



Office of Juvenile Justice and
Delinquency Prevention



CHILD SEXUAL EXPLOITATION INVESTIGATIONS

Time	Event
<u>Monday</u>	
8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Welcome Announcements Introduction of Participants
8:30 a.m. - 12:00 noon	Child Sexual Exploitation This investigative block will allow the participants to become familiar with definitions and terminology associated with the investigation of sexual exploitation of children. Participants will become familiar with an investigative process that can be used to identify predators who molest children through such venues as child pornography, child sex rings and other forms of extrafamilial sexual assault. This module will also discuss applicable forensic evidence issues and investigative guidelines as they relate to these horrible crimes against children.
12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m. - 2:15 p.m.	<i>Continuation of Child Sexual Exploitation</i>
2:15 p.m. - 2:30 p.m.	Break

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Monday (continued)

2:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Internet Crimes Against Children

This module will provide the participant with an overview of the Internet Crimes Against Children Task Force program and its history and will show the various training and technical assistance programs available to qualified candidates. Specific discussions focused on proactive and reactive investigations and operational standards are discussed. They will be shown the various Internet social networking sites child sexual predators hunt for vulnerable children and the latest electronic media used by them.

Tuesday

8:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.

Surviving Sexual Molestation

John Warnick is a survivor of sexual molestation by his trusted soccer coach. John shares his extraordinary story of survival, participating in a wiretap, and how his life has changed because of the work done by the local authorities.

9:45 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.

Break

10:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon

Investigative Response to High Risk and Domestic/Prostitution Trafficking Victims

Over 1 million children are reported missing, listed as a runaway, or are a throwaway each year. A child’s potential for victimization increases with each runaway incident and each day they are on the streets. During this module students will be provided with information on how to define, identify and locate *High Risk* victims and children victimized through prostitution within their community. This presentation will demonstrate the correlation and commonalities between the chronic runaway, repeat victims of sexual abuse and the child victimized through prostitution, the cost of their repeat runaway incidents and victimization not only for the victim, but also for the agencies charged with protecting them. Participants will be provided with techniques through the uses of protocols, investigative and assessment tools, and community partnership to curb the conduct of these *High Risk* victims, identify their perpetrators, protecting the child and returning valuable investigative time and resources.

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Tuesday (continued)

12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.

Lunch

1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Continuation of Investigative Response to High Risk and Domestic/Prostitution Trafficking Victims

Wednesday

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

The Adolescent/High Risk Victim Interview

During this module participants will be provided with information relating to the adolescent interview. Participants will learn why the adolescent interview is different from the general child sexual exploitation interview. Participants will be provided with information on how to set the stage for a successful interview which will encourage and enable full disclosure. The investigator “mindset” will be discussed along with its effect on the interview. Three types of challenging interviews will be discussed: The Adolescent Interview with tentative disclosure or nondisclosure; The High Risk Victim Recovery Interview (runaways, throwaways and abduction victims); and The Victim of Prostitution/Trafficking Interview. Common barriers to full disclosure by the adolescent/high risk victim and victim of prostitution will be discussed, including grooming techniques, victim’s perception and conduct, and prior abuse. Participants will be provided with proven strategies and techniques which will be illustrated by actual case examples demonstrating practical application.

12:00 noon – 1:00 p.m.

Lunch

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Wednesday (continued)

1:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Interrogation of Child Exploitation Suspects

This module will provide participants with the necessary tools and skills needed to develop an interrogation strategy based on an understanding of the behavioral characteristics and tendencies of the offender, and how they effect the manner in which the investigator prepares for and conducts the interrogation. Participants will gain an understanding of interrogation styles and themes which are most effective with the unique type of offender involved in child sexual exploitation. Topics to be covered in this presentation include: physical and mental effects of the interrogation, characteristics of a successful interrogator, preparation for the interrogation, identifying the suspect’s deception, the use of themes, legal issues, and documenting the interrogation. Through lecture, class discussion and role-playing, participants will be provided with the tools to conduct a successful, legally sound interrogation in cases of child sexual exploitation.

Thursday

8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon

Challenges from the Dark Side

This module presents issues involved in prosecuting defendants that have sexually exploited children from a prosecutor's perspective. The classic and evolving defenses in child sexual exploitation cases will be discussed and key investigative techniques that provide effective evidentiary advantages to prosecutors at trial are explored. How to draft search warrants that withstand motions to suppress will be discussed and the most common mistakes in drafting and executing search warrants will be examined. This discussion will also provide an overview of current issues and controversies with computer-facilitated exploitation of children, and what the legal implications are with respect to electronic evidence of sexual exploitation of children. Effective testimony at trial will be presented with suggested tactics and strategies for dealing with the cross-examination of defense attorneys in sexual exploitation cases.

12:00 noon - 1:00 p.m.

Lunch

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Thursday (continued)

1:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.

Unique Challenges in Missing and Exploited Child Investigations

This module will provide participants with an understanding of the unique investigative challenges to missing children cases. Additionally participants will be able to focus on key investigative techniques which will assist them in delivering a more strategic response. Topics to be covered in this presentation will include scope of problem, personnel issues, sex offender issues, victim issues, investigative and prosecution issues.

Friday

8:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.

Investigative Resources

This module will provide the participants with the resources available through Fox Valley Technical College and other training programs to obtain additional training in the area of child protection. The participants will work through practical exercises as groups to resolve the issues presented. Participants will work through a scenario with an emphasis on acquiring and using the resources available to them.

11:30 a.m. – 12:00 noon

**Closing
Evaluations
Certificates**

In order to receive the attendance certificate, participants are expected to participate in all sections. The Fox Valley Technical College representative on site must approve any exceptions to this policy.

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