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## Child Sex Crimes Investigations #1171

This course will provide an overview of sex crimes investigations for the officer and investigator with limited experience in this area. Students will learn the skills to investigate child sexual abuse cases effectively. They will be able to understand child sexual abuse and how the child either discloses or denies it. Students will gain the knowledge of how to respond to and process sexual abuse scenes.

100% attendance is required and participants must achieve a minimum score of 80% on the written exam to receive a certificate of completion. This course is salary incentive eligible.

### Course Topics Include:

- Recognize Child Sex Abuse
- Responding to the Scene
- Collecting and Corroborating Evidence
- Note Taking and Report Writing
- Interviewing the Suspect
- Preparing for a Successful Prosecution

### GENERAL INFORMATION

**August 18-22, 2025**

Time: 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Fees: **TRUST FUND**

Registration: (727) 341-4492

Facilitator: Paul Althoff

Agency/Self-Registration

<https://spcollege.augusoft.net/>  
Registration & Hotel information

SEPSI Authorization form Required

*\*Priority for registration into this class is given to agencies within Pinellas County.*

*Remaining seats will be open to all agencies 14 days from the start date.*

Casual clothing is recommended. Shorts, tank tops and/or offensive T-shirts are unacceptable attire. Law enforcement personnel not in uniform that are carrying exposed firearms must prominently display agency ID and/or badge at all times while on college property.

**Training Calendar** <http://pstc.spcollege.edu/>

## Lead Instructor

Al Danna, a retired special agent with FDLE, is the lead instructor for this training. Al has dedicated his law enforcement career to investigating crimes against children and is a recognized expert in the field of child physical abuse. Al is a court qualified expert and has testified before the United States Department of Justice, Attorney General's Commission on Child Pornography. Agent Danna serves as a consultant to various agencies and currently serves as a reserve agent with FDLE.