

**SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT  
CROWD CONTROL UPDATE TRAINING  
EXPANDED COURSE 21955 OUTLINE**

I. Introduction/Orientation

A. Registration, Introduction, and Orientation

B. Course Objectives/Overview, Exercises, Evaluation/Testing

C. Safety Rules of Engagement

1. Force Options
2. Heat Casualty Prevention
3. First Aid Procedures
  - a. Equipment Available
  - b. Aid Stations/Personnel

D. Equipment Inspection

1. Helmets
2. Shields
3. Gas masks

Annual employee training per  
OSHA 5144(k), : employees must be able to demonstrate  
knowledge and skills specific to the hazards and uses of gas  
masks in their particular workplace, including  
emergency use.  
OSHA 5144(f) Annual face seal fit testing

II. Mission of Crowd Control

III. Structure of the Platoon

A. Basic Team Composition

B. Arrest Team Composition

C. Squad Composition

D. Platoon Composition

E. Force Composition

F. Command Staff

IV. Deployment of the Platoon

- A. Required Equipment/Preparation
  - 1. Individual
  - 2. Organizational
  - 3. Marking Individual/Unit/Billet Designations on Equipment
  
- B. Transportation
  - 1. Individual
  - 2. Team/Unit

## V. Actions On Site

- A. Unit Staging
  - 1. Location
  - 2. Actions on Scene
  
- B. Movement to Incident Area/Location
  
- C. Tactical Formations
  - 1. Column (Squad/Platoon)
    - a. Purpose
    - b. Command/Arm Signal
  - 2. On Line (Squad/Platoon)
    - a. Purpose
    - b. Command/Arm Signal
  - 3. Wedge (Squad/Platoon)
    - a. Purpose
    - b. Command/Arm Signal
  - 4. Echelon (Squad/Platoon)
    - a. Purpose
    - b. Command/Arm Signal
  - 5. Encirclement (Platoon/Force)
    - a. Purpose
    - b. Command/Arm Signal
  - 6. "T" Formation (Platoon/Force)
    - a. Purpose
    - b. Command/Arm Signal
  - 7. Sweeping Box (Platoon/Force)
    - a. Purpose
    - b. Command/Arm Signal

## VI. Practical Application Exercises

- A. Clear a Street/Intersection- Clearing of simulated intersection

1. Briefing SMEAC (Situation Mission Execution Administration Command)
  - a. Brief the platoon and squad leaders on the mission
2. Movement/Staging
  - a. Command moves the platoon into position
  - b. Selection of appropriate equipment, i.e.,
    1. Helmets
    2. Shields
    3. Gas masks
3. Formation Selection/Actions at Objective
  - a. Have the Command select the appropriate formation to clear a street and intersection.
  - c. Engage the crowd (role players)
4. Consolidation/Stand Down/Debrief
  - a. Have the Command demobilize the platoon and have an after action debriefing.

B. Clear a Building/Warehouse –Clearing of simulated warehouse

1. Briefing (SMEAC)
  - a. Brief the platoon and squad leaders on the mission
2. Movement/Staging
  - a. Command moves the platoon into position
  - b. Selection of appropriate equipment, i.e., helmets, shields, gas masks
3. Formation Selection/Actions at Objective
  - a. Have the Command select the appropriate formation to clear a building or warehouse.
  - c. Engage the crowd (role players)
4. Consolidation/Stand Down/Debrief
  - a. Have the Command demobilize the platoon and have an after action debriefing.