

Area Class Descriptions

CLASS A

In a CLASS A area there is a presumption that there can be some interaction between the participants, including the pointing of weapons at each other or controlled physical contact. Proper PPE considerations must be addressed.

These areas include the use of:

- **Condition BLUE** (training devices designed for opposed force training utilizing projectiles)
- **Condition YELLOW** (training devices utilizing blanks under controlled conditions)
- **Condition PURPLE** (training devices that emit LASERs)
- **Condition GREEN** (conventional weapons rendered temporarily inert with an engineered solution)
- **Condition RED** (training devices that are completely inert)

CLASS B

Any participant entering any of the following areas does not need to undergo another CLEAR Safety Inspection, since if they were previously CLEAR they will forfeit their CLEAR status upon entry to the CLASS B area. CLASS B functional areas provide proximity to dangerous firearms and devices. Even a casual observer forfeits their CLEAR status upon entry to a CLASS B functional area. **ANY MANNER OF OPPOSED FORCE TRAINING IS PROHIBITED**

Proper PPE considerations must be addressed as per the General Range Safety Guidelines. Class B areas include:

- **Condition BLACK** (conventional weapons and ammunition, conventional knives, other deadly weapons)
- **Condition GREY** (Lethal Training Ammunition)
- **Condition WHITE** (Unhardened Structure Target Munitions)
- **Condition ORANGE** (Impact Munitions, conducted energy weapons, chemical agents, other anti-personnel devices)

CLASS G

Uncontrolled Area – people in this class of space are assumed to be armed