## JOHN NICOLETTI

## **BIOGRAPHY**

JOHN NICOLETTI WORKS AS A POLICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY PSYCHOLOGIST WITH NUMEROUS LAW ENFORCEMENT AND EMERGENCY RESPONSE AGENCIES. HE SPECIALIZES IN TRAUMA RESPONSE/RECOVERY AND THREAT ASSESSMENTS IN VARIOUS ENVIRONMENTS. DR. NICOLETTI HAS BEEN ON SCENE OR ASSISTED WITH MOST OF COLORADO'S MASS CASUALTY OR ACTIVE SHOOTER EVENTS. DR. NICOLETTI HAS CO-AUTHORED THREE BOOKS RELATED TO VIOLENCE PREVENTION. HE WAS ALSO A CO-WRITER FOR THE NAMI AND COPS MANUAL ENTITLED "PREPARING FOR THE UNIMAGINABLE". THE BOOK IS DESIGNED FOR LEADERS ON HOW TO SAFEGUARD FIRST RESPONDERS MENTAL HEALTH BEFORE AND AFTER MAS CASUALTY EVENTS.

## PRESENTATION DESCRIPTION

Too Much, Too Ugly—Trauma Contamination, get Rid of It or You Will Live With It

DR. NICOLETTI'S PRESENTATION WILL FOCUS ON THREE MAIN AREAS IN TRAUMA. THE FIRST IS HOW THE TRAUMA CONTAMINATION PROCESS OCCURS. THE SECOND AREA WILL FOCUS ON THE SPECIFIC SYMPTOMS OF TRAUMA CONTAMINATION. THE FINAL SECTION WILL FOCUS ON TECHNIQUES FOR INOCULATION PRIOR TO RESPONDING TO A CRITICAL INCIDENT AS WELL AS TECHNIQUES FOR DECONTAMINATING AFTER RESPONDING TO A TRAUMATIC EVENT.