



Homemade Explosives: Awareness, Recognition, and Response



Homemade Explosives: Awareness, Recognition, and Response (HME) was developed by the New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology (New Mexico Tech) and provides first responders with the knowledge, skills, and abilities to effectively prevent, interdict, and respond to an imminent threat caused by HME laboratories and producers.

The course will focus on the various components and manufacturing processes of homemade explosives, response considerations when encountering homemade explosives, enhancing community situational awareness, and ensuring appropriate personal protection.

Topics covered include but are not limited to:

- Basic explosive physical/chemical properties and hazards
- Variables that influence explosive effects
- HME precursors
- Indicators of HME/IED manufacturing
- Distinguishing between a HME lab and a clandestine drug lab
- HME scene safety and security
- Case studies of recent HME incidents
- Community awareness and education

Hosted by:

Ohio State Highway Patrol

Class date:

April 18th, 2018
8:00am-5:00pm

Location:

Ohio State Highway Patrol Academy
740 East 17th Avenue
Columbus, Ohio 43211

Registration:

Cost: \$0.00

To register, please email Trooper John Beeler at Jgbeeler@dps.ohio.gov with name(s) of attendee(s), department, specialty position (if any), email, and telephone number.

Lunches will be provided at the academy cafeteria.

For questions, please contact:

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