



MSA
SECURITY®
Windsor Program

America's Leader

in Explosive Detection Canine Teams

Operational Specialty Module: Crowd Search Deployment

MSA Security's comprehensive and best-in-class training prepares our dogs for explosive odor detection in four proven phases: Breeding, Socialization, Imprinting and Operational. The Operational phase introduces critical specialty modules to reflect real-life field work.

Our canines preparing for crowd search deployment are imprinted and methodically trained to detect explosive particles in the air – or explosive odors that linger after a person carrying or wearing them has left an area. MSA Windsor canines are able to track the odor back to its source even in the most crowded venues.

Dogs completing this specialty training module are particularly effective in performing non-intrusive crowd searches where hundreds or thousands gather and pass. Stadiums, event halls, transportation entry points, parades, outdoor public events and airports are just a few of the many congested critical venues where MSA Windsor teams are deployed.



**Leading the Industry in
High Consequence Threat
Protection Since 1987**

MSA Security® is America's largest private provider of Explosive Detection Canine (EDC) teams. With best-in-class training and hundreds of single-handler, single-purpose teams deployed globally, MSA Windsor teams successfully address the prominent and rising security threat of Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs).

Our teams are experienced, certified and proven, receiving extensive and continued operational training focusing on specific explosive detection deployment specialties and ensuring the highest level of performance in detecting explosive borne threats – regardless of presentation and even in the most crowded environments.

Why Choose an MSA Windsor Team?

MSA Security's Windsor Program is unmatched and where the finest explosive detection teams are made. The crucial distinctions lie in our training, team and credentials.

**MSA's Windsor
canines are never
kenneled or used by
multiple handlers.
They live at home
with their handler,
receiving daily training.
This improves their
temperament and
makes them far more
effective at work.**

OUR TRAINING

HME Imprinting

MSA Security canines are imprinted and trained on all five families of explosives, as well as homemade explosives (HMEs) like TATP, HMTD, Potassium Chlorate, Ammonium Nitrate and Urea Nitrate. This unique-to-the-industry imprint specificity has been a critical component of MSA's best-in-class training protocol for more than a decade and it is a distinction that matters.

ATF License

Licensed by the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms and Explosives to house and train on live explosives, MSA Security canines are never trained on simulant explosive odors. This is an industry distinction that gives MSA Windsor teams an edge that is unattainable in standard training environments.

Countering Contamination

Philosophically and financially committed to eliminating all explosive odor contamination, MSA never "cocktails" during imprintation to ensure effective odor recognition in the field.

Continued Education

MSA voluntarily administers the U.S. Department of Justice National Odor Recognition Test (DOJ NORT) and ongoing training for Windsor teams, including explosive identification classes to address the real-life, real-time evolution of HME explosives.

OUR TEAM

Unique Combination of Experience

MSA's Windsor team is a unique-to-the-industry combination of experienced bomb technicians and dog training professionals. Our team delivers expertly imprinted, methodically trained and well-prepared canine / handler teams that successfully address today's explosive threats in a variety of deployment environments.

Superior Dogs

When it comes to bomb dogs, not all breeds are the same. MSA Windsor dogs are sporting breeds selected for their keen sense of smell, drive, intelligence, stable temperament and eagerness to please. Vetting standards, rigorous training and meticulous care ensure our dogs enjoy long and productive careers.

Expert Handlers

MSA's full-time handlers come from both military and law enforcement backgrounds and undergo extensive and ongoing training in Explosive Detection, Counter Surveillance and Behavior Pattern Recognition.

Forensics Explosive Chemist

The employment of an industry-recognized forensic explosives chemist ensures MSA Security's Windsor teams are successfully imprinted and trained on current and emerging explosive threats.

OUR CREDENTIALS



DHS SAFETY Act Liability Protection

In 2004, MSA Security was one of the nation's first to be certified by the Department of Homeland Security's SAFETY Act, extending explicit liability protection for damages resulting from operations deployed in defense against, or in response to, an act of terror.

Uniquely Certified

MSA Security Windsor teams consistently meet the highest certification standards that are specific and unique to multiple government agency clients.

Exclusive U.S. Government Partner

Since 2014, MSA Security has been the exclusive certifying agent for Explosive Detection Canines deployed overseas on behalf of a U.S. Government agency.

