.

### **Course competencies:**

**Competency 1:** The student will discuss critical incident response by:

1. Discussing the structure of the Incident Command System (ICS) and your role when responding to a critical incident
2. Identifying and preparing your community and personal life for a natural disaster and its aftermath
3. Discussing motivations of an active shooter and the importance of following agency policies and procedures when responding

**Competency 2:** The student will learn about chemical and hazardous materials by:

1. Describing a response to a hazardous materials incident while ensuring public and personal safety
2. Describing responses to incidents involving methamphetamine and chemical suicide while ensuring public and officer safety

**Competency 3:** The student will learn to respond to explosive devices by:

1. Recognizing types of explosive devices and basic protective actions
2. Defining an officer's role when responding to a bomb threat while ensuring public and officer safety
3. Defining an officer's role in searching for an explosive device

### **Learning Outcomes:**

- Communicate effectively using listening, speaking, reading, and writing skills
- Formulate strategies to locate, evaluate, and apply information