

**BIO of the Lead Instructor, Van Postell**

Van Postell is a Captain for the city of Houston Fire Department. He is also a commissioned reserve deputy with the Harris County Sheriff's office and assigned to the Tactical Medical Division. He has been a Paramedic for 16 years. Van has attended the International School of Tactical Medicine in Palm Springs, CA, and also numerous other schools including basic SWAT and Tactical Combat Casualty Care. Postell holds many instructor certifications associated with the Texas Commission on Fire Protection (TCFP), Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCLEOSE), and the Texas Department of Health (TDHS).

**BIO of the Director of Law Enforcement Division, Leonid Kalmanovich**

Leonid Kalmanovich has served as the director of PerSys Medical's Law Enforcement division since 2010. The mission of the division is to recognize the needs of local, state and federal departments for emergency medical equipment and training and provide products, services and personnel to address those needs. Leonid has worked 10 years in diplomatic security with the Israeli Ministry of Foreign Affairs and prior to that served in the 890<sup>th</sup> Airborne Battalion of the IDF (Israeli Defense Force).