**Course Description:** Duty to Intervene is a course designed to equip and train officers with the awareness and adeptness to intercede when reasonable objectiveness dictates that excessive force is being used by surrounding officers during an arrest or detention. The course explains on content that officer/s who witness their colleagues violating the Use of Force policy must take action and professionally restore safety. It further entails the duty to intervene is woven into the El Paso Police Department’s culture by practical discussion and policy review.

**Who should attend:** Texas Peace Officers

**Course information:**

**Host Agency:** South Texas College Regional Training Ctr. for Public Safety Excellence

**Training Location:** 3901 S Cage Blvd, Pharr, TX 78577

**Course Date:** March 7, 2023

**Time:** 8:00 am – 12:00 pm or 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm

**Length of course:** 4 hours (Training hours will be reported by South Texas College Regional Training Ctr. for Public Safety Excellence)

**Cost per attendee:** $75.00

To register, click here or go to https://texaspolicetrainers.com/?p=30162 or give us a call at 512-766-0659 to pay by phone or to receive an invoice.

**Hotel:** Holiday Inn Express & Suites-Pharr, 205 West Nolana Loop, Pharr, TX 78577 To receive our Corporate Discount, make your reservation through Texas Police Trainers at 512-766-0659.
Instructor: Omar Rivera

Omar Rivera is currently assigned to the El Paso Police Academy. He holds Basic Instructor Proficiency Certificate as well as a Master Peace Officer Certification. Omar Rivera also has a bachelor’s degree in Criminal Justice and is currently working on my Masters degree at Howard Payne University in Theology and Ministry.

Omar is a Field Training Officer and has 15 years of experience as a peace officer. He is currently assigned to the Central Regional Command working patrol on graveyard shift for 10 years. Omar previous assignment are to the Human Resource Background Investigation Unit for 2 ½ years completing investigate background packets of candidates who were applying for the El Paso Police Department. He also assisted with recruiting at job fairs and on Ft. Bliss, Texas. Omar was also assigned to the Community Representative section in Central Regional Command where he worked resolving problems in the community. He assisted with getting assistance for the homeless community in the downtown area. Omar Rivera is a retired United States Army Veteran of 20 years.

Omar Rivera created the Duty to Intervene course to be taught to the entire El Paso Police Department for quarterly training and has now partnered with Texas Police Trainers LLC to administer this training statewide for the Texas law enforcement community.