CIRMA E-Learning Center

Dispatcher Training Online Training Program









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Course Description:

The police dispatcher/911 operator is a critical communication link between law enforcement, the community it serves and the officers in the field. How a dispatcher does his or her job can sometimes make the difference between whether or not an emergency situation results in a successful outcome. For those who have done the job well over a period of time, there is personal satisfaction in knowing that they make a difference in people's lives.

With that satisfaction, however, can come great stress as well. What is it that makes the difference between a dispatcher/911 operator who excels at this type of work and those who don't? What are the things that a person can do to become adept at these positions? In this course we will focus on those skills and practices that make up that difference.

Time: Approximately 30 minutes

Preview the Dispatcher Training online training program here.

Learning Objectives:

- Understand how to prioritize calls.
- Identify when stress is affecting your performance and what you can do about it.
- Recognize the difference between striving for excellence and perfection.

Key Topics Include:

- A Vital Link in the Communication Chain
- The Eye of the Hurricane
- Dealing with Panic or Shock
- Job Stress
- Know Your Responsibilities
- Field Experience
- Proper Rest and Nutrition
- Learn to Relax
- Controlling the Call
- Establishing Priorities

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