



## First Sgt. Jessica Murphy Wicomico County Sheriff's Office Wicomico, MD

Jessica Murphy is a First Sergeant and Division Commander in the Special Operations Bureau of the Wicomico County Sheriff's Office in Maryland. For 22 years, she has served as a school resource officer supervisor and academy instructor. As a Crisis Intervention and Youth Mental Health First Aid trainer, her responsibilities include instructing fellow school resource officers on mental health diagnoses and other quality of life difficulties students may have.

In 2016, Sgt. Murphy was awarded the Sherriff's Association Deputy of the Year Award for Contribution to the Profession. She is part of the Community Outreach Addiction Team (COAT), which aims to build relationships and reduce the number of heroin overdose deaths by providing community support to people in crisis. She is a past President of Wicomico County Fraternal Order of Police.

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