

RICHARD BERGIN

Professional Experience:

Baltimore County Police Department, Baltimore, MD November 1979 – May 2012

Education:

- 1/1977 - 6/1979 Catonsville Community College
- 1976 University of Maryland Baltimore County
- 1975 Graduated from Catonsville High School

Skills and Achievements:

- Experienced in the field of narcotics use and abuse and the effects it has on our youth, schools and everyday life in our communities.
- Experienced in the craft of public speaking.
- Past public and private presentations involving "Street Level" narcotics identification / processing / packaging / distribution and abuse.
- Experienced in communicating and working with local, state and federal government agencies.
- Experienced in testifying as an expert in the field of narcotics in criminal trials.
- Experienced in testifying in civil trials.
- Experienced in the political arena of how to prepare legislative bills, acquire sponsors and how and when to submit this type of documentation.
- Experienced in testifying before the Maryland General Assembly.
- Experienced in presenting information to local and State representatives including County Executive, County Council representatives, State Delegates, State Senators, U.S. Senators and the Governor of the State of Maryland.
- Experienced in the working knowledge of "committees" and understanding the importance of teamwork while working towards a common goal.

Activities:

- Conducted "Street Level" drug seminars for Baltimore County Police Citizens Academy, Youth Academy and Maryland Institute of Justice in Annapolis Maryland.
- Conducted drug seminar for teachers and administrators of the Maryland Board of Education.
- Conducted drug seminar for United States Military personnel prior to Afghanistan deployment.
- Baltimore County Fraternal Order of Police line officer.
- Chair, Baltimore County Fraternal Order of Police Legislative Committee.
- Member of the Maryland Fraternal Order of Police Legislative Committee.
- Experience in the filming of training videos for Baltimore County Police Department.
- Experience in portraying criminal element in national training video titled "My Child Is Missing", hosted by John Walsh.