K-9 Tactical Emergency Casualty Care (TECC) 3-Day – Canine Handler

(Police Service Dogs, Military Working Dogs, Search & Rescue Dogs, and other Governmental Agencies Service Dogs)

ST/OPS Tactical Training Canada develops and delivers world class medical programmes. All our courses adhere to the recommended guidelines laid out by the Canine/K9 Tactical Combat Casualty (K9TCCC) Guidelines and the K9 Combat Casualty Care Committee. In addition, your members will benefit from lessons learned from our instructors' operational experience and how to apply it to the world of tactical medicine.

This is a 24-hour (three day) course designed for K-9 Handler and members who may have to respond to K-9 medical emergencies in a Direct Threat and Indirect Threat situations. It encompasses hands-on training on the key life-saving skills in tactical situations with the addition of a full day of scenario-based training. Participants are afforded multiple runs as primary and secondary care providers in tactically challenging situations, brought to life through our use of Hyper-Realistic® Hollywood grade atmospherics and effects.

Pre-requisites:

Standard First Aid

The course will cover the following topics:

-Introduction to K-9 Tactical Medicine
-Direct Threat Care, use of tourniquets
-Indirect Threat Care and introduction to the M-MARCHE algorithm
-Didactic lectures and skill stations for:
-Massive haemorrhage, wound packing and dressing
-Airway management, recovery position, manual methods
-Respirations, chest injuries, seals and burping
-Circulation, shock recognition
-Hypothermia prevention strategies and adjuncts
-Everything else, a head to tail secondary examination
-Patient packaging and evacuation prepping
-Burns
-Equipment organization and considerations
-K-9 Medical planning
-Non-Traumatic emergencies

One full day of scenarios putting the student in realistic situations pertinent to their daily duties using various teaching modalities, atmospherics and special effects.