



Florida Department of Law Enforcement

CHEMICAL AGENT EXPOSURE TRAINING EVALUATION



**CJSTC
4A**

Incorporated by Reference in Rule 11B-35.0024(3)(c)4., F.A.C.

Please type or print in black or blue ink

Last: _____ First: _____ MI: _____
Criminal Justice Officer or Basic Recruit Student's Name

Social Security Number (Optional): _____

Date: _____

The criminal justice officer or basic recruit student named above shall engage in training to experience the effects of chemical agents (formerly known as tear gas). As such, he or she shall be aware that the following conditions could be aggravated, possibly to a severe degree, during this exposure.

1. Recent eye surgery
2. Heart problems
3. Panic disorder or stress
4. Respiratory disorder
5. Emphysema (loss of elasticity/thinning of lung tissues)
6. Bronchial asthma
7. X-ray evidence of pneumoconiosis (black lung)
8. Evidence of reduced pulmonary (lung) function
9. Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease
10. Coronary (heart) artery disease
11. Cerebral (brain) blood vessel disease
12. Severe or progressive hypertension (high blood pressure)
13. Epilepsy, grand mal, or petite mal (seizures)
14. Pernicious anemia (severe reduction in red blood cells)
15. Diabetes (any form)
16. Pneumomediastinum gap (air in the sac surrounding lungs)
17. History of skin allergies
18. Any condition for which you presently take medication (please explain)

I certify that I have reviewed the above information and am not currently suffering from the above conditions or any other condition that would prevent me from participating in chemical agent training, including actual chemical agent exposure.

Criminal Justice Officer or Basic Recruit Student's Signature

Date

**MEDICAL SCREENING FOR PRE-EXISTING MEDICAL CONDITIONS
CHEMICAL AGENT TRAINING**

The Criminal Justice Standards and Training Commission recommends that criminal justice officers or basic recruit students are medically evaluated, prior to participating in chemical agent training, to detect any pre-existing medical conditions. Chemical agent training includes actual exposure to the chemical agent according to proper application procedures. Form CJSTC-4A is designed to identify existing medical problems of criminal justice officers or basic recruit students who could be affected by participating in chemical agent training.

Please review form CJSTC-4A carefully. If there are no disqualifying conditions reported, the firearms instructor or designee shall check the appropriate block certifying that the officer or basic recruit student is eligible for training, including actual chemical agent exposure, and shall sign his or her name in the space provided below. If disqualifying medical conditions are noted, the officer or basic recruit student shall be referred to a licensed physician prior to chemical agent training.

_____ The officer or basic recruit student shall participate in chemical agent training, including actual chemical agent exposure.

_____ The officer or basic recruit student should not participate in chemical agent training, including actual exposure, pending evaluation of the officer or basic recruit student's medical condition by a licensed physician.

Criminal Justice Officer or Basic Recruit Student

Firearms Instructor or Designee's Name

Date

Firearms Instructor or Designee's Signature



MEDICAL DOCTOR'S CERTIFICATION

A copy of the manufacturer's Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) indicating the ingredients in the chemical agent is provided by the training school for your review.

I have examined the basic recruit student whose name appears on this form and have concluded that:

_____ The officer or basic recruit student does not possess a pre-existing medical condition that would preclude participation in chemical agent training that includes actual exposure to the chemical agent.

_____ The officer or basic recruit student shall be **TEMPORARILY** or **PERMANENTLY** (please specify) exempt from participation in chemical agent training.

Physician's Name

Physician's Signature

Date

Physician's Certification Number