



Hostile Environment Awareness Training (HEAT)

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The Hostile Environment Learning Program (HELP)

Hostile Environment Awareness Training has for far too long by many been a generic type field course for those operating in war zones or similar.

Whilst useful and fun, with so many fluid risks in so many regions their generic nature reduces their actual effectiveness.

Furthermore, there are more kidnappings and other crisis incidents in many parts of Asia than Iraq or Afghanistan, and incidents and risks of all types are present in places closer to home or even Australia.

As such training needs to be carefully tailored and infused with the latest accurate information on what the actual risks are.

This is where Warren Risks has always excelled - Our in-house Intelligence Directorate collect, collate and analyse intelligence internationally using a myriad of techniques so we can infuse all our training with the very latest risks, threats and modus operandi of any criminals or militias in your region of travel.

Convenience and Flexibility

Many organisations fail to train their staff adequately, with the primary reason being availability. Getting staff together for a five day generic hostile environment course is a challenge in itself.

Furthermore, not everyone can or wants to run around the bush day and night.

Hostile Environment Awareness Training (HEAT)

- **Unique intelligence-led tailored training**
- **Far more effective than generic programs**
- **Tailored to your risks, regions of travel/ operations and experience**
- **Flexible and convenient 1-5 days**
- **Individuals or small teams**
- **In the office, hotel or in the field**





Instead, we deliver everything from half day Intelligence and risk briefings, one to three day classroom programs and longer tailored programs broken down to suit your requirements.

As an example - we may come to you and deliver a one day convenient bespoke training day to your team, return a month later and deliver another day from the tailored curriculum and deliver a full day field program another month later as a refresher and scenario day to tie the program together.

Otherwise we regularly deliver the whole program to individuals or small teams in their office or hotel over a few days.

The Course Content

Our Hostile Environment Learning Program (HELP) is fully tailored to meet your content requirements, timeline and risks. We provide a designated Consultant without charge to liaise with you, understand your risks and requirements and tailor a program for you with a no obligation quotation.

Our Intelligence Directorate then brief the Training Consultants so your program is infused with the very latest intelligence. The program is carefully pieced together by Operational Consultants with significant expertise, before a final briefing by intelligence immediately before your training days so you get the very latest information on your risks.

It is a carefully crafted unique training needs analysis process infused with the latest intelligence - and as operators ourselves, we do it like this because it works. It mitigates risks, keeps you, your family, your staff safe.



Subject Examples (classroom or field)

- Understanding Risk
- Risk Management
- Pre Deployment Psychological Preparation
- The importance of intelligence
- Pre Deployment Planning
- Clothing, luggage and Ready or Emergency Bags
- Special Equipment
- Personal Protective Equipment
- Contingency Planning
- Cultural Awareness
- Conflict Management
- Situational Awareness
- Legal Regional Rights and Expectations
- Communications and IT Security
- Information Security
- Airport and Accommodation Security
- On the Road Safety and Security
- Route Planning
- Civil Unrest, Riot Safety
- Hostile Groups
- Combat First Aid
- Hostile Questioning or Arrest
- Kidnap types and Risks
- Kidnap Management
- Hostage Survival
- Terrorism
- Active Shooters
- Militia Roadblocks Unofficial Checkpoints
- Crisis Incident Management
- Natural Disasters
- 4x4 and Safe Defensive Driving Theory
- Risk Fatigue Safety
- IEDs, Unexploded Ordinances, Ballistics
- Escape and Evasion
- Survival in the field
- Fixers and informants





"Honestly the best, most in depth, useful life training I have ever had in 10 years travelling as a humanitarian."

"This training changed our whole approach for staff travelling. They feel safer, we feel more confident about the risks and their safety."

"Everyone travelling to higher risk places should have to do this, it's a life saver."

"After a close shave I needed to re-think my work. Instead this training was the re-think. I thought I knew what I was doing - I did not! So many practical little things that now make the difference. I have so much more confidence."

"Get them in, you won't regret it - awesome."

Scenario Examples - Field Components (where required)

- Living and Operating in the field
- Ready Bag and Resources
- Situational Awareness
- Emergency Shelters
- Emergency Survival
- Navigation
- Escape and Evasion
- Vehicle Management and Packing
- 4x4 Driving
- Defensive Driving
- IED Management
- Militia Roadblocks
- Combat First Aid
- Emergency Extraction
- Conflict Management
- Hostage Survival
- Field Crisis Management
- Specialist Equipment
- Self Defense Basics

These subjects and scenarios are the core components of our complete HELP program. Subjects are dropped or added to meet your requirements and risks. The program is then fully flexible in terms of delivery, venues and timings. All managed by your designated Consultant.

Contact us today and we can provide you a designated Consultant (without charge). Your Consultant will then liaise with you to fully understand your requirements and assess your risks, before developing a bespoke confidential program with a fully inclusive quotation (no obligation).



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Keeping you, your family, your staff safe in a complex world of risk



Contact us today for friendly confidential advice and support

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About this program and disclaimers

Our Hostile Environment Awareness Training, HELP program and associated briefings are carefully tailored to meet your requirements based on what input you provide and an assessment of threats, risks, resilience, response capability, experience, current intelligence and more. This training approach has proved to be significantly more effective in real life scenarios than generic field training.

We use open source intelligence and data, private human intelligence sources, confidential insurance underwriter response reports, and our own confidential client support and crisis response information, along with information from clients and training feedback to best ensure the training remains highly effective and appropriate.

However, we cannot unequivocally ensure all intelligence, information and feedback has been harvested and used to develop such training and as such its effectiveness and if appropriate for an individual, organisation, agency or body, their travel, operations and risks. Training and advice alone should not be relied upon in any way without further professional analysis assessments and effective inclusion and governance in your whole security, health and safety practices.

For specific advice and support please contact us

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