



Use of Force Recommendation 04

*CONCURRENT INVESTIGATIONS
DECISION POINT- SCENE RESPONSIBILITY*

Concurrent Investigations Framework

Decision Point	Description
✓ Force Investigation Team (FIT)	Team responsible for investigating critical use of force incidents
✓ Notification	Types of critical use of force incidents requiring FIT response
Scene Response	FIT roles called upon based on incident type
✓ Scene Responsibilities	Scope of actions on scene of FIT members based on area of expertise
After-Action	Prompt review of incident to identify solutions for immediate operational improvement
Investigation	A thoughtful examination to determine the facts of the incident
Use Of Force Review Board	An advisory panel to issue recommendations based on investigation results



Agenda

- Objective
- Recommendation Highlights
- Current Policy
- Criminal & Administrative Activities
- Regional Trends
- Proposed Activities for Administrative Investigations
- Questions



Objective

- Identify the investigative activities in a concurrent administrative investigation to be performed on scene and alongside the criminal investigation when a critical use of force incident occurs.

Recommendation Highlights

What should be the scene involvement of Professional Standards and Training for critical use of force incidents?

For an OIS incident:

- Attend debrief
- Ammunition round count
- Walk through by Homicide Case Agent

For an injury incident:

- Interview involved civilian and civilian witnesses
- Ensure protocol is followed to obtain medical attention and photos
- Download AXON videos
- Provide UOF writing guide; ensure report is completed

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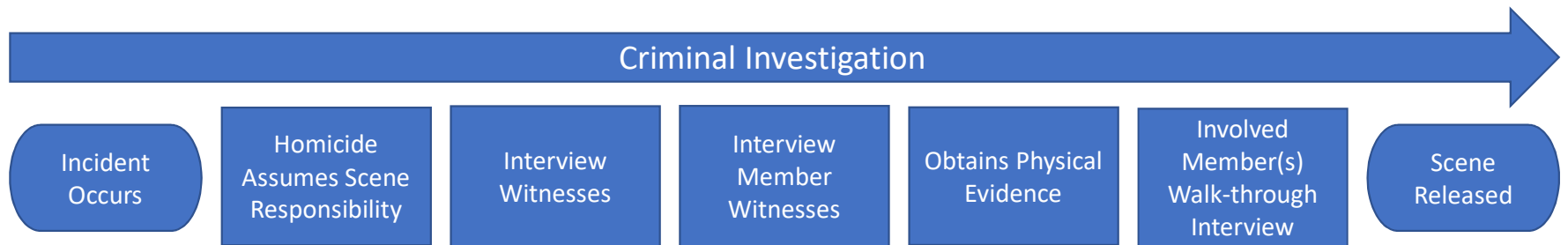
Police Assessment Resource Center (PARC)

Current Policy

- The Homicide Unit is dispatched on scene to conduct a criminal investigation.
- Range Sergeant or designee responds to the scene to examine the weapon(s) of all involved members.
- Peer Team will coordinate when the member is required to attend a session with a licensed psychologist or psychiatrist.
- Administrative leave paperwork is completed by the supervisor.
- An administrative investigation is not automatically initiated and is delayed months following the criminal investigation.



