



**RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY**  
**Municipal Police Training Academy**

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## **RIMPTA Training Announcement**

### **Police Officer Down Survival (PODS)**

**Program Date: December 6, 2016**

**Time: 0800-1600 hours**

**Location: RI Department of Public Safety  
Municipal Police Training Academy  
Classroom**

The “**Police Officer Down Survival**” course is a first aid course for injuries sustained in a high threat situation. This course translates the military’s Tactical Combat Casualty Care (TCCC) guidelines into useful and job applicable information for the first responding police officer. This course will discuss in detail the difference between routine emergency first aid and emergency first aid which is appropriate during a deadly encounter with human threats.

The objective of the “Police Officer Down Survival” program is to enable first responding police officers to effectively identify and care for other officers or innocent people who are afflicted with life threatening injuries during a critical incident.

Lt. Ryan Duffy is a 16-year veteran of the Newport Police Department with over 20 years of Paramedic 911 emergency medical response service. Lt. Duffy is a FLETC certified Tactical Medic and since 2002 a Tactical Medic on the Newport Police Special Response Team. Lt. Duffy is a National Association of EMTs TCCC instructor and serves as the lead instructor of the Academy’s First Responder Course.

#### **Course Topics**

- ❖ **Recent incidents resulting in police injury or death**
- ❖ **History of TCCC development**
- ❖ **Civilian First Aid vs. Combat life Saving**
- ❖ **TCCC Concepts and Goals**
- ❖ **Warrior Mindset**
- ❖ **Sick vs. Not Sick**
- ❖ **Treating Injuries and Practical Skills application**

**Attendees should come dressed in BDU's or uniform of the day with full duty gear, including body armor and training weapon(s). A portion of the PODS class is a practical action program, expect some physical exertion during this training.**

**The Academy currently requires that recruits provide a tourniquet for training during the recruit First Responder Program. We strongly recommend that attendees bring a department approved tourniquet to this training, if available. Attendees will also benefit greatly by bringing their department "Go Bag" to the PODS training.**

To register, please complete the attached registration form and fax or e-mail to Mrs. Donna Lavalley at (401) 722-3151, [donna.lavalley@risp.gov](mailto:donna.lavalley@risp.gov), by Friday December 2, 2016.

For more information regarding the Rhode Island Department of Public Safety Municipal Police Training Academy please go to: [www.rimpa.ri.gov](http://www.rimpa.ri.gov), click on Upcoming In-Service Training Opportunities.



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<b>Police Officer Down Survival</b>			
Course Dates/Location: <b>December 6, 2016</b> <b>RI Department of Public Safety</b> <b>Municipal Police Training</b> <b>Academy</b> <b>Classroom</b>	Contact Person (Supervisor):	Department/Business Phone:	
<b>PARTICIPANT(S) NAME &amp; RANK</b>			
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<b><u>Please FAX or Email this form to the attention of:</u></b>			
Mrs. Donna Lavallee at <a href="mailto:donna.lavallee@risp.gov">donna.lavallee@risp.gov</a> or (401) 722-3151 (Academy Fax)			
Please contact Captain David Ricciarelli at <a href="mailto:david.ricciarelli@risp.gov">david.ricciarelli@risp.gov</a> or (401) 722-7096, with any questions regarding this training. <b>RSVP by date December 2, 2016.</b>			