

Survey to Chief APOs

Issue: Self Defense Instructors

Question (from Somerset County):

Does your department have self-defense instructors? If so, what program are they trained in, i.e. PPCT etc.?

Adams County

Adams- has 4 certified PSS Instructors

Allegheny County

13 in-house trainers who use PPCT.

Armstrong County

Armstrong County has 3 PSS control tactics instructors.

Berks County

Berks has 5 PSS instructors.

Blair County

Blair is sending a PO in April, so we will have one.

Bradford County

Bradford has 0 currently. Looking to certify in 2019.

Carbon County

Carbon County has one instructor certified by PSS. In addition, our Juvenile Probation Department and our Sheriff's Dept both have one instructor. The 3 sometimes help each other.

Chester County

Chester County has 6 PPCT instructors.

Erie County

Erie County has 4 officers certified by Cutting Edge out of Bellingham WA and our lead instructor is certified through FLETC (Federal Law Enforcement Training Center)

Lackawanna County

Lackawanna County Adult Probation department has two PSS Instructors.

Lancaster County

Lancaster has 10 instructors certified in PPCT.

Lebanon County

Lebanon County has two Controlled Force Instructors. Their certification, however, will be expiring and we will be looking at other curriculums.

Luzerne County

Luzerne County has (4) Use of Force/Defensive Tactics trainers, all are POs certified by PSS - Protective Safety Systems

Mifflin County

Mifflin County uses Gracie Street Survival Tactics.

Montgomery County

PSS and 9 (nine) instructors

Northumberland County

Northumberland County has 2 PPCT Instructors

Pike County

Pike has 3 PSS instructors

Snyder County

Snyder County has 2 PPCT instructors

Sullivan County

Wyoming/Sullivan County has 2 PSS instructors

Wayne County

Wayne uses Speer and has three instructors trained in that DT. In addition, two of the instructors are certified in Gracie and two in Cutting Edge.

Westmoreland County

Westmoreland County has six defensive tactics instructors. The program is Protective Safety Systems.

Wyoming County

Wyoming/Sullivan County has 2 PSS instructors

York County

York County has 9 Physical Safety Systems (PSS) Instructors.