

**Los Angeles Police Department
LD30 Crime Scenes, Evidence and Forensics
EV6 Crimes Against Persons
S5 ADW Investigation**

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Course Goal: To develop a basic knowledge of investigative report writing, interview skills, crime scene investigation. The recruit officer will have a basic understanding of how to gather information during an investigation of a crime, properly document the facts and activity on a crime report.

Learning Objectives:

- Identify the goal of a criminal Investigation[**30:I:A**]
- Perform the steps of a preliminary criminal investigation including:
 1. Proceed safely to the scene
 1. Determine need for emergency medical services and aid any persons
 2. Verify that a crime, if any, has occurred
 3. As soon as possible, provide dispatch with any suspect information including physical descriptions, direction of flight, mode of travel, and other pertinent information
 4. Contain and protect the crime scene and cause the proper collection of physical evidence
 5. Locate and interview victim(s) and/or witness(es) and identify other sources of information
 6. Collect all available information necessary to write a clear and accurate report (who, what, when, where, why and how)

[30:I:B:1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]

- Demonstrate actions peace officers may employ to preserve possible physical evidence at a crime scene[**30:I:C**]
- Identify the primary purpose of the:
 1. Initial survey of a crime scene
 2. Crime scene search

[30:I:D:1,2,]

The student will participate in one or more learning activities regarding crime scenes, evidence and forensics. At a minimum each activity, or combination of activities must address the following specs: [**30IV:B:1,2,3,4**]

1. Application of SARA or other problem solving model in the conduct of a thorough preliminary investigation
2. How a peace officer may collaborate with the community to solve a crime and identify underlying conditions that contribute to the crime problem
3. Modeling ethical leadership by a peace officer in the performance of an investigation
4. Impact of an effective investigation on a peace officer's trustworthiness and credibility during courtroom testimony

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Session Time: 2 Hours

Resources:

- Laptop with media software developed for this Session.
- LD 30
- Field Officer's notebook
- IR face sheet

Session Summary: R/O will learn the responsibilities of an officer when responding to an ADW investigation. R/O will obtain the proper information and complete a crime broadcast using the radio.

Outline	Instructor Notes
<p>I. What is a ADW 245 PC?</p> <p style="padding-left: 20px;">A. Elements</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Unlawful attempt, and 2. The present ability 3. To commit a violent injury 4. Upon the person of another 5. By use of a deadly weapon 6. Or force likely to produce great bodily injury <p>II. Officer's initial responsibilities.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Approaches safely B. Determine suspect's location immediately C. Determine need for Emergency Medical Services D. Aid any injured person if any. Immediately requests medical assistance. E. Secure Evidence <p>III. Officer's scene Investigation and radio procedures:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> A. Students should initiate a thorough crime broadcast as soon as possible after initial 	<p>Ask: What is ADW Lecture: ADW</p> <p>Lecture: ADW Guidelines Note: Use handout.</p> <p>Lecture: Initial Responsibilities [30:I:A] [30:I:B:1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8]</p> <p>[30:I:C] Lecture: Scene Investigation [30:I:D:1,2,]</p>

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<p>F. Provide Marsy's Rights pamphlet. G. Victim's indemnification H. Complete I.R. face-sheet. V. Complete Narrative</p>	<p>[30IV:B:1,2,3,4] Facilitate: Learning Activity #1</p>
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