

DUI Detection and Standardized Field Sobriety Testing (SFST) Basic Course



**Washington State Patrol
Impaired Driving Section
Drug Evaluation and Classification Program**

During this 24-hour course, law enforcement officers will learn:

- How to recognize behavior that points towards impaired driving;
- The importance of the SFST battery, and how to properly administer the tests;
- When to make an impaired driving arrest;
- How to write accurate and detailed reports;
- How to give clear and convincing testimony.

Officers will receive instruction on how to conduct thorough impaired driving investigations, understand the scientifically tested methods to detect, screen, and process impaired drivers. On the final day of the course, students will participate in a practical wet lab exercise, where they will be able to practice and be test on their SFST administration.

Prerequisite: Students should be a state certified or commissioned law enforcement officer, and must be currently employed by a law enforcement agency. To attend, officers must possess a valid Washington State breath test instrument (BAC) operator permit.

Class maximum: 20 students

COST: FREE

Class Date and Time:

July 14th, 15th and 16th 2021; 8:00 a.m.-4:30 p.m.

Location:

Washington State Patrol - Vancouver
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Vancouver, WA 98682

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