



“Drug Unit Supervisor’s School”

**Drug Enforcement Administration
Houston Field Office
1433 West Loop South, 1st Floor Training Room
Houston, Texas 77027**

Monday, August 29, 2016 through September 2, 2016

The Texas Narcotic Officers’ Association along with the DEA Houston Field Office and will host a 40-hour training course entitled **“DRUG UNIT SUPERVISOR’S SCHOOL”** provided by the Midwest Counterdrug Training Center in Houston, Texas. Registration is **OPEN**, with a limited number of spots, so reserve your spot as soon as possible through MCTC at www.counterdrugtraining.com

Check in will begin at 0715 hours and the class will start promptly at 0800 hours on Monday, August 29, 2016, at the DEA Houston Field Office 1st Floor Training Room, 1433 West Loop South, Houston, Texas 77027.

COURSE TOPICS: • Management of a drug unit • Drug recognition • Current local and national drug trends • The role of transnational criminal organizations (TCO) in the domestic drug trade • Critical tasks for drug unit supervisors • Development of agency standard operating procedures (SOP) • Drug unit field operations • Violence and risk management in undercover (UC) operations • Buy Money management • Memorandum of Understanding creation • Documentation of unit progress and setbacks • Leadership skills development • Legal aspects of conducting drug investigations.

This course is designed to emphasize the fundamental policy, leadership skills, and legal principles necessary to acquire proficiency in directing the efforts of a proactive drug enforcement unit. This course will present fundamental and advanced supervisory concepts, strategies, and techniques in policy, leadership, and legal principles. This course provides an ethics based approach to leadership and management principles in drug law enforcement and includes leadership skills development as well as the day-to-day management of a drug unit or task force. Practical scenarios will be used to help aid the learning process. This course will provide an update on all recent counter-narcotics related U.S. Supreme Court decisions and other pertinent decisions handed down by U.S. Circuit Courts.

This is a tuition **FREE** course and is open to all law enforcement personnel and US Military. To register go to the MCTC website at www.counterdrugtraining.com

Any questions regarding this course or registration should be directed to Special Agent Arthur Hitchins at 713-693-3699 or Arthur.M.Hitchins@usdoj.gov and TNOA State Training Officer Jerry McClain at 281-808-5929 or jmclain@houstonhidta.net