



CALIFORNIA NARCOTIC OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION

REGION III

Gangs 101 & Current Trends

September 19, 2024
0800-1600 Hrs.
(8-Hours)

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Course Description:

This accelerated NEW course will provide the student with basic knowledge of criminal street gangs, their culture, tattoos, their structure, tactics, how narcotics are being used/sold through gangs and much more. The instructor will also touch on prison gangs, current leadership and trends.

Instructor:

Instructor **Jerry Prado** has over twenty-five years of law enforcement experience. Prior to becoming a police officer, Instructor Prado worked for a local sheriff's department. Instructor Prado has worked a variety of assignments which have included patrol, field training officer, patrol supervisor, gang unit detective, gang unit supervisor, collateral swat team member, and collateral swat team leader. Instructor Prado has testified as a gang expert numerous amounts of times in many Southern California courts and counties, including federal court. Instructor Prado currently holds the rank of sergeant at the South Gate Police Department (Southern California).

Training Location:

Southern California Edison-Energy Education Center
Event Operations Room
6090 N. Irwindale Ave
Irwindale, CA 91706

RESERVATIONS

(Sworn Law Enforcement Only, ID Required)

Register at <http://www.cnoa.org>, Training Calendar tab, Region 3 tab, and complete the on-line registration. **Debit/Credit card payment needed at time of registration. Class fills up quick.** Cancellations with refund must be done prior to September 17, 2024. For questions, contact the Region 3 board at cnoaregion3@hotmail.com.

Cost: Members & Non-Members: \$60.00 New Membership & Class: \$160.00

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