

# Police Background Investigations

24 Hour Training Course

## Clarksburg (WV) Police Department

June 4-6, 2025

This comprehensive 3-day course teaches background investigators the basic techniques and procedures for conducting pre-employment background investigations of new public safety employees.

### Topics Include

- Conducting pre-employment background interviews
- Conditional offer of employment letters
- Report preparation
- ADA and FCRA laws
- Credit checks /Financial investigation
- Driving records
- Criminal and Civil background investigation
- Psychological screening
- Polygraph screening
- Medical screening
- Reference checks
- Military verifications
- Social Media investigations
- Release of liability forms for applicant and references
- Education verification
- Home checks and neighbor interviews
- Open records sources
- Workman's Comp resources
- Disqualifying factors



**Cost \$495**

*Class hours: 8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.*

Attendees will be provided with sample forms, background packets, policy and procedures, release of liability waivers and background investigation manuals for department use.

**Instructor:** John Pallas (Deputy Chief, Retired—State of TN) John Pallas is a 29-year law enforcement veteran who served as Deputy Chief of Police for the law enforcement division of the State of Tennessee Alcoholic Beverage Commission. In that role, John supervised command staff, oversaw the professional standards unit and served as the public information officer and director of training. He also has more than two decades of service in California in various capacities, including Vice Detective, Narcotics Task Force Investigator, F.T.O. and Reserve Program Coordinator. John also managed a high-profile task force team of investigators, comprised of FBI, DEA, IRS agents, as well as state and city law enforcement officers.

**Location:** Robinson Grand Performing Arts Center 444 West Pike Street Clarksburg WV

**Nearby Lodging :** Hilton Garden Inn: 606 Emily Drive Clarksburg WV  
Marriot-Town Place: 101 Platinum Drive Bridgeport WV

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