

CASE STUDY: UNITBLU Active Shooter Response Course

INTRODUCTION

The Beeville ISD Police Department is a very progressive department that has completed dozens of training courses including ALERRT courses (Level 1, ERASE, AAIR, CRASE), They participate in weekly internal training and regularly conduct dryfire and live fire on the shooting range. In an effort to achieve a more meaningful active shooter response training experience, Chief Gamez sought out ret. Tier 1 Operator Kyle Morgan and our UNITBLU Program.

OBJECTIVE

The objective of this course is to test officers' ability to make critical decisions under different types of stress and to cultivate the confidence to apply lethal intervention during an active threat situation.

COURSE DETAILS

- Dates: July 11 to 13, 2023
- > Location: Beeville, TX (shooting range, abandoned school, functioning high school)

> Participants: 8 officers from the Beeville ISD PD; one visiting officer from the Texas Department of Public Safety.

TRAINING METHODOLOGY

The training is grounded in Kyle Morgan's Protector Mindset curriculum, developed from his experience working in the most elite unit of the US Army, where we focused primarily on hostage rescue. The course combines flat range work, classroom instruction, practical exercises and immersive active shooter scenarios, all delivered in the context of a school setting. The course seeks to improve the abilities of officers to handle an active shooter event in three specific areas: mind, body and spirit.

KEY TOPICS COVERED

- Protector Mindset
- Marksmanship Fundamentals,
- Shooting on the Move
- Intro to CQB, Forcible Entry
- CQB Movements
- Room Clearance
- Moving in Hallways and Staircases
- Force- On Target Takedown
- Stop The Bleed
- Meditation and Breathwork
- Force-on-Force Active Shooter Response Exercises

COURSE EVALUATION SUMMARY AVERAGE SCORES

Overall Course Effectiveness	9.8
Confidence To Respond To Active Shooter	9.9
Clarity Of Instruction	9.6
Engagement Level Of Instructors	9.8
Engagement Level Of Students	9.9
Relevance Of Material	10
Effectiveness Of The UNIT4 In Schools	10
Reliability Of The UNIT4 Vs Competitors	9.9
Likelihood To Use UNIT4 Again	9.3
Likelihood Of Recommending The Course	9.9
Source: UNITRELE Reeville Course Evaluation Results: n = 0	1

Source: UNITBLU Beeville Course Evaluation Results; n = 9 Scoring is based on a scale of 1 (lowest) - 10 (highest)

"All of my officers walked away with either physical or emotional growth, or both. Several of my officers advanced their physical skills on the shooting range, breaching drills, team movements, weapon manipulations and solo response tactics. Furthermore, several of my officers advanced their emotional strength by use of mediation, stress management, tactical breathing and the immersive scenario-based drills with actors."

> Art Gamez, Chief, Beeville ISD Police ≺



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"UNIT Solutions is a company dedicated, committed and behind the product they sell. From their customer service to their open mindedness for feedback, the UNIT Solutions team is there for you. The passion they display only solidifies their stance and belief in their training products."
> Art Gamez, Chief, Beeville ISD Police <</p>

"The UNIT4 Training Rifle is the missing link in our training program. From the cost effectiveness per round to the build materials to the realism it brings, the UNIT4 Training Rifle checks all the boxes. The Beeville ISO PD plans on utilizing the UNIT4 Rifles for every training day in which a normal rifle would be utilized, minus live fire training. My ultimate goal is to get a complete set of 1 to 1 rifles for all of my officers."

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> Responses From Four Officers < On The Most Impactful Part of the Course

"The course as a whole was impactful... from the knowledge, the intensity level, the drive and passion from the instructors made it easy to stay focused and engaged."

"The discussion of personal battles that have been overcome in the development of this course made a huge impact on me. I was able to see just how much delivering this training means to you and that you care about making a difference and making others better."

"I appreciate your team's help, guidance and assistance on helping me to become an officer I am comfortable being on campus. Especially building my confidence when doing work."

"Best course I have ever attended."



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