

FLORIDA MODEL JAIL STANDARDS INSPECTOR CERTIFICATION

BASIC CERTIFICATION COURSE FOR INSPECTORS



Course Details

The Jail Inspector's course is a five-day course (40 hours), taught by members of the Florida Model Jail Standards (FMJS) Training Sub-committee. The class combines classroom activities and hands-on learning that may require several hours of walking.

How to Become a Jail Inspector

To become a FMJS Certified Jail Inspector, you must successfully complete the FMJS Inspector Certification Course and be recognized by the FMJS Committee to conduct correctional operations inspections.

Certification Maintenance

The certification is valid for four years. All FMJS inspectors are required to successfully complete an eight-hour (8) re-certification course every four years in order to maintain the certification.

Qualifications

Must be actively employed and/or retired certified with five years' experience in the care, custody and control of inmates; and

Civilian employee must have eight years of experience in the jail operations; and

Have a written endorsement from the candidate's sheriff; and

If the candidate is not employed by a Sheriff's Office, written endorsement must be submitted from the chief executive officer of the correctional facility with which the candidate is employed.

Course Subject Areas

- The history of jail standards
- Standards review
- Sanitation
- Food service
- Fire safety
- Report writing
- Legal
- Inspections methods

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Locations are currently being considered for Basic Certification courses for Jail Inspector. If you would like one in your area, please contact our team.