

State of New Hampshire Department of Safety



Regional Training Opportunities Bulletin

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This is a list of trainings available from the State of New Hampshire, Department of Safety, and our regional partners.

If you are looking for a class not listed here, please feel free to do a request at

https://prd.blogs.nh.gov/dos/hsem/?page_id=4629.

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Please understand this is a list of classes that are available at the time of publication and registration may close if they don't meet the minimum.

State of NH – Homeland Security and Emergency Management

MGT-312: Senior Officials Workshop for All Hazards Preparedness

Concord NH

November 8, 2023, 0800-1430

<https://my.teex.org/TeexPortal/Default.aspx?MO=mCourseCatalog&D=FP&C=MGT312&S=603>

This 6-hour workshop is for local jurisdiction elected and appointed senior officials. Its purpose is to provide a forum to discuss strategic and executive-level issues related to disaster preparedness, share proven strategies, and best practices, and enhance coordination among officials responsible for emergency response to a disaster. Participants receive an Executive Handbook outlining the emergency management framework (protection, preparedness, response, and recovery phases), as well as other key senior level issues and discussions topics.

REGISTER BY FRIDAY 11/3

MGT-347 Incident Command System (ICS) Forms Review, MGT-904 Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS 300)

Concord NH

November 28-30, 2023, 0800-1700

For ICS 300 Must register for both

https://prd.blogs.nh.gov/dos/hsem/?page_id=561&ee=1423

<https://my.teex.org/TeexPortal/Default.aspx?MO=mCourseCatalog&D=FP&C=MGT904&S=716>

Prerequisite: IS-100.b, IS-200.b, IS-700.a, and IS-800.b must be completed prior to registration

Building on the prerequisite ICS 100 and ICS 200 courses, this ICS 300 course focuses on the Incident Command System (ICS) for supervisors in expanding incidents. ICS 300 outlines how the NIMS Command and Coordination component supports the management of expanding incidents as well as describes the incident management processes as prescribed by ICS. This course has a threaded activity that will give students the opportunity to practice implementing the incident management process and creating an Incident Action Plan (IAP) for a simulated expanding incident.

AWR 167 Sport and Special Event Risk Management

Hanover, NH

December 5-6, 2023, 0800-1700

<https://my.teex.org/TeexPortal/Default.aspx?MO=mCourseCatalog&D=LS&C=AWR167&S=359>

The Sport and Special Event Risk Management course is designed to build sport and special event risk management capabilities for community-wide collaboration and mitigation. Through activity-based training modules, safety and security teams will increase their knowledge of planning, risk assessment, training, and continuous improvement practices. The expectation is for participants to return to their respective sport venues and coordinate the development or enhancement of a sport event security management system.

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L-0146 Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program

Portsmouth, NH

December 11-12, 2023, 0800-1700

https://prd.blogs.nh.gov/dos/hsem/?page_id=561&ee=1419 Only **4** spots left!

Prerequisite: IS-120 must be completed prior to registration

The Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program (HSEEP) is a two-day course that provides a set of fundamental principles for exercise programs, as well as a common approach to program management, design and development, conduct, evaluation, and improvement planning. Exercises are an important component of preparedness, by providing the whole community with the opportunity to shape planning, assess and validate capabilities, and address areas for improvement.

MGT-905 Advanced ICS-400 Command and General Staff-Complex Incidents

Concord, NH Fire Academy

January 16-17, 2024, 0800-1700

Prerequisite: IS-100.b, IS-200.b, ICS-300, IS-700.a, and IS-800.b must be completed prior to registration

ICS 400 is intended for an audience of experienced responders and other senior emergency management personnel who may perform in a management capacity for major or complex incidents (Type 1 or Type 2 incidents). Large and complex incidents that require the application of area command do not happen often. Although this is an advanced ICS course, it is not intended to develop mastery of area command. The purpose of this course is to expose students to the concepts of utilizing area command in major and complex incidents.

L0105 Public Information Basics

Concord NH

February 27-29, 2024, 0800-1700

FULL Waitlist only Contact Gregory.P.Gabrielli@DOS.NH.GOV

Prerequisite: IS-29 Public Information Officer Awareness.

