Why Changing Mindsets Improves Victim Safety

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YVEDDI Yadkin , Surry & Stokes Family Domestic Violence /Sexual Assault Programs

Thursday, May 30, 2013 Or Friday, May 31, 2013

YVEDDI District Office-Conference Room 533 N. Carolina Avenue, Hwy. 601N, Boonville, NC

Presenter:

Detective John Guard, Major Crimes Division - Pitt County Sheriff's Dept.

John Guard is employed by the Pitt County Sheriff's Office in Greenville, North Carolina. The majority of his career has been spent specializing in the response to an investigation of domestic violence cases. During his time as the Sergeant of the Domestic Violence Prevention Unit, he was instrumental in developing policy and procedure, examining the impact of judicial changes in domestic violence cases, and developing innovative responses to offender accountability. The members of this Unit are responsible for the response to an investigation of crimes of domestic violence and the service of related criminal and civil process within Pitt County.

All Attendees will receive a Certificate of Completion

This lecture will begin by focusing on the dynamics of domestic violence. The lecture will provide an inside look at the dynamics that are occurring within relationships where domestic violence is present and how the deep-rooted dynamics are used by an offender to facilitate the victims' absence at trial. A special focus on offender dynamics will be provided along with investigative tips to ensure the offender's "Private Face" is exposed. Information will be provided on techniques that law enforcement officers and service providers can use which will increase victim safety and offender accountability. A major focus of this block of instruction will be on the "Post Arrest" investigation that will include an overview of the Crawford vs. Washington case and the Forfeiture by Wrongdoing Doctrine. During this lecture, the attendees will receive information on how to identify and enforce violations of pretrial release as part of their investigation.

Registration: 8:30 - 9:00am

Breakfast and Lunch will be provided.

Anyone interested in attending seminar/training, please contact:

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