



- Course Title:** Breath Test Operator Renewal – 4 hours
Specialized Course #951
- Instructor(s):** Sgt. Kenneth Nichols – Winter Haven Police Department
- Date(s):** August 8, 2022
- Time(s):** 8:00AM – 12:00PM (Monday)
- Location:** Polk State College - Center for Public Safety
Kenneth C. Thompson Institute of Public Safety
1251 Jim Keene Blvd
Winter Haven, Florida 33880
- Cost:** Region 8 training funds will pay for Region 8 law enforcement and correctional officers as well as Region 8 support personnel (when seats are available). **Region 8 includes Polk, Hardee, Highlands, and Desoto counties.**
Student applications from outside of Region 8 will be placed on a waiting list to fill any open seats not filled by Region 8 officers.
- Description:** This course is designed to prepare students for continued certification as Breath Test Operators. Topics of instruction will include:
- Chapter 11D-8 of the Florida Administrative Code, Florida Statutes 316, 322, and 327, the pharmacology and physiology of alcohol, the theory of the Intoxilyzer 8000, the operation of the Intoxilyzer 8000, administering the breath test, and courtroom testimony regarding the breath test. Students will participate in practical exercises and cognitive testing of the course material.

This course qualifies for **mandatory** retraining. Only courses selected for salary incentive, with the following exceptions, will be entered into FDLE's ATMS: all instructor courses, Breath Test Operator, Breath Test Operator Refresher, Agency Inspector, Agency Inspector Refresher, and Canine Team Training

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