



TOMAHAWK
STRATEGIC SOLUTIONS

Armed Guard Training Program

Our Emergency Response Specialist program teaches armed security professionals how to respond to different types of workplace violence and threats safely and effectively. Our series of courses provides security officers with the skills, tactics, techniques, and procedures needed to handle emergency situations.



COURSE OVERVIEW

The Tomahawk Emergency Response Specialist Program

Tomahawk's Armed Guard Training Program is made up of three modules designed to establish and enhance necessary skills.

Emergency Response Specialist: Baseline Course

Length: 5 days

Delivery: In-person, interactive simulations, shooting range, and classroom discussion

Audience: Armed security professionals

In this training, participants will:

- Receive training in *Stop the Bleed* and other emergency medical interventions
- Learn de-escalation techniques
- Practice and refine shooting skills on a live-fire pistol range
- Gain a strong foundation in delivering measured, safe, and effective responses to security threats through classroom discussions and scenarios
- Receive a personalized, comprehensive performance evaluation

Based on their performance in this training, we offer recommendations on which participants should be authorized to carry a weapon as a security professional in the workplace.



Emergency Response Specialist: Tactical Response Course

Length: 3 days

Delivery: In-person, interactive simulations, and classroom discussion

Audience: Armed security professionals who have successfully completed the Emergency Response Specialist Baseline Course

This training builds upon the skills gained in the Emergency Response Specialist Baseline Course. It's designed to increase confidence and improve decision-making under pressure. Participants will:

- Utilize tactics such as distance, angles, cover, and concealment
- Conduct broader tactical movements alone and in teams to respond to threats
- Learn effective management of an emergency until first responders arrive



Emergency Response Specialist: Sustainment Training

Length: 3 days

Delivery: In-person, interactive simulations, shooting range, and classroom discussion

Audience: Armed security professionals who have successfully completed the Emergency Response Specialist Baseline Course and Tactical Response Course

Participants will refresh and build upon their emergency response skills. Tomahawk tailors this course to the abilities and needs of the participants and client, and it can involve:

- Firearms training and interactive tactical response scenarios
- Learning esoteric aspects of threat response, such as the importance of holding areas of strategic value and advanced response planning
- Improving areas of weakness identified from previous sustainment training, as well as reviewing lessons learned from Incident Response training exercises conducted on client property

The Emergency Response Specialist program focuses on key competencies and skills:

- ✓ Threat identification
- ✓ Critical thinking
- ✓ Situational awareness
- ✓ Emergency medicine
- ✓ Gear considerations
- ✓ Standard operating procedures
- ✓ Command and control
- ✓ Tactical movement
- ✓ De-escalation techniques
- ✓ Response and communication protocols
- ✓ Marksmanship fundamentals

PARTICIPANT FEEDBACK



"We all became better shooters, better in our understanding of how to handle different types of medical situations, better in our understanding of our function during certain types of emergencies, and overall better at the necessary situational awareness needed to properly do our jobs."



Interested in taking your safety and security to the next level? Let's have a conversation about how we can work together.