This three-day class will equip the participants with the skills needed to be full or part-time PIOs, including oral and written communications; understanding and working with the media; and basic tools and techniques to perform effectively as a PIO, both in the proactive/ advocacy times and crisis/ emergency response. This is the replacement for the old G290 and G291.

MGT-324 Campus Emergencies Prevention, Response, and Recovery

Keene State

March 19-20, 2024, 0800-1700

<https://train.ncbrt.lsu.edu/Student/Register?ClassID=30885> ACCESS CODE NCBRT342

This course provides participants with an understanding of and ability to navigate through the difficult aspects of dealing with campus emergencies involving natural or manufactured events, including acts of violence. The course consists of small, problem-based, integrated group activities that require a coordinated, integrated approach to solve. Through tabletop scenarios, course participants will observe a developing incident and respond in a manner consistent with currently established campus and jurisdictional emergency operations procedures.

L0105 Public Information Basics

Milford NH

May 7-9, 2024, 0800-1700

https://prd.blogs.nh.gov/dos/hsem/?page_id=561&ee=1440

Prerequisite: IS-29 Public Information Officer Awareness.

This three-day class will equip the participants with the skills needed to be full or part-time PIOs, including oral and written communications; understanding and working with the media; and basic tools and techniques to

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perform effectively as a PIO, both in the proactive/ advocacy times and crisis/ emergency response. This is the replacement for the old G290 and G291.

MGT-347 Incident Command System (ICS) Forms Review, MGT-904 Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (ICS 300)

Concord NH

May 14-16, 2024, 0800-1700

For ICS 300 Must register for both

Prerequisite: IS-100.b, IS-200.b, IS-700.a, and IS-800.b must be completed prior to registration

Building on the prerequisite ICS 100 and ICS 200 courses, this ICS 300 course focuses on the Incident Command System (ICS) for supervisors in expanding incidents. ICS 300 outlines how the NIMS Command and Coordination component supports the management of expanding incidents as well as describes the incident management processes as prescribed by ICS. This course has a threaded activity that will give students the opportunity to practice implementing the incident management process and creating an Incident Action Plan (IAP) for a simulated expanding incident.

MGT-905 Advanced ICS-400 Command and General Staff-Complex Incidents

Concord NH

July 30-31, 2024, 0800-1700

Coming Soon

Prerequisite: IS-100.b, IS-200.b, ICS-300, IS-700.a, and IS-800.b must be completed prior to registration

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L-0388 Advanced Public Information Officer

Concord Area

September 23-27, 2024, 0800-1700

https://prd.blogs.nh.gov/dos/hsem/?page_id=561&ee=1437

Prerequisites: IS-29.a, IS-42, IS-100.b, IS-200.b; IS-201(Waived if current ICS-300 completed), IS-247.a: or IS-251; IS-700.a; IS-800.b and E/L0105 – Public Information Basics

This five-day course training curriculum includes courses delivered at the awareness, basic, intermediate, advanced, and master levels. The awareness, basic and intermediate level courses were developed by EMI and teach basic skills and techniques for use during small, localized, single-agency responses; preparedness campaigns; and escalating localized responses. The advanced level course teaches participants additional skills for use during escalating incidents, including strategic communications and incident action planning as it relates to Joint Information Center (JIC) operations.

Nationwide Suspicious Activity Reporting (SAR) Initiative (NSI) Fundamentals

Virtual

Available 24/7/365

<https://www.dhs.gov/form/nsi/nter>

This one-hour Suspicious Activity Reporting (SAR) Fundamentals training course provides an interactive overview of the Nationwide SAR Initiative (NSI). It provides users an understanding of the evaluation process used to determine whether identified behavior adheres to the Information Sharing Environment Functional Standard criteria, in accordance with privacy, civil rights, and civil liberties protections. This training is available to federal, state, local, tribal, territorial, and private sector homeland security partners.

