



**WED-FRI FEB 1-3, 2023**

# K-9 FIRST RESPONDER & K-9 TACTICAL EMERGENCY CASUALTY CARE

## 3-DAY TRAINING

*Are you a K-9 Handler looking to provide the best emergency field care for your four-legged partner?*

*Learn K-9 Tactical Emergency Casualty Care skills in a hands-on, scenario-based training environment with an expert instructor cadre, on advanced veterinary mannikins, and in a state-of-the-art training facility.*



**BECOME  
FIELD-READY**

**RECEIVE  
CONTINUING  
EDUCATION CREDIT**

**15 STUDENTS PAID  
BY FLORIDA SART**

**FACILITIES  
PROVIDED BY  
COUNTERDRUG**

**APPLICATION  
DEADLINE JAN 15,  
2023**

**APPLY AT  
[WWW.K9MEDIC.COM/FL](http://WWW.K9MEDIC.COM/FL)**

### LOCATION | TIME

Camp Blanding  
Counterdrug – MCTFT  
5629 SR16 West  
Starke, FL 32091

Enter via main gate, left on  
Ave. B, after about 3 miles,  
follow signs to classroom.  
8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., daily

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Expert instructors from K9 MEDIC® deliver an intense, hands-on training format.



## **K9 Handler / First Responder Advanced Scope**

This program includes handling K-9 emergencies in both conventional and tactical environments, so you'll be prepared to respond wherever and whenever you need. Topics range from safe K-9 handling and comprehensive assessments to treating the most common emergencies such as heat stroke and bloat/GDV, and tactical injuries such as gunshot wounds. Advanced Scope includes fluid administration and handler assist skills.

## **iNTENSIVE/High-Def Format**

This format delivers a hands-on and scenario-based experience, along with benefits of a diversified instructor cadre. In addition to the all-class practice exercises, this format delivers an additional four rotations of hands-on skills stations and solo/team scenarios using advanced veterinary mannikins. Each student receives significant instructor feedback and attention customized to their specific needs. Multi-disciplinary instructors often include a lead expert veterinarian, experienced tactical paramedic, and field-savvy K-9 Handler.

**Special Debrief by Handler Cheth Pllaughter and K9 Huk on the Morning of February 1<sup>st</sup>:** Officer Pllaughter deployed Huk in July 2022, Huk was shot 3 times, K9 medical interventions were done by land and air. Students will hear lessons learned from the officer who lived through this and saved his K9.

**DEADLINE TO APPLY:** January 15, 2023

**APPLICANT SELECTION:** 15 students will be selected. Preference given to early applicants. Selections made as applications are received. Apply at [www.K9MEDIC.com/FL](http://www.K9MEDIC.com/FL)

**WHO CAN APPLY?** Only active canine handlers currently employed with a military, federal, state, or local (city/county) agency are eligible to apply. Preference given to canine handlers working in Florida.

**COST:** Full tuition for paid for by SART! Students are responsible for travel, lodging and meal expenses.

**CERTIFICATION:** Upon completion, students receive a K9 MEDIC® Certificate of Completion and Continuing Education Credit for law enforcement. This course meets the course prerequisites for admission to the K9 MEDIC® Trainer Academy.

**QUESTIONS?** Contact Ms. LeiAnna Tucker, (850) 410-0920. [LeiAnna.Tucker@FDACS.gov](mailto:LeiAnna.Tucker@FDACS.gov).

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