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EMERGENCY INCIDENT RESPONSE
CORE POLICING COMPETENCY: ETHICS

LEARNING ISSUES:

- Identifying inappropriate emergency responses, or lack of response by co-workers
- Responses to bribes, corruption, gratuity and how they apply to emergencies
- Ethical decision making, reporting violations committed by peers or supervisors
- Responding to citizens concerns about officers at emergency scenes
- Ethical response to officer involved accidents
- Identify when/how/if personal ethics affects decision making during emergencies (i.e. performing rescues, risking own life, handling of victims, etc.)
- Other ethical issues during emergency incidents

RESOURCES:

- DPD G.O. 1005: Code of Ethics
- DPD G.O. 1005: Code of Conduct
- DPD G.O. 1005, R-2: Limits of Authority, Accountability and Discretion
- DPD G.O. 1007, R-3: Command Authority and Responsibility
- DPD G.O. 1014, R-5: Internal Affairs
- DPD G.O. 4074: Bias-Based Policing
- DPD Rules & Regulations 1.3: Conduct Unbecoming Police Department Personnel
- DPD Rules & Regulations 1.7: Obedience to Unlawful Orders
- DPD Rules & Regulations 2.4: Responsibility to Respect the Rights of Others
- DPD Rules and Regulations 2.5: Truthfulness
- DPD Rules & Regulations 4.6: Soliciting and Accepting Special Privileges
- DPD Rules & Regulations 4.5: Reporting Bribe Offers

LEARNING OUTCOMES:

1. The trainee is able to describe laws, SOPs, and policies relating to ethical policing and explain how ethics relate to training in this phase.
2. The trainee is able to analyze and apply ethical practices, relevant SOPs and regulations that govern their policing behavior.
3. The trainee is able to evaluate the effectiveness of their use of the reference material listed in this competency.