State of NH – New Hampshire Fire Academy

<https://nhfa-ems.com/events/>

Emergency Medical Responder

NHFA, Lancaster, Walpole

September 23-October 28, 2023

<https://nhfa-ems.com/course/emr/>

There is no cost for this 100% funded program. This includes a textbook, audiobook, quizzes, online lectures, skills sessions, study materials, and one State EMR Practical Exam. This is a hybrid course with online lectures on Wednesday and Friday evenings from 18:00 to 22:00, and in-person skills on Saturdays from 09:00 to 15:00. An orientation session will be held on the first Saturday. Reliable internet access, a computer, and a webcam are required. For more information, contact the Program Coordinator, “Max” Dodge at, Peter.M.Dodge@dos.nh.gov

Hoarding Disorder

NHFA

December 6, 2023, 1900-1100

Virtual

December 21, 2023, 1800-2000

NHFA <https://nhfa-ems.com/scheduled-course/hoarding-disorder/>

Virtual <https://nhfa-ems.com/scheduled-course/hoarding-disorder-2/>

At the end of the class participants will be able to:

- Define hoarding disorder.
- Understand legal and ethical considerations.
- Define the term ‘mandated reporter’.
- Understand how hoarding impacts first responders.
- Be aware of community resources and how to activate them.
- Understand the importance of calm and compassion.

Just Breathe: An Overview of Pediatric Respiratory Illnesses

NHFA

November 1, 2023, 0900-1100

Virtual

November 16, 2023, 1800-2000

<https://nhfa-ems.com/scheduled-course/just-breathe-an-overview-of-pediatric-respiratory-illnesses/>

<https://nhfa-ems.com/scheduled-course/just-breathe-an-overview-of-pediatric-respiratory-illnesses-2/>

This education will provide a review of the pediatric assessment with a focus on the respiratory system. We will discuss how to identify and treat the most common and most life-threatening causes of pediatric respiratory distress and failure to improve your confidence in, and therefore your care of, the pediatric patient.

Objectives:

1. Review the initial assessment of a pediatric patient in respiratory distress.
2. Discuss how to identify potential causes of that child’s presentation.
3. Review up to date management of specific causes of respiratory issues in children.

Pediatric Cardiac Arrest

November 9, 2023, 1000-1200

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North Country Training Facility, Bethlehem

Pediatric Cardiac Arrest

December 15, 2023, 1000-1200

Stress in Emergency Services

Virtual

Available on the Online Learning Academy 24/7

<https://ola.nhfa-ems.com/login/index.php>

On September 6, 2022, Senate Bill 357 became effective which requires mental health training for first responders. The law states that no person shall assume their role as fire service personnel, fire service dispatcher or emergency medical services personnel unless they have satisfactorily completed mental health training focusing on post-traumatic stress from a program developed and delivered by the Division of Fire Standards and Training and Emergency Medical Services. After initial training, all personnel must also successfully complete annual online training. Additionally, mental health training focusing on post-traumatic stress disorder must be made available annually to all fire service or emergency medical services personnel after their retirement. This program will meet both the initial and the annual renewal requirements.

SWIC Classes

Communication Center Supervisor

Virtual

Multiple Dates Available

<https://www.apcointl.org/training/courses/>

The APCO Institute Communications Center Supervisor course is designed for prospective, new, or experienced communications supervisors who want to enhance their supervisory skills and knowledge. Class lecture is supplemented by practical exercises that help students apply the lessons to their own agency policies and procedures. Students not only learn supervisory topics, but also learn how to work together in groups and cooperate to attain common goals.

Upcoming Training State of NH – Fire Marshal’s Office

Coming Soon

Upcoming Training State of Vermont

ICS-200

White River Junction, VT

November 7-8, 2023, 0800 –1700

Register via VT State Learning Management System: <https://vermont.csod.com/>

This course is designed to enable personnel to operate efficiently during an incident or event within the ICS. ICS-200 provides training and resources for personnel who are likely to assume a supervisory position within the ICS.

PER-340: Active Threat Integrated Response Course (ATIRC)

Barre, VT

February 28-March 1, 2024, 0800-1700

Register via VT State Learning Management System: <https://vermont.csod.com/>

This course is designed to improve integration between law enforcement, fire, and emergency medical services (EMS) in active shooter events. The course provides law enforcement officers with key medical skills based on tactical emergency casualty care (TECC) guidelines that can be used at the point of injury (POI) to increase survivability of victims. The course also provides a model framework for law enforcement, fire, and EMS to integrate responses during an active shooter event through the rescue task force concept using the Active Shooter Incident Management Checklist.

