

MEMORANDUM TO: All Chiefs of Police and
Commissioner Thomas Carrique
Chairs, Police Service Boards

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SUBJECT: **New Educational Hate Crime Training for Police
Services Across Ontario**

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Further to All Chiefs Memo 24-0027, issued on May 1, 2024, the Ministries of the Solicitor General and the Attorney General have developed the online educational training to support police services in their understanding of identifying and enforcing hate crimes.

This educational training, entitled ***Navigating the Complexities of Hate – A Primer for Law Enforcement***, is now accessible through the [Ontario Police College Virtual Academy \(OPCVA\)](#).

If you have any questions about this training, please contact Instructor Amy Cook by email at Amy.Cook@ontario.ca. For questions related to accessing the OPCVA, please contact the Ontario Police College Distance Learning unit by email at OPCDL@ontario.ca.

Sincerely,



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