



WESTERN ILLINOIS POLICE TRAINING UNIT

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CURRENT TRENDS IN DRUG ABUSE

DATE: Thursday, March 18, 2010

TIME: 8:00 a.m.—4:00 p.m.

LOCATION: Western Illinois Police Training Unit, 1801 Windish Drive, Galesburg

INSTRUCTOR: Bruce R. Talbot, Sergeant, Chicago Police Department, Retired

COURSE DESCRIPTION:

This one day course addresses the latest trends in substance abuse, including the dramatic shift towards recreational prescription drug use and addiction know as “Poly-pharming.” Special emphasis will be placed on new state drug laws, drug user demographics, concealment techniques, and enforcement recommendations. Drugs to be discussed include:

- Black tar heroin, Cheese, narco-pops, OxyContin, and Fentanyl
- Stimulants: Ice, Cat, Yaba, and cocaine
- Over the counter drugs of abuse: DXM (e.g. “Pink Snurfs”), and Diphenhydramine
- Botanicals: Salvia, Kratom, and Woodrose, Yopo
- New forms of cannabis such as Delta-6 THC, “Firecrackers”, and Green Dragon

This class is ideal for any patrol officer, investigator, or supervisor working in school resource, DARE/GREAT, Stand Tall for Drug Free Schools, crime prevention, narcotic, or gang divisions.

REGISTRATION:

Registration Due Date: March 11, 2010. Contact the Western Illinois Police Training Unit at 309-344-3366; fax 309-344-5215; e-mail wiptu@gallatinriver.net or online www.wiptu.org.