Countermeasures Comprehensive Course Syllabus

Ordinal number of class start date, end date, and last two digits of current year.

**COURSE DATE**

**COURSE LOCATION**

**COURSE INSTRUCTORS**

**Monday**

**0800-0900** Welcome/registration/administrative/security procedures, facility requirements, overview of schedule and homework.

**0900-1400** Back to Basics (Block #1 Intro Back to Basics slideshow)

* Opening discussions (0900-1000)
* Basic skills (1000-1100)

Throughout the week, students need to log their performance with each case study. They should write down features, where and when and write final decision for each case reviewed. Step 1 View, Step 2 Review and Discuss

* Lunch (1100-1200)
* Basic skills continued (1200-1300)
* Sensor use (1300-1330)
* CM exercise (1330-1400)

**1400-1600** Physiological Features (Block # 2) (Place on Butcher block paper) or White Board)

**Homework: Go on-line to** [**WWW.antipolygraph.org**](http://WWW.antipolygraph.org) **and read “The Lie behind the Lie Detector,” Chapter 4 entitled, Polygraph Countermeasures (It is listed on the homepage); You may also consider reviewing the DoDPI Pamphlet entitled, PDD Analysis II-Course #503. [Consider asking how many have computers or access to computers. I’m trying to cut down on the amount of paperwork that we have to carry in luggage]**

**Tuesday**

**0800-0830** Homework Discussion **-** Cm Quiz – Review Physiological Features

**0830-0930** CM Exercise Slideshow (block # 3) – Handout pamphlet for laboratory exercise

**0930-1100** Practicum I - Laboratory Exercise (Follow the pamphlet – record and copy the exam at the end)

**1100-1200 Lunch**

**1200-1600 Laboratory Exercise continued + review of test data (Reinforce Physiological Features – Discuss operational issues)**

**Homework: Go on-line to** [**www.antipolygraph.org**](http://www.antipolygraph.org) **and read the Federal Psychophysiological Detection of Deception Examiner’s Handbook, Chapter 18 entitled Countermeasures.**

**Wednesday**

**0800-0830** Homework Discussion: **-** Cm Quiz

**0830-0930** Slideshow Case Review 1

**0930-1030** Other Testing Techniques (Block #5)

**1030-1100** Practicum II: Scenario Briefing

**1100-1200** Lunch

**1200-1330** Practicum II Exam

1330-1600 Practicum II Post Mortem

**Homework: Review 3-chart series for Cms. Locate as many “signatures” as you can. Be prepared to share your findings.**

**Thursday**

**0800-0900** HomeworkDiscussion: 3-chart series

**0900-1000 Slideshow** Case Review 2 through 4

**1000-1100** Practicum III: Scenario & Examination

**1100-1200** Lunch

**1200** - **1500** Post Mortem (Practicum III)

**1500** - **1530** ABM Case Study

**1530** - **1630** Case Studies (Electronic or paper cases)

**Homework: *Sample Chart Segments 1-28*: Label “D” or “C” and be prepared to defend your calls**

**Friday**

**0730-0800** Review Atypical Tracings (Block #2 Physiological Features)

**0800** - **0830** Homework Discussion: Chart Segments Quiz

**0830** - **0900** Case Study

Friday Chart Segments Homework – Review with Answers 2009.pptx

**0900 – 0930** Review Back to Basics (Block #1 Intro Back to Basics) (Hide most slides – hit operational highlights)

**0930 – 1100** Case Studies (Electronic or paper cases)

**1100 - 1130** Wrap up/critiques/suggestions

**Total Credit: 40 hours:** 36 hours classroom, 4 hours homework

Thank you for your attendance and participation!