

**LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING PROGRAM**  
**Component: 40.20.161**

**PROGRAM OVERVIEW**

The Law Enforcement Training Program was initiated in 1997 funded with federal Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) S\*T\*O\*P Formula Block Grant Program funds. The program funds the California Commission on Police Officers Standards and Training (POST) to develop and deliver training to law enforcement personnel throughout the State of California in the areas of sexual assault and domestic violence, including officer involved domestic violence and crisis negotiation. POST has been providing training to law enforcement for 50 years and initially became a recipient of the VAWA funds via Senate Bill 350 which allocated \$1,725,210 to POST for the development of interactive telecourses and face to face trainings addressing violence against women. During the 2009/10 grant period, clarification and emphasis was put upon the importance of Forensic Medical Exams for sexual assault victims which are at no cost to the victim regardless whether the victim is going to testify against the abuser or not.

**FUNDS AWARDED**

<u>Fiscal Year</u>	<u>Types of Funding</u>	<u>Total Funding</u>
FY 2009/10	Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) FFY 2009	\$ 478,187
FY 2010/11	Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) FFY 2010	\$ 478,187
	Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) FFY 2008	\$ 21,430
FY 2011/12	Unknown	

**2009/10 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS**

- 8 Eight-hour Domestic Violence for First Responder courses to 190 first responders and supervisors.
- 4 Eight-hour Domestic Violence for Public Safety Dispatcher courses for 80 public safety dispatchers.
- 4 Domestic Violence for Criminal Investigators 40-hour courses for 80 detectives.
- 6 Domestic Violence for Crisis Negotiators 24-hour courses for 120 crisis negotiators.
- 4 Eight-hour Officer Involved Domestic Violence courses for 90 criminal and administrative investigators.
- 7 Eight-hour Sexual Assault for First Responder courses for 143 responders and supervisors.
- 4 Eight-hour Sexual Assault for Public Safety Dispatcher courses for 76 public safety dispatchers.

**2010/11 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS**

Not Available

**2011/12 PERFORMANCE STATISTICS**

Not Available