



# Learn To Return™

## Bear Awareness and Defense

*This is an excellent hands-on course for those working or exploring in Bear Country*

### Program Details

#### Class Time:

8am—5pm

#### Class Size:

16 Students

### Registration

For registration information please call our main office at (907) 563-4463 or e-mail [LTRoffice@alaska.net](mailto:LTRoffice@alaska.net)

### Please Bring

Closed toe shoes

Comfortable clothing

Clothing for conditions



### Program Overview

This 1 day program focuses on situational awareness and conflict avoidance when in Bear Country. We cover specific threats which require “hazing” and look at common deterrent techniques and equipment. We then address the implications and techniques for the lethal defense of life and property. Students are given hands on opportunities to practice protective posturing, defensive use of Bear Spray, and Firearms Familiarization.

### Classroom Training

The classroom portion starts with a close look at bear biology, behavior, and body language. Students then learn bear avoidance, risk assessment, and how to react to a bear encounter at various distances. We stress the effectiveness of deterrent, bear spray and protective posturing through lecture and active bear spray training. Finally we cover the medical aspects of bear attacks, then transition into lethal options, firearms safety, and proper usage.



### Range Training

The afternoon training is at a local shooting range. We start with a detailed range safety and procedure briefing in preparation for live fire drills. Students will discharge various deterrents cartridges such as: Cracker, Nova, Bean Bag, and Rubber Bullets before transitioning to lethal rounds. During the firearms drills, students will be coached so they can improve their shooting proficiency while engaging both stationary and moving targets.

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