# **Ohio Preservice School Bus Driver Training Program Presents:**



Training for Reality
When Crisis Strikes

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# With Nationally Recognized School Safety Expert Jesus M. Villahermosa, Jr.

Jesus' experience as a law enforcement officer has fueled his passion for people and their emotional, mental, and physical safety. He has spoken professionally since 1986, presented on safety-related issues and has trained over 775,000 professionals throughout this country and Canada, including hundreds of colleges, universities, school districts and some of the largest corporations in America. Jesus' knowledge of the various professions he has worked with and the many challenges its students, parents, staff and employees face, along with his humor, real-life stories from the streets, and the practical application of the taught techniques guarantee for a memorable presentation that transforms participants and offers real-life resources for crisis or vulnerable situations.

Detailed in-service information is on the back of this page.

### **Dates, Times and Location**

#### **Tuesday, June 13, 2023**

Registration:
Presentation:
Location:

7:00 a.m. — 8:00 a.m.

8:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.

Lakota East HS

6840 Lakota Lane

Liberty Township, OH 45044

<u>OR</u>

#### **Tuesday, June 20, 2023**

Registration:
Presentation:
Location:

7:00 a.m. — 8:00 a.m. 8:00 a.m. — 12:00 p.m.

**Theodore Roosevelt HS** 

1400 North Mantua Street Kent. OH 44240

Kent, OH 442

#### **Questions?**

Call or email Kathy Bifulco at 419.222.1836, ext. 213 or schoolbus@allencountyesc.org

# Cost:

\$50.00

#### **Payment:**

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Purchase Order, or Credit Card.
No personal checks!

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Allen County ESC 1920 Slabtown Road, Lima, OH 45801 Attn: Kathy Bifulco

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**Jesus Villahermosa** has trained and spoken to bus drivers from all over the United States in various safety areas that face our nations school bus drivers. One of the biggest challenges any person faces is learning how and why to trust their own gut feelings when they sense an imminent threat or proximate danger. This training will teach you how to use the C.L.E.A.R. acronym to be more aware of your surroundings while interacting with those around you and help you to realize when it's time to implement a plan of action and mitigate the risk of an assault.

Jesus will also address why recognizing body language is a precursor to violence which could save your life or the lives of others around you! Did you know that body language does not lie and when most people fee there is conflict between what you are saying and what your body language is saying, they believe your body language! It's our mouths that lie and our body language will almost always reflect that if you know what to look for.

Jesus will train drivers on how to extend their levels of awareness and body language recognition so that they can identify some of the precursors of violence and allow them to implement a response of evasion plan. If you have ever wanted to know why you should always trust your gut feelings, then this part of the training will give you the answer to that question.

The second part of the training involves surviving the active lethal threat on the bus. Bus drivers face a unique challenge in that their environment is a moving one, with limited space and everyone in their environment is sitting behind them...and they are supposed to be driving defensively to avoid accidents. But those are not the newest threats our nations school bus drivers face today.

School bus drivers must have plans to respond to an unauthorized boarding of the bus by an angry parent, or a mental health patient trying to hijack their bus while their kids are on board. In a worst case scenario, the driver will need to have a plan should an armed suspect board their bus, as was the case in the Alabama Bus Hostage situation, where the bus driver was shot and killed while the suspect kidnapped a young child from the bus. These are real life situations and Jesus will provide real life response plans that will increase your chances of surviving such an event.