Liar, Liar Face on Fire is designed to train criminal justice personnel in the detection of deception on the part of subjects, suspects, victims, and witnesses by the study of body language, verbal and non-verbal communication cues, eye movement and facial expressions. This course is intended for officers and related professionals who conduct interviews. The class is also appropriate for prosecuting attorneys and judges. The course is designed to improve an interviewer’s skill at the art of reading body language, interpreting verbal and non-verbal cues, and perceiving deception by studying the facial expressions and eye movements of the interviewee. At the conclusion of the course, the class participant will be able to apply learned skills to gain valuable information and important evidence, to produce more confessions and higher conviction rates where applicable, to improve employee screening, and most importantly to increase officer safety.

Course Highlights:
• Anatomy of a Lie
• The Psychology of Lying
• Leakage
• Eye Accessing
• Fight or Flight
• Officer Safety

Major Tania Pendarakis, (Ret.), served in uniform patrol for five years and as an undercover officer for eight. She worked for a plain clothes state investigative agency for 22.5 years and was promoted up each rung of the chain of command from detective to Interim Chief of Law Enforcement. Pendarakis was the State Emergency Response Team Commander for her agency and has extensive experience in multi-jurisdictional law enforcement and emergency response to critical incidents.

Although retired from active duty (July 2007), Pendarakis continues to serve the law enforcement profession. In addition to teaching criminal justice classes, she sits on the Executive Board of the State Law Enforcement Chiefs’ Association and provides free technical support for several non-profit organizations including Cops for Kids Tallahassee.
**Liar, Liar Face on Fire: Detecting Deception**

**Cost:** $49 per person – PRPC sponsored

**Location**
Amarillo College          6222 W. 9th Ave.
West Campus Lecture Hall  Amarillo, Texas

**Directions:** Take I-40 to the Bell Street Exit (North). Turn right on the West 9th Avenue Loop. Go under the overpass and through the first light. The Amarillo College West Campus is on the right. The Lecture Hall is located on the front of the campus by the flagpoles.

**Target Audience**
Primary: Law enforcement officers, probation/parole officers, and corrections officers.
Secondary: Counselors, caseworkers, mental health workers and others who work with mandated clients.

**CEUs**
Credit hours will be submitted to TCLEOSE and TJJD for approval. CEUs will be awarded for Social Workers and LPC/LMFTs. Amarillo College is approved by the State Board of Educator Certification as a provider of Continuing Professional Education (CPE). Amarillo College is approved by the Texas Certification Board of Addiction Professionals Standards Committee, Provider Number 1743-06, to provide six hours general and CCJP credit. Expires 08/14. Complaints about provider or workshop content may be directed to the TCBAP Standards Committee, 1005 Congress Avenue, Ste. 460, Austin, Texas 78701, Fax Number (512) 476-7297. General CEUs will be awarded to all other participants for individual submission to their respective licensing agencies. For successful completion, this program must be attended in its entirety.

**Disability Notice**
Any student, who because of a disabling condition may require some special arrangements in order to meet course requirements, should contact disAbility Services (SSC 119, Phone 371-5436) as soon as possible.

**Enrollment Eligibility Notice**
Students with outstanding obligations to Amarillo College may not be allowed to enroll in or complete a continuing education course until the obligations are fulfilled. Students who have received a Criminal Trespass Warning from Amarillo College will not be allowed to enroll in courses held on any AC campus unless the warning has been lifted.

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