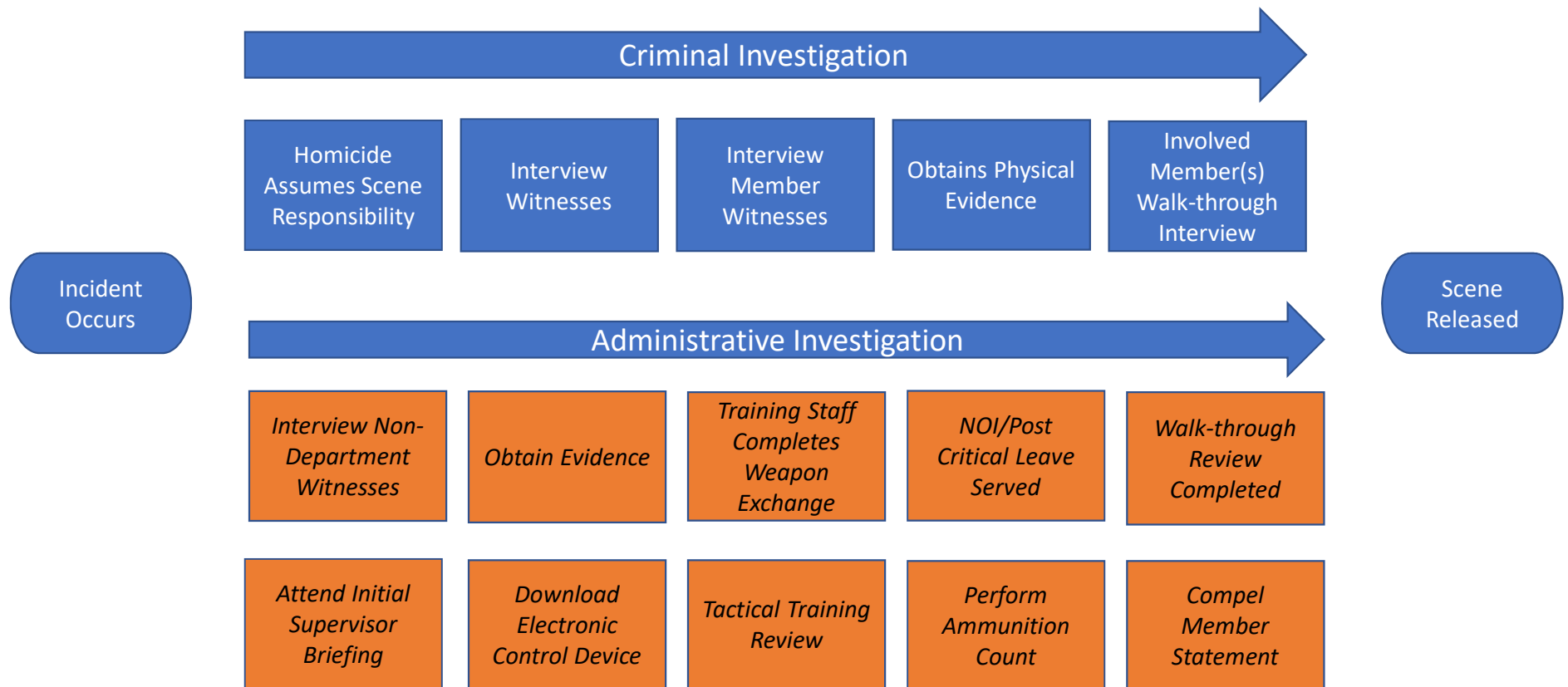
Criminal Investigative Activities



Regional Trends – Administrative Activities

Phoenix PD	(1) Training Representative (2) PS/IA Sergeants (1) PS/IA Lieutenant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Present for briefing from scene supervisor • NOI/NOAR served; Interview at later date • Receive walk through update from case agent • Training evaluation is conducted for later presentation to committee
Los Angeles PD	30 Member Team	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All-inclusive investigative unit • Team conducts simultaneous administrative/criminal compelled interview • Training evaluation is conducted for later 72 hour and 7-day review
Long Beach PD	(1) PS/IA Sergeant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Walk-through for “Cone Placement” • No interview completed, involved member completes written report
Scottsdale PD	(1) PS/IA Sergeant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conducts ammunition count • NOI/NOAR served; Interview at later date • Schedules appointment with a psychologist or psychiatrist • Receive walk through update from case agent
Chandler PD	(1) PS/IA Sergeant or Lieutenant	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • NOI/NOAR served; Interview at later date • Schedules appointment with a psychologist or psychiatrist • Receive walk through update from case agent
Anaheim PD	(2) PS/IA Sergeants	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Involved member is not interviewed on the day of incident. • Team monitors interview with case agent and district attorney (48-72 hrs)

Proposed Activities for Administrative Investigations





Questions