

POLICE REFORM

(Proposed Police Training Curriculum)



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Suggested Modules:

1. Introduction to the Police Academy

- i. Academy Rules and Regulations
- ii. Mission and Objectives
- iii. Ethics and Morality
- iv. Role and Functions of Nigerian Police Force
- v. History of Nigerian Police Force

2. Public Safety

- i. Disaster Management
- ii. Victim Identification
- iii. Crowd Control
- iv. Managing Disorderly conduct and threatening behavior
- v. Emergency Procedures and First Aid/First Responders
- vi. Policing Public Roads & Patrol Procedures (Includes Driving)

3. Legal Education

- i. State Laws
- ii. Criminal and Constitutional Laws
- iii. Traffic Laws

4. Operations

- i. Investigations
- ii. Arrests
- iii. Use of Weapons & Force
- iv. Operating Basic Security Equipment
- v. Self-Defense



5. Drug Law enforcement

- i. Drug Identification
- ii. Controlled Substances

6. Juveniles

- i. Policing Juveniles
- ii. Responding to Special needs

7. Health and Fitness

- i. Physical Training: Aerobic and Anaerobic exercise
- ii. Self-improvement

8. Human Relations and Nigeria's Diverse Culture

- i. Communications & Language
- ii. Culture & Tribe

Suggested Educational background for Police Departments and for advancing careers within the Force:

- a. Law
- b. Accounting and Finance
- c. Computer Science/ Software Engineering

