



# California Narcotic Officers Association

## Region IV - San Diego & Imperial Counties

P.O. Box 12782 ■ San Diego, CA 92112-3782

### Live Cook

### (Methamphetamine and GHB)

Following Dates Available

July 10th 2024

0830 to 1730

Vista, CA 92081

(Full address given after registration is validated – Must be Active Law Enforcement)

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### Course Description:

DEA chemists will make methamphetamine and GHB in front of the class and will explain in detail all the steps and safety hazards. The methamphetamine cook will be using pseudoephedrine made using the hydriodic acid reduction method with iodine and red phosphorous. The GHB will be manufactured from GBL and sodium hydroxide. Additionally, under the direction of chemists, attendees will have the opportunity to manufacture substances in class. We will also have a cook of methamphetamine from the pseudoephedrine using the ammonia/metal reduction method. This training is a great opportunity to interact with the chemists and ask anything and everything about the manufacture of methamphetamine and GHB. This class is intended for all peace officers and agents. This class will assist law enforcement officers with their ability to identify labs and should assist the students in their expertise and testimony in court.

For security reasons, only persons confirmed for the class will be admitted. No substitutions or walk-ins. This class is limited to 16 students. Additionally, **All students must wear long pants and closed toed shoes (no exceptions). No firearms allowed in the building**, the parking lot is a secured lot. Questions or concerns call Barry Sweeney at 760-497-2116 or Paul Paxton (619) 921-6767 or Email [cnoaiv@gmail.com](mailto:cnoaiv@gmail.com)

Register At: <https://CNOA.org/events/calendar>

Cost per class: \$50 for CNOA Members and \$100 for non-CNOA members

CNOA 2022/2023 free class certificates will not be accepted for the class.

Payments must be made within a week of registration.

All law enforcement (federal, state and local) are welcome and encouraged to attend.

Want to get involved with CNOA, become a Training Committee member and receive free classes. Please contact any of the CNOA Region IV board members if interested.