Officer-Involved Shooting Flowchart

Officer-involved shooting occurs.

Involved police department immediately notifies the District Attorney's Justice System Integrity Division (JSID).

JSID Deputy District Attorney (DDA) and District Attorney Investigator (DAI) immediately respond to scene.



DAI attends autopsy.

If fatal incident, DAI remains at scene until coroner investigator processes and transports the body.

At scene DDA and DAI receive:

- Initial briefing of facts.
- 2) Walk through of scene.
- 3) Participate in witness interviews (independently recorded).

Investigating agency conducts criminal investigation (average 6-8 months) and submits investigative materials to JSID.



DDA who responded to the scene reviews investigative materials.



DDA analyzes investigative materials.

JSID may conduct additional investigation. DDA evaluates legality of officer-involved shooting

If unlawful beyond a reasonable doubt, then criminal case is filed.

If lawful or not provable, DDA writes an analysis of facts and law within 60 days of receipt of the complete investigative materials (unless additional investigation is required). Analysis is a public record.