G0191- ICS/EOC Interface

Bristol, VT

April 10, 2024, 0800-1630

This course provides an opportunity for participants to begin developing an effective interface between the Incident Command System (ICS) and the Emergency Operations Center (EOC) for their community by applying Incident Command System (ICS) principles. This course reviews ICS and EOC responsibilities and functions and depends heavily on exercises and group discussions to identify interface issues and develop solutions. As part of the course, these concepts are then applied to exercise situations.

Upcoming Training – Other Regional Training Opportunities

L-105 Public Information Basics

Maine Emergency Management Agency Falmouth, ME

November 14-16, 2023, 0800-1600

The Cumberland County Emergency Management Agency, in partnership with the Maine Emergency Management Agency, will be hosting a Public Information Basics course. This course is designed to equip participants with the skills needed to be full or part-time PIO's, including oral and written communications; understanding and working with the media; and basic tools and techniques to perform effectively as a PIO, both in the proactive / advocacy times and crises / emergency response.

REGISTRATION: Interested applicants must be vetted prior to applying to this offering. Please email course prerequisite certificate to Jesse Farnham at jesse.farnham@maine.gov for consideration and to receive course enrollment details.

Webinar: Utilizing Youth in Preparedness with the Spirit of Adventure

The Boy Scouts of America (BSA) provides the nation's foremost youth program of character development and values-based leadership training which helps young people be "Prepared. For Life. ®" The Scouting organization is composed of more than 1 million youth members between the ages of 5 and 21 and more than 628,000 volunteers in local councils throughout the United States and its territories. Since its inception in 1910, more than 130 million young men and women have participated in the BSA's youth programs. More than 35 million adult volunteers have helped carry out the BSA's mission. We invite you to join us November, 20th from Noon to 1:00 PM to learn more about how you can partner with BSA to make your community more resilient and prepared. The program will feature speakers from FEMA and Spirit of Adventure and will cover programs including. Prepare with Pedro, Ready Cubs! Ready Scout and Teen CERT. We hope to see you there!

Event Details:

This will be a live virtual event hosted on the Zoom platform.

Topic: Utilizing Youth in Preparedness with Spirit of Adventure

Time: Nov 20th, 2023 12:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)

Join ZoomGov Meeting

<https://fema.zoomgov.com/j/1603828867>

Meeting ID: 160 382 8867

Passcode: 191247

PRE-100 Active Shooter Exercise Development Workshop

American Safety Programs and Training, Providence RI

November 30, 2023, 0800-1700

<https://my.teex.org/TeexPortal/Default.aspx?MO=mCourseCatalog&D=FP&C=PRE100&S=291>

Past active shooter events have proven the need for realistic exercises delivered in the community. This course answers that need by providing a train-the-trainer (TtT) course on how to design and deliver a Tabletop Exercise (TTX). This course will also provide template materials needed to deliver five (5) different TTXs, with one (1) of the five TTXs delivered in the afternoon of the training day. The Active Shooter Exercise Development Workshop is a train-the-trainer course designed for individuals who may be responsible for developing and delivering active shooter tabletop exercises. Past events have demonstrated that a key point to effective whole of community preparation includes coordination across all professional disciplines that have responsibilities in the event of an active shooter incident.

K0427 Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Program Manager

Virtual

Multiple Dates

https://training.fema.gov/netc_online_admissions

The audience for this course includes professionals and volunteers who are designated to be or are interested in being appointed a local CERT Program Manager, or for those already in a CERT Program Manager position.

K0428 Community Emergency Response Team (CERT) Train the Trainer

Virtual

Multiple Dates

https://training.fema.gov/netc_online_admissions

The audience for this course includes those who will have or currently have either of the following responsibilities: Serves as the Course Manager for the CERT Basic Training course or serves as a CERT Basic Training course instructor.

Inaugural NWS Partners and Users Heat Webinar open to NWS partners and users.

Webinar Recording: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hxiTrosSHBk>

The Public Program will host its first Partners and Users Heat webinar which will showcase NWS heat-related products and services issued across the agency covering a continuum of timescales. This will include products from the Climate Prediction Center, Weather Prediction Center, and local Weather Forecast Offices. Our objective is to ensure that partners and users know how to find and use the necessary weather information to proactively make informed decisions.