



# Gulf Coast High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area Training Alert Law Enforcement on the Stand

**Co-Sponsored by the Jefferson County Sheriff's Office**

***NO COST TO ATTEND***

**WHEN:**        **October 25 & 26, 2021**  
                         **Class Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.**

**Description:**

Law enforcement officers may be called upon to testify at several phases in criminal cases. Officers provide impactful testimony at motions, hearings and at trial. Unfortunately, law enforcement too often take the stand without adequate preparation and without meaningful training about how to answer lawyers' questions. Teaching officers strategies and tactics to effectively answer the questions lawyers are trained to ask is critical to successful prosecutions. Law enforcement personnel need to exercise these strategies and tactics in a training setting and receive meaningful feedback. The objective of this program is to: provide meaningful preparation that applies to testimony in criminal cases, train officers to become effective and credible witnesses.

**WHERE:**        3500 Happy Hollow Lane  
                         Fultondale, AL 35068

**Instructor:**    **Caren Cambre**

Professor Caren Cambre, JD, is a career homicide prosecutor in New York and Louisiana, and has worked extensively with law enforcement conducting investigations and presenting testimony throughout the litigation.

**Enrollment:** Login to our GCHIDTA network at [gchidta.org](http://gchidta.org) Click on the training tab and find the event on the calendar. Click on the event and follow the below listed details:

- Enter "**Class**" (**case sensitive**) for Username and Password
- Once logged in, select Gulf Coast
- Then select "Law Enforcement on the Stand" class.
- Fill in the Online Application
- Select Complete Registration
- Save the application number for further use if necessary
- You will receive an email indicating your online registration has been received

**Attendance:** Open to all certified law enforcement officers.



**Contact:**

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Please enroll on-line. If you have any questions or issues with the on-line process, contact Nick Forte: 334-467-3462 or by e-mail: [forten@gchidta.org](mailto:forten@gchidta.org)