

Disturbance Resolution

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The outline shown presents a more specific model of how to proceed when responding to any sort of disturbance or potential disturbance (*i.e.*, serving an arrest warrant on someone).

APPROACH CONSIDERATIONS

Decision-Making

- Justification
- Desirability

Tactical Deployment

- Control of Distance
- Relative Positioning
- Relative Positioning with Multiple Subjects
- Team Tactics

Tactical Evaluation

- Threat Assessment Opportunities
- Officer/Subject Factors
- Special Circumstances
- Level/Stage/Degree of Stabilization

INTERVENTION OPTIONS

MODE

A. Presence

B. Dialogue

C. Control Alternatives

D. Protective Alternatives

E. Deadly Force

PURPOSE

To present a visible display of authority

To verbally persuade

To overcome passive resistance, active resistance, or their threats

To overcome continued resistance, assaultive behavior, or their threats

To stop the threat

FOLLOW-THROUGH CONSIDERATIONS

A. Stabilize

B. Monitor/Debrief

C. Search

D. Escort

E. Transport

F. Turn-Over/Release

Application of restraints, if necessary

If appropriate

If necessary

If necessary

Removal of restraints, if necessary

Appendix A

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