

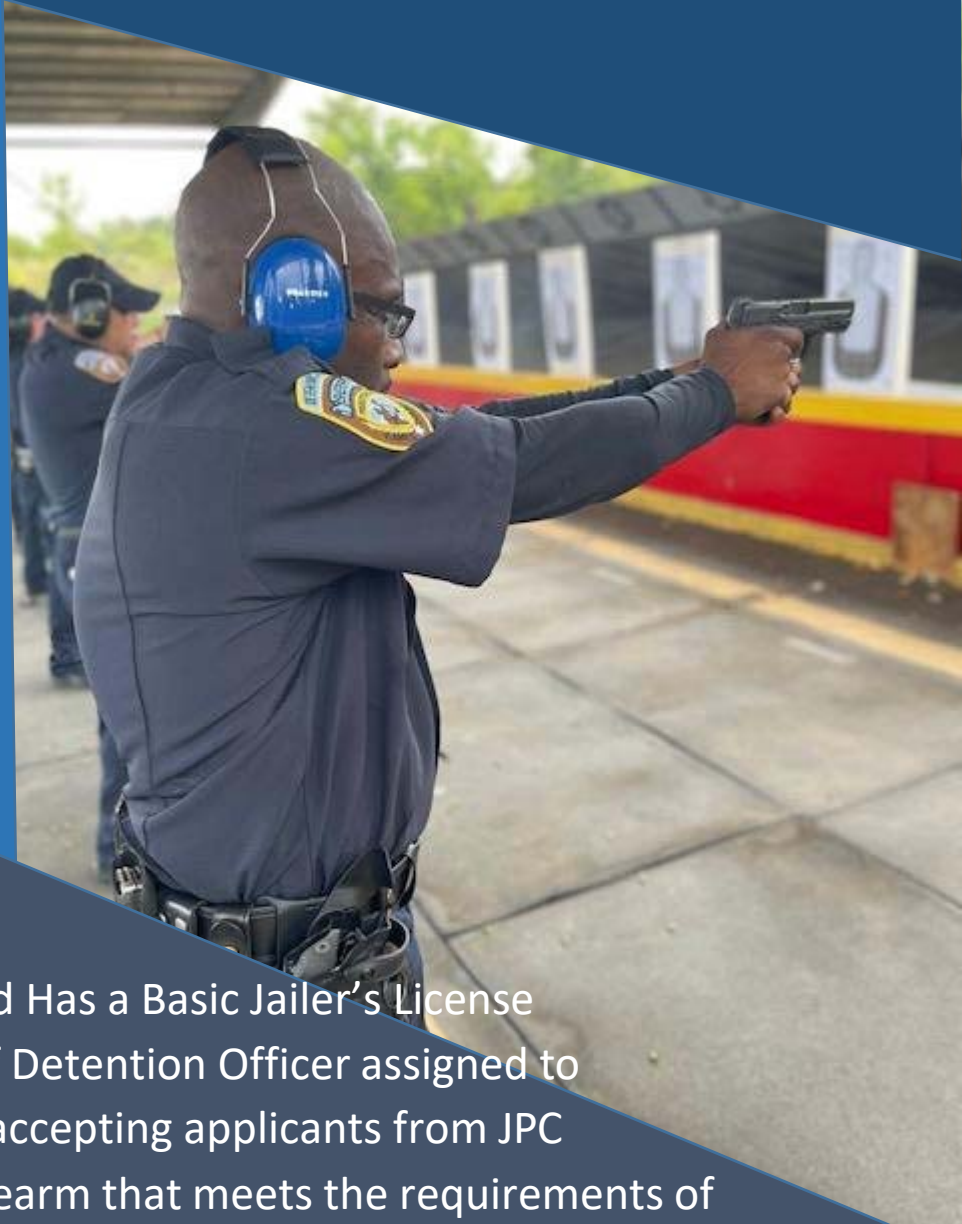
Armed Detention Officer

Candidate Testing

1307 Baker St (Room E-1)

October 22, 2024

(0700-1700)



Requirements

- At least 21 years of age and Has a Basic Jailer's License
- Currently holds the rank of Detention Officer assigned to Detention Command, not accepting applicants from JPC
- Owns a semi-automatic firearm that meets the requirements of HCSO Policy #702
- Agree to a 1-year commitment to the position of Armed Detention Officer
- Must have a good attendance record
- Must present a professional image

Armed Detention Officer Candidate Posting

The Harris County Sheriff's Office is looking for qualified personnel to join the ranks of the Armed Detention Officer Training Program. The practical testing process consists of a work-related fitness assessment.

Testing for Armed Detention Officer Candidate will be held at 1307 Baker St, Room E-1, on the following dates and times:

- October 22, 2024 (0700-1700)

General Job Description

- Armed Detention Officers will be tasked with transporting Harris County Jail prisoners outside the jail, transporting Harris County Jail prisoners to/from courts, and with guarding Harris County Jail prisoners in area hospitals or other outside health care facilities.

Requirements for Testing

- Currently holds the rank of Detention Officer
- Basic Jailer's License
- Minimum of 21 years of age
- Must agree to a 1-year commitment to the position of Armed Detention Officer (not affected by promotion or transfer to the Basic Peace Officer's Course)
- Must agree to orders of the 140-hour Armed Detention Officer Training Program
- Owns a semi-automatic firearm that meets the requirements of HCSO Policy #702
- Be self-motivated and able to work with little supervision
- Must have a good attendance record
- Must present a professional image

Preferences

- Experience working the operations section of 1200 and 701
- Intermediate, Advanced, or Master Jailer's License
- Previous firearms and defensive tactics training

Testing Procedure

If you meet the abovementioned requirements, come to the test in full uniform and have your HCSO identification. **Do not bring a firearm to the test.** Bring a copy of your TCOLE Personal Status Report (PSR) to the test. You can print your TCOLE PSR from <https://www.tcole.texas.gov/>

If you previously tested and passed the test, you are already on the eligibility list and do not need to test again. You can try again if you have previously tested and failed the test or failed to meet other requirements