

YOU'VE PREPARED TO WIN THE  
**PHYSICAL FIGHT**  
NOW PREPARE TO WIN THE  
**LEGAL FIGHT**



“Taking Andrew’s Law of Self Defense Seminar would be not only a good idea, but an EXCELLENT idea. I also recommend his new book, *The Law of Self Defense*”

**-Massad Ayoob**  
Author *In The Gravest Extreme*

“Having a gun when the police aren’t there to protect you can keep you alive, but understanding the material Andrew teaches can keep you out of jail to continue enjoying that life.”

**-Dr. John Lott**  
Author *More Guns, Less Crime*

“The Law of Self Defense is likely the best book I have ever read on the subject. If you carry a gun for your personal security, you need to read this book.”

**-Dave Spaulding**  
Guns & Ammo, *Handguns* magazine

Learn what you need to know at our

# VA/MD/DC SELF DEFENSE LAW SEMINAR

THE LAW OF  
**SELF**  
DEFENSE

Saturday, June 27  
10:00am-3:00pm

Izaak Walton League  
Frederick MD

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED!

[LAWOFSELFDEFENSE.COM/FREDERICKMD](http://LAWOFSELFDEFENSE.COM/FREDERICKMD)

- Win the legal fight as well as the physical fight of your life
- Correct the myths about self defense law that gets people in trouble
- Minimize your likelihood of prosecution
- Help your lawyer build a compelling legal defense before you even call him
- Know what to say, and NOT to say, to the police
- And much, much more!



# Frequently Asked Questions

**Q: Why don't I just leave all the legal concerns to my lawyer?**

A: If you've used force against another person your lawyer will need to convince people who were not there (prosecutors, judges, jurors) that your actions were lawful. The only evidence he has to work with is what you are able to give him. If you've accidentally broken one of the laws your lawyer doesn't get to go back in time and "fix" your mistake. Best to know the rules and avoid the mistakes in the first place. Also, having your own strong understanding of the law is key to knowing when you've found a competent self-defense attorney, should you need one.

**Q: A "legal seminar" sounds very technical, do I need to be a lawyer to understand the content?**

A: Absolutely not. Andrew prides himself on delivering this legal knowledge in plain English, avoiding legalese, and takes the time to answer questions until every concept is understood. By the end of the seminar you will know more about self defense law of your state than many lawyers. And not just the statutes, but also the jury instructions and court decisions, and how they are all applied to real people in real self-defense cases. That said, many lawyers do attend our seminars (and earn Continuing Legal Education credit doing so). Law of Self Defense Seminars are where lawyers, prosecutors, police and judges come to learn self-defense law.

**Q: Will what I learn actually help me defend myself and my family?**

A: A robust understanding of self-defense law strengthens your tactical competence in the moment of crisis because you'll understand where the lines are that you must not cross, how to avoid the many legal traps that catch up well-meaning defenders, and when the conditions for lawful self-defense have actually been met.

**Q: OK, I'm convinced. What's it cost, and where do I go to register?**

A: The cost is \$109 before May 27, and \$159 after that. So register early! (For VA lawyers seeking 4.0 general CLE the figures are \$159 and \$209 respectively.)

To register simply go to [LawofSelfDefense.com/frederickmd](http://LawofSelfDefense.com/frederickmd)

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**Q: What if I can't make this live seminar? Are there other ways to get this information?**

A: Our book, *The Law of Self Defense*, covers all 50 states' self-defense law at a high level. We also offer state-specific online training courses at [lawofselfdefense.com/online-training/](http://lawofselfdefense.com/online-training/)



**Attorney Andrew F. Branca** is the author of *The Law of Self Defense, 2nd Edition* and an internationally recognized expert on U.S. self-defense law across all 50 states. His expertise has been used by the Wall Street Journal, the Chicago Tribune, NPR, and many other media organizations.

Andrew regularly consults on high-profile self-defense cases, and is a frequent public speaker and self-defense advocate. Andrew lectures and speaks throughout the country on how to minimize vulnerability to prosecution after self-defense. Most recently, Andrew won the UC Berkeley Law School "Stand Your Ground" debate and spoke at the NRA Annual Meeting.

Andrew is a Life Member and Certified Firearms Instructor of the NRA, a Guest Instructor at the SigSauer Academy, and a multi-division Master-class competitor in IDPA.