

# Domestic Violence Instructor Training Program (DVITP)

Presented by the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center, Office of State and Local Training  
Co-sponsored by the Department of Justice, Office on Violence Against Women

## This is a **TUITION-FREE** Training Program!

### Program Focus:

This instructor development program is designed to increase the effectiveness of those law enforcement professionals tasked with delivering domestic violence related trainings. The focus of this program is to develop adjunct FLETC instructors who will be required to redeliver this material in their respective jurisdictions. Participants attending this program will learn new and creative ways to present various domestic violence related topics such as Dynamics of Domestic Violence, Officer Safety, Law Enforcement Liability and Determining the Predominant Aggressor.

The students attending this course represent law enforcement, prosecution, victim advocacy, probation, courts and other law enforcement professionals tasked with training agencies in domestic violence prevention. FLETC will provide the students with all necessary training aids to set up in-service training and regional training in domestic violence.

### Program Highlights:

- How to train the Domestic Violence Response to others
- How to be an effective Domestic Violence Trainer
- Giving presentations to others in a classroom setting
- How to train on a variety of domestic violence topics such as law enforcement liability, officer safety, dynamics of domestic violence, and investigating domestic violence crimes

<b>Date:</b>	<b>July 20 – 24, 2009</b>
<b>Location:</b>	<b>Santa Fe, New Mexico</b>
<b>Times:</b>	<b>8:00am to 5:00pm</b>

**Who should attend:** Applicants must be federal, state, local, campus or tribal criminal justice professionals, law enforcement personnel, or domestic violence advocates from rural jurisdictions (50 or less sworn officers). Preference for attendance will be given to grantees from STOP Violence Against Women and the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW) Rural Domestic Violence and Child Victimization Enforcement Grant Program.

The participants must have prior training in responding to domestic violence crimes and have some experience training these issues. In addition, the participants must represent agencies with needs or anticipated needs for domestic violence training. The Office of State and Local Training expects that the participant will redeliver this training to secondary students upon completion.

**Cost:** TUITION-FREE (Attendees are responsible for all travel, lodging and meal expenses)

**Registration:** Go to <http://www.fletc.gov/state-and-local/state-local/training-opportunities/domestic-violence-instructor-training-program-dvitp>, click on "Click here for registration information".

**Please note:** The registration process does not guarantee a seat in the class. A confirmation notice from the Office of State and Local Training will be sent at least 30 days prior to the class start date.

**Additional information:** E-mail [stateandlocaltraining@dhs.gov](mailto:stateandlocaltraining@dhs.gov) (with DVITP in the subject) or call 800-74FLETC, ext 5208.

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