## **Teleconference:**

## **Best Practices for School Resource Officers**

**Tuesday, May 15, 2007** 

2:00 – 3:00 p.m. Eastern Time 1:00 – 2:00 p.m. Central 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. Mountain 11:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. Pacific

This teleconference will describe the three main roles of the school resource officer (SRO) in SS/HS initiatives; provide advice for SROs working with educators, mental health, and juvenile justice partners; and discuss the role of the law enforcement officer in schools. Experienced SROs will serve as presenters in the teleconference.

## Facilitator:

John Rosiak, Technical Assistance Specialist, The National Center for Mental Health Promotion and Youth Violence Prevention

## **Presenters:**

Officer Wayne Kassotis, SRO
Board Member of the National Association of School Resource Officers,
Swanzey, NH

Sgt. Tony Badilla, SRO Supervisor Oversees 13 SROs who work in 26 schools in Yuma, AZ (an SS/HS site)