



**TASER MASTER INSTRUCTOR SCHOOL PROGRAM
GENERAL REQUIREMENTS**

MANDATORY MINIMUM EXPERIENCE (NEW MASTER INSTRUCTOR APPLICANTS ONLY)

- 5 years as a currently sworn law enforcement officer and/or 5 years of active military service
 - Non-sworn law enforcement or inactive military applications will not be accepted!
- 2 years of TASER Instructor experience – Law Enforcement or Military
- Currently certified TASER CEW Instructor
- Must have taught a minimum of 12 verifiable TASER CEW user courses (see below for documentation requirement)
- Must be able to participate in all physical drills and activities throughout the course (full duty clearance required).
 - Please do not apply if you are unable to participate in a physically demanding training environment or on limited duty in your department/not cleared for full duty from your department
 - This physical requirement applies to ALL students, whether new or recertifying

REQUIRED DOCUMENTATION FOR APPLICATION PROCESS

- Submit a current resume, headlining your training experience
 - Submit a recommendation letter from your Chief, Sheriff, Agency Director or Commanding Officer, stating that you are in good standing within your agency and that they are acknowledging your application to this course
 - Provide documentation of at least 12 TASER CEW user courses – list of class dates training occurred and number of students per class
 - Master Instructor Application (Must be SIGNED by applicant)
 - Knowledge and full agreement with TASER Master Instructor requirements and agreement
 - EMAIL all of the above to Jennifer Bliven, TASER Training Coordinator – jennifer@taser.com
- All documents must be received at the same time for review. Do not submit separately as these applications will not be reviewed until all materials have been received. Please submit completed: signed master application, registration form, resume, letter of recommendation, and list of end-user courses taught. **Recertifying masters:** please just submit the signed master application and registration

COST

- New and Recertifying Master Instructor Certification 5-Day Course (Monday – Friday) \$975
 - Master Instructor new certification and recertification course will be held Monday – Friday. This includes the Evidence Collection & Analysis course



COURSE REQUIREMENTS

- Full attendance of the 5-day Master Instructor program.
Note: When booking flights home please book flight times while adhering to the scheduled end of the program (see above) and allow sufficient time to get to the airport and to your flight. Any student that fails to stay for the entire program will NOT be certified as a Master instructor. Please plan accordingly.
- Successfully pass all written, oral, and performance tests (90% or better on examination(s))
- Sign the Master Instructor: Warnings, Risks & Release Agreement
- Experience the effects, i.e., participate in an exposure of a TASER Conducted Electrical Weapon (CEW) – new Master Instructor candidates only and subject to any applicable health limitations as described on the next page. Should there be any legislative requirement against, please provide with application.
- All students are required to bring their own laptop computers with Evidence Sync installed.

TESTS

- Written Tests
- Oral Presentations
- Physical Performance

RE-CERTIFICATION

- Master Instructor certifications are valid for a period of two (2) years. Master Instructors who wish to recertify and maintain their Master Instructor status must attend a Master Instructor School every two (2) years.

TASER reserves the right to deny an application for the Master Instructor program if the requirements are not met or for any other reason in TASER's sole discretion.

TASER reserves the right to present, revoke, or suspend any Master Instructor Certificate at any time for any reason in TASER's sole discretion.



**TASER Training Master Instructor School
Application and Release Form**

Please review the Master Instructor School General Requirements (fully incorporated herein) prior to completing this application.

Name: _____ Rank: _____

Agency: _____ Email: _____

Phone: _____ Address: _____

I have been a sworn law enforcement officer or in the military for _____ years.

I have been a law enforcement or military instructor for _____ years.

I have taught (how many?) _____ TASER CEW user courses*

*New applicants must include list of training dates & number of students.

Other instructor experience: _____

I am submitting a current resume along with this application that outlines applicable experience.

TASER Training's Master Instructor Training course requires physical activity and exposure to a TASER CEW electrical discharge. Exposure to a TASER CEW causes muscle contractions, physical stress and exertion similar to strenuous physical activity, as outlined in the Master Instructor: Warnings, Risks & Release Agreement, and the TASER Handheld CEW Warnings, Instructions and Information: Law Enforcement, provided to each applicant. If you have a pre-existing injury or condition that would be aggravated by physical exertion, muscle contraction or exercises please describe the injury or condition in detail below and notify the instructor prior to performing any physical activities or taking a TASER CEW exposure. If practical, your instructor will locate the exposure to a TASER CEW to a part of your body away from the area of your pre-existing injury or condition. You will be required to sign a "Master Instructor: Warnings, Risks & Release Agreement" prior to the commencement of training. Nobody will be admitted to the course without fully reading, understanding, agreeing to, and signing this form.

Pre-existing Injuries or Conditions: _____

Physical Activity Limitation(s): _____



In consideration of my participation in the TASER Master Instructor Training Course (the "Course") and the use of Axon Enterprise, Inc. (formerly TASER International, Inc.) ("TASER") Copyrighted Training Materials, I acknowledge and agree as follows:

- 1) I understand that participating in the Course involves the application of a TASER Conducted Electrical Weapon (CEW) electrical discharge and strenuous physical activity and involves the risk of physical injury. I voluntarily agree to participate in the Course and agree to assume all risks, whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen, inherent in such physical activity and the application of the TASER CEW electrical discharge.
- 2) Intending that this Form be legally binding upon me, my heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, I hereby waive, release and forever discharge the instructor, TASER and all of its agents and employees (collectively, "TASER Parties") of and from any and all claims, demands, rights and causes of action of whatsoever kind and nature, arising from, and by reason of any and all known and unknown physical and mental injuries and consequences thereof, including the TASER Parties' own negligence, whether foreseen or unforeseen, suffered by me from any and all activities during the Course, including the application of the TASER CEW electrical discharge.
- 3) I understand that TASER has the sole and exclusive right to reject my application or revoke or suspend any Master Instructor Certificate at any time for any reason in TASER's sole discretion. I hereby fully, completely, and forever waive and release, and agree to indemnify and hold harmless, the TASER Parties from any and all claims that arise or are alleged to have arisen out of or in connection with any action which any of the TASER Parties takes or fails to take in connection with my application or certification, including TASER's denial of my application or revocation of my certification.
- 4) In signing this Form, I agree that
 - a. I have read and understand this entire Form and have completed this form truthfully, and agree to abide by the terms and conditions of this Form;
 - b. I am presently in good physical and mental health except as disclosed in this Form;
 - c. I am fully aware of, and acknowledge and assume all risk of injury known or unknown inherent in my participation in this Course; and
 - d. I agree to fully and completely abide by the rules and regulations of TASER in the presentation of any TASER training, product, warning, or other materials.
- 5) I have read, considered, fully understand, agree to without exception, hereby make an integral part of this application and agreement TASER's current warnings, product manual, and CEW training program materials.
- 6) I have read, considered, fully understand, agree to without exception, hereby sign and make an integral part of this application and agreement TASER's current Instructor and User Warnings, Risks, Liability Release and Covenant Not to Sue

Date: _____

Signed: _____

Printed Name: _____