

1.2 Public and Private Security:

Module 1

These agencies include municipal, provincial and federal police forces as well as the other services noted above. Legislation in each jurisdiction initiates and empowers these agencies, mandates specific training, and creates an objective complaint review process. Police forces are granted wide sweeping powers that are generally recognized by the public.

Examples of these roles include:

- Preserving the peace
- Preventing crimes and other offences
- Assisting victims of crime
- Arresting criminals or those suspected of criminal involvement