



PER-220 EMERGENCY RESPONSE TO DOMESTIC BIOLOGICAL INCIDENTS

NO. OF OPENINGS: 45
OCTOBER 15 – 16, 2015

FULTON COUNTY

2 DAY

ANNOUNCED: MAY 11, 2015

Description:

The National Center for Biomedical Research and Training at Louisiana State University is presenting this course and you will learn about developing a plan of action to deal with potential bioterrorist attacks in your community. You will be provided with information about the nature of a biological attack, the potential for destruction and how to deal with such attacks. This course provides a balanced view of the risks and threats of biological attacks and highlights current strategies to counter the problems.

Objectives:

1. Understanding how the course materials can be applied to meet Weapons of Mass Destruction performance requirements of emergency responders and explain the participant performance evaluation process.
2. List the types of possible biological events, outline the history of bio-weapons, discuss natural biological threats and contrast the common reality vs. misconceptions about bioterrorism.
3. Differentiate between bacteria, viruses and toxins, infection and contagion.
4. State the biological, physical and aerobiological properties of biological agent's threat determine the success of bioterrorist attack.

Prerequisite:

- Successful completion of a WMD Awareness level training course (AWR-160)
- IS 700
- You must be a US citizen to take this course

Cost:

There is no fee for the course. Food, Lodging & Transportation costs are the responsibility of the participant.

Location:

Hamilton-Fulton-Montgomery BOCES
2755 State Highway 67
Johnstown, NY 12095

Time: 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Who Should Attend?

Law Enforcement; Emergency Management; Emergency Medical Services; Fire Service; Hazardous Materials Personnel; Public Health; Public Works / Public Safety Communications

Registration:

The Statewide Learning Management System (SLMS) <https://www.nyslearn.ny.gov/> will be used for course registration **if you already have an account within SLMS please choose SLMS Login, if you are new to the system please choose "First Time Logging in".**

Please click on the link below for information on how to validate/obtain an account within the New York State Learning Management System
http://www.dhses.ny.gov/training/slms/SLMS_ExternalUserRegistration.pdf

To ensure the most appropriate target audience for this course, SOEM will review all registrations prior to acceptance to the course.

We reserve the right to close the registration period earlier than the closing date stated on the Course Announcement due to a number of registrations received.

Registration Deadline: October 2, 2015

Completion:

Participants who attend all sessions will receive a Certificate of Attendance for the course.

TRAINING NOTICE