



The Institute of Traffic Accident Investigators
Record of Continuing Professional Development

Name: A.N. Other		Membership No: M9576	
Date	Activity or Event		
1 st -3 rd Jan	Training - Driver field impairment testing		
Organiser		Venue	
Training Organisation		The Classroom @ work	
<p>Description of the activity of event: Training package to facilitate recognition of drivers under the influence of drugs, a consistent means of assessing the ability for a person to drive a motor vehicle and the concept of the procedure within a drug and crime reduction strategy. This consisted of extensive input as to the various drugs and the influences they may have upon a person, the visual and psychophysical indicators of their usage, related legal framework, internal procedures and documentation. Targeted to drugs other than alcohol. Practical assessments on 'stooge' drivers. Resulted in an examination</p>			
<p>Relevance: Many drivers involved in incidents are under the influence of various medications, some of which may have an adverse effect on the driver. Although I may not, in the course of my investigation conduct these tests, an awareness of the influences and affects of drugs upon the driver, an understanding of the procedures is beneficial to my role.</p>			
<p>Development: As a result of the course, I understand the legislation, the admin and can conduct the FIT tests where required, its a development of my prev skills/experience of dealing with drink/drug drivers. This will also be of benefit when dealing with collision investigations where drug driving is a factor. Whilst much of the course was for internal procedures and other matters, I am now able to understand how various types of medication affect the body in differing ways. Gained better understanding of stimulants / depressants, effect of drugs on the 'body clock' and can appreciate association of that to driving skills.</p>			
CPD Brought Forward	Duration of Activity	CPD Value of Activity	CPD Carried Forward
12hrs	3x 8hr days	6 hrs	18hrs