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## **Tactical Breacher Training Program**

Vista Law Enforcement Training and Consulting, LLC, in cooperation with <a href="Propred">????</a>, has scheduled this <a href="mailto:16-hour">16-hour</a>
POST-approved training program, titled "Tactical Breacher Training Program." This training program is presented by both current and retired law enforcement personnel, who are experts in both mechanical and ballistic breaching tactics and techniques. Topics include:

- Legal issues and department policies/procedures regarding the use of force and breaching (if applicable)
- Risk assessment and decision-making strategies in both static and dynamic entry situations after the breach of a doorway or separate entry point in both mechanical and ballistic breaching methods
- o The "Teamwork Approach" and communication skills essential for successful breaching operations
- o Various mechanical breaching methods utilizing Halligan tools, crowbars, and other forcible entry tools
- The use of specifically designed ballistic breacher shotguns, utilizing "vented standoffs" and "frangible ammo" for both officer safety and breacher proficiency
- The need to recognize stress-related issues for law enforcement officers on the scene of a critical tactical situation, which may or may not involve technical and tactical breaching methods
- Proficiency in practical training exercises utilizing both mechanical and ballistic breaching tactics and techniques, to be evaluated by course instructors to demonstrate proficiency by course attendees

This program is designed for all law enforcement officers/supervisors who may respond to an incident requiring special tactical breaching methods or active killer situations where immediate entry is necessary. Attendees must bring appropriate BDU or similar tactical clothing, eye and ear protection, bump or ballistic helmet, gloves, a Halligan or similar mechanical breaching tool, an approved shotgun (breacher shotgun with frangible ammo is preferred), and 10 rounds of #8 or #8 ½ shot, and 2 rounds frangible breacher ammo.

REGISTRATION: <a href="https://vistabluetraining.com/training-schedule">https://vistabluetraining.com/training-schedule</a>

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Skills Firearms, <u>2</u> Te	chnical Studies, Ro	cial, Implicit B	ias,De-escalation

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