



SOUTHERN ILLINOIS CRIMINAL JUSTICE TRAINING PROGRAM

Mobile Team Unit 15

Training Announcement

Name of Training			Class ID#
Drug Endangered Children Training			80457
Date of training	Time	Hours	Location
July 12, 2017	8:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	8.5	Effingham, IL – Keller Convention Center

Course Description

This training by the National Alliance for Drug Endangered Children (DEC) focuses on how to implement the DEC approach which is a comprehensive strategy based on a common vision, collaboration that is on-going between various disciplines and agencies, and on-going changes in practice. This approach has proven to be effective in improving the likelihood of better outcomes for drug endangered children. This training provides insights about how various practitioners including child welfare professionals, law enforcement officers, court/judicial professionals, prosecutors, probation/parole, medical personnel, educators and treatment providers—are in a position to identify, protect, and serve drug endangered children and their families.

Course Objectives

- Gain awareness about drug endangered children and the risks they face.
- Understand the many opportunities to identify children living in dangerous drug environments and the benefits of intervention at the earliest possible point.
- Learn what a multidisciplinary collaborative response looks like and how it incorporates the unique and often limited resources within a community.
- Gain insight about how our own experience, attitudes, values and emotions impact effective collaboration under the DEC Approach.
- Gain insight about our collaborative partners to decrease frustrations when utilizing the DEC Approach.
- Understand how utilizing collaboration leads to more informed decisions and increased likelihood of better outcomes on behalf of drug endangered children and their families under the DEC Approach.

Be able to implement changes in identification of children, mandatory reporting, and evidence and information collection in our respective practices on behalf of drug endangered children.

Instructor

Eric Nation: A career Law Enforcement officer and Task Force Commander that is a certified Drug Endangered Children Instructor and Trainer for the National Alliance for Drug Endangered Children.

Stacee Read: Is the Director of Drug Endangered Children Network Development.

Other Information

This class is sponsored by a COPS grant.

Training Mandates met by this training indicated by √

	Civil Rights		Constitutional and proper use of law enforcement authority
	Cultural Competency	√	Procedural Justice
√	Human Rights		Law Updates
	Lead Homicide Investigator		Use of Force (<i>must include scenario based or similar approved training</i>)

This class is certified by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board