



ARIZONA GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF HIGHWAY SAFETY

DRE APPLICATION

Applicant Name: _____ Badge: _____

Agency: _____

Applicant Email: _____

Supervisor's Name: _____

Supervisor's Email: _____

Agency DRE Coordinator's Name: _____

Agency DRE Coordinator's Email: _____



The Arizona Drug Recognition Expert (DRE) Program is a national model program. The program has received national acclaim for its success in identifying the drug-impaired driver. Drug Recognition Experts are frequently called upon to differentiate between drug influence and medical conditions. DREs frequently investigate whether or not impairment is a factor in serious injury and fatal collision investigations and often provide detailed expert court testimony.

DRE training is extremely demanding. Certified DRE officers often work in close contact with suspects who are drug addicts or have other ailments during the evaluation process as well as during the collection of urine and/or blood samples. Attendees must complete all phases of training successfully to achieve certification.

The International Association of Chiefs of Police (IACP) is the regulating and credentialing organization for the DRE program. The Arizona Governor's Office of Highway Safety (GOHS), Drug Evaluation & Classification Program (DECP) Coordinator is the certifying official for the Arizona DRE Program.

The applicant must meet the following criteria prior to requesting DRE training:

- **Must** have a minimum of three years in law enforcement unless waived by State DRE Coordinator.
- **Must** attach a copy of HGN/SFST Progress Log showing certification
- **Must** successfully complete ARIDE training (attach a copy of ARIDE certificate)
- **Must** have a reasonable background and experience level in making DUI arrests.
- **Must** successfully pass the HGN/SFST Proficiency Examination contained in this application.

To assist in the selection of quality personnel for the Arizona DRE Program, please complete this application and submit to your agency DRE Coordinator. If you do not have an assigned agency DRE Coordinator, contact the State DRE Coordinator for guidance.

Date of HGN/SFST
Certification: _____

Date of ARIDE
Training: _____

Number of DUI Arrests in last two years: _____

Number of DUI Drug Arrests in last two years: _____

Number of Controlled Substance Arrests in last two years: _____

Detail your current court testimony experience, including any DUI testimony: _____

Detail your formal education, training, and work experience that relates to DUI/DRE investigation (EMT, phlebotomy, etc): _____

How will DRE training benefit you and your department? _____

Two currently certified DREs or DRE Instructors must recommend you for this training. They will be contacted:

DRE #1 Name: _____ IACP #: _____

DRE #1 Email Address: _____

DRE #2 Name: _____ IACP #: _____

DRE #2 Email Address: _____

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DRE APPLICATION PROFICIENCY EXAMINATION
STANDARDIZED FIELD SOBRIETY TEST BATTERY

Candidate Name: _____ Date: _____

I. HORIZONTAL GAZE NYSTAGMUS

1. Remove eyeglasses.
2. Stimulus held in proper position (approximately 12"-15" from nose, just above eye level).
3. Check equal tracking.
4. Check pupil size.
5. Smooth movement from center of nose to maximum deviation in approximately 2 seconds and then back across subject's face to maximum deviation in right eye, then back to center. Check left eye, then right eye.
(Repeat)
6. Eye held at maximum deviation for a minimum of 4 seconds (no white showing). Check left eye, then right eye.
(Repeat)
7. Eye moved slowly (approximately 4 seconds) from center to 45 angle. Check left eye, then right eye. (Repeat)
8. Check for Vertical Gaze Nystagmus. (Repeat)

II. WALK-AND-TURN

1. Instructions given from a safe position.
2. Tells subject to place feet on a line in heel-to-toe manner (left foot behind Right foot) with arms at sides and gives demonstration.
3. Tells subject not to begin test until instructed to do so and asks if subject understands.
4. Tells subject to take nine heel-to-toe steps on the line and demonstrates.
5. Explains and demonstrates turning procedure.
6. Tells subject to return on the line taking nine heel-to-toe steps.
7. Tells subject to count steps out loud.
8. Tells subject to look at feet while walking.
9. Tells subject not to raise arms from sides.
10. Tells subject not to stop once they begin.
11. Asks subject if all instructions are understood.

III. ONE-LEG STAND

1. Instructions given from a safe position.
2. Tells subject to stand straight, place feet together, and hold arms at sides.
3. Tells subject not to begin test until instructed to do so and asked if subject understands.
4. Tells subject to raise one leg, either leg, approximately 6" from the ground, keeping raised foot pointed out, and gives demonstration.
5. Tells subject to keep both legs straight and to look at elevated foot.
6. Tells subject to count in the following manner: one thousand and one, one Thousand and two, one thousand and three, until told to stop, and gives demonstration.
7. Checks actual time subject holds leg up. (Time for 30 seconds.)

DRE Certified Instructor:

Name: _____

Agency: _____

Badge: _____

Email Address: _____

I have reviewed the requirements of this training and I agree to participate in the Drug Recognition Expert Training program.

Applicant signature: _____

I have reviewed this request to attend and recommend this applicant for the Drug Recognition Expert training program.

Immediate Supervisor signature: _____

I have reviewed this request to attend and recommend this applicant for the Drug Recognition Expert training program.

Agency DRE Coordinator signature: _____

This applicant is approved for DRE training.

GOHS State DRE Coordinator signature: _____