

## **MOBILE TEAM TRAINING UNIT IV**

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## **RED DOT PISTOL COURSE FOR INSTRUCTORS**

This course and its Points of Instruction (POI's) are intended to teach current firearms instructors the MRDS (Miniature Red Dot Sight) System for pistol mounted optics. POI's will begin with the basic operation of a pistol mounted red dot, and the benefits of implementing and authorizing the use of MRDS through department policy. Policy suggestions will be given. The proper way to mount a red dot will be discussed. Finally, live and dry fire drills will be run. These drills will focus on several topics, including a proper and efficient draw stroke to find the dot upon presentation, tracking the dot under recoil, dot specific malfunctions, and the use of the dot and close and extended distance. The class will be run as "shooter/coach" format on the line.

## Prerequisite: Current Firearms Instructors

Required Equipment: 800 rounds of factory ammunition; eye and ear protection; full duty belt and proper holster to accommodate the MRDS; Permanent marker, sight adjustment tool for your optic; duty handgun with MRDS optic (Loaner guns will be available if needed)

DATE: September 26-27, 2024 REGISTRATION ENDS: September 12, 2024 TIMES: 8 am—5 pm Location: Galesburg Police Pistol Range Instructor: Jared Smith, DMEC Firearms Training, LLC. <u>Maximum Enrollment: 16</u> Cost: MTTU IV MEMBERS: \$ 0.00 - NON MTTU IV MEMBERS: \$200.00 PLEASE NOTE: MTTU IV Members are given priority registration status. Non-MTTU IV officers may enroll if there are spots left by September 12, 2024.

Instructor: Jared Smith has served as a Corrections Officer at the Winnebago County Sheriff's Department for 17 years. Currently assigned to the department's training cadre, he is also a member of the department's CERT Team and a department Range Master. Jared is a certified Master Firearms Instructor, and holds several other firearms specific certifications. In his off time, he runs his business, DMEC Firearms Training, teaching LE and civilian courses.

Per Board approval, this Class Meets the following Mandatory Training Key Guidelines. Emergency Medical Response (.5 hours); Use Of Force De-escalation Tech. (7 hours—4 scenario); Officer safety techniques including cover, concealment and time (5 hours—4 scenario)