

# Alert

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## What's New on IACP Net?

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### **IACP Net Announces Networking Enhancements**

IACP Net's newest sections, Find Departments and Find Users, make the service an even better resource for networking with other law enforcement leaders. Log in and update your department and personal profiles today by visiting the Find Departments and Find Users sections under Networking. Don't forget to upload photos!

### **IACP Net Conference Wrap-Up**

Thank you to all who stopped by the IACP Net booth at the 117th IACP Conference in Orlando, Florida. We enjoyed speaking with you and hearing how IACP Net makes a difference for you and your department. Congratulations to Chief Bryan Ross of the Spring Township Police Department in Pennsylvania, who won the HP Mini computer given away at the conference by IACP Net.

We'll see you in Chicago in 2011!

### **Policy Manual Request**

We need more policy manuals! Please help us add to the database by sending yours. You may send your policy manual to: [info@login-inc.com](mailto:info@login-inc.com) or mail to: IACP Net, 7250 Hudson Blvd N, Suite 130, Saint Paul, MN 55128. If you have any questions, please contact Gerad Mead, IACP Net Information Coordinator at 800.227.9640. Thank you for your assistance.

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## DATABASES

### **Detecting Marijuana in Saliva**

Oral fluid analysis is growing in popularity as an alternative to blood and urine analysis for delta-9-tetrahydrocannabinol (THC) detection. Oral fluid can be analyzed without the embarrassment of urine sample analysis or the pain incurred by blood analysis. Similarly, oral fluid analysis necessitates much less training in comparison with the extensive training required for blood analysis. Due to the low concentration of THC normally found in oral fluid and the low volume of oral fluid readily available for this type of analysis, oral fluid analysis is not, however, without its challenges. This article is located in the Core Database, document #614039.

### **Uniforms, Equipment, & Grooming and Appearance Standards**

This policy is taken from the Anne Arundel County, Maryland, Police Department Rules and Regulations Manual. Unless otherwise directed, members of the department, while on duty, will wear the uniforms and equipment issued by the department and prescribed by the Chief of Police. Uniforms will be worn in their entirety and in their intended fashion, and will be kept clean, well-brushed and pressed. This policy is located in the Policies Database, document #614206.

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## NETWORKING

### **Quest-Response Service Highlights**

Stay updated on trends and topics in law enforcement by reviewing the IACP Net Quest-Response service. Current hot topics include:

New Drug Trend "Spice"

Consolidating Police Services  
NIMS Credentialing Requirements  
PSAP Consolidation IT Consultant  
Verbal De-escalation Training  
Captains - Appointed or Civil Service?  
Outside Employment

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## CURRENT AFFAIRS

### Stretch Your Training Budget with IACP Net

IACP Net is the resource to turn to for free training opportunities, with over 200 free events listed on the site presently. To find the ones that fit your agency's training schedule, visit the Calendar section under Current Affairs and search with keyword "\$0".

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### Using the *Alert*

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