

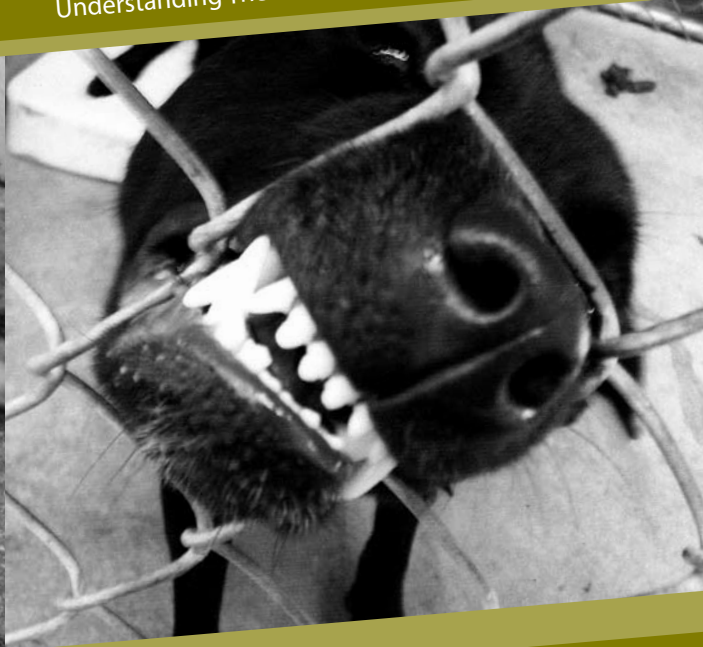
FIND OUT MORE ABOUT ALL THE TRAINING WORKSHOPS OFFERED BY AMERICAN HUMANE:

Animal fighting is a violent crime that offenders masquerade as a "sport." The animals are placed into an "arena" to fight while spectators cheer and gamble on the animals' lives. The animals are often severely injured, if not killed, during these fights. Neighbors are forced to live near dangerous criminals, and children who witness these events learn cruelty and become apathetic toward animals' suffering.

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ANIMAL FIGHTING INVESTIGATION



Humane investigators, law enforcement, prosecutors and judges must gather the tools they need to properly investigate these cases and obtain successful prosecutions.

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Animal fighting affects every community in this country and is at epidemic proportions in some cities. Animal fighting is a serious crime and may involve other crimes such as illegal drug use and sales, illegal weapon possession and sales, gambling, theft and burglary. Humane investigators' lack of education on how to properly investigate and prosecute these cases and a strong underground network of fighters are two factors that increase the attraction to the "sport." This class will offer solid, proven methods of investigating the crime and suggestions on how to identify the participants and help prosecutors present their cases well.

KEY AREAS OF AMERICAN HUMANE'S ANIMAL FIGHTING INVESTIGATION WORKSHOP :

- The crime of animal fighting and how to properly investigate cases
- Creating community awareness about animal fighting
- Advising other professionals and the public about how to recognize the signs of animal fighting
- Directing people to the resources available for additional facts, information and assistance on animal fighting cases

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- Animal care and control officers
- Law enforcement
- Animal welfare staff
- Criminal prosecutors
- Judges
- Veterinary technicians
- Veterinarians
- Citizens concerned about animal fighting in their communities

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THIS ONE-DAY WORKSHOP COVERS :

- The investigator's role
- The investigation process
- Types of fighting
- Fighting terminology
- How to obtain information about upcoming fights and participants in your area
- Search and seizure issues
- Writing reports and collecting evidence

GAIN NEW SKILLS AND EXPERTISE IN :

- Understanding animal fighting "cultures"
- Understanding other crimes linked to animal fighting
- Recognizing dog- and cockfighting paraphernalia
- Developing confidential informants
- Investigating animal fighting cases
- Working with other agencies to help resolve animal fighting issues in your community
- Preparing a prosecutable animal fighting case

