

Community Policing: Improving Police Efficacy and Building Trust

Community Policing: Improving Police Efficacy and Building Trust (CPIPEBT), an eLearning course, enhances learners' awareness of and skills and abilities to engage in contemporary policing strategies founded in the principles of community policing. Since the early 1980s, the principles of community policing have been a driving force in American law enforcement. Yet for all its past success, community policing may never have been as vital to law enforcement and the well-being of our communities as it is today. Exploring how emerging issues are necessitating a commitment to the key components of community policing, this course focuses on partnerships, organizational transformation, and problem solving.

The course examines the current state of policing—both locally and nationally—addressing a multitude of factors that challenge the effectiveness of law enforcement agencies and the well-being of the communities they serve. CPIPEBT urges learners to explore the principles and practices of community policing as a means of achieving the public safety mission with greater efficiency by gaining and maintaining public trust and engaging the community in the shared responsibility of effective policing.



Learning Hours:

6 hours

Target Audience:

Law enforcement practitioners, criminal justice and public safety professionals, and other community stakeholders.

Completion Standards:

Certificate of Completion awarded based on assigned learning hours and minimum 80% score on post course assessment.

Portal course sessions are active Jan. 1 – Dec. 31 of each year and course content must be completed by December 31 to earn your certificate.

