



NYS 8 HOUR ANNUAL SECURITY GUARD TRAINING COURSE

DATE: Open

TIME: Open

COST: \$75.00

Call for course availability 212.509.0547 ext 200

Course Overview

Training for security guard was mandated by the Security Guard Act of 1992. The Act requires that all security guards complete three training courses. Armed guards are required to complete two additional training courses. All courses must be conducted at approved training schools, by certified instructors. The Division of Criminal Justice Services, Office of Public Safety provides administrative oversight for private security training in New York State.

The third required training program is the **Eight Hour Annual In-service course**. This training must be completed each calendar year following completion of the 16 Hour OJT course. This program is designed to meet current training needs and refresh or update guards in changes in the security field. The guard must complete this course as a prerequisite for renewal of his or her guard registration.

This course meets the requirements for New York State mandated security guard training. This course has been approved by the DCJS and all instructors are certified by the New York State Division of Criminal Justice Services.

Former police officers exemption. Former police officers who have successfully completed the Basic Course for Police Officers are exempt from most security guard training requirements for ten years after retirement. However, armed security guard applicants who are former police officers, and who completed initial firearms training more than one year before becoming employed as an armed security guard, must complete the 8 Hour Annual Course for Armed Security Guards (firearms). Completion of annual firearms requalification within twelve months of the date of application does not satisfy this requirement. Further, all former police officers who have been retired for more than ten years, must additionally complete the 8 Hour Annual In-Service Training Course for Security Guards.

Admission

Courses are open to all personnel seeking positions as an Unarmed Security Guard.

Who should attend?

- Public and Private Security Personnel that require or are interested in a career in security and its functions
- Active or Prior Military
- Corporate Guards
- Security Directors

Certification

Upon completion of a final examination, attendees will receive certification certificate to be sent to NYS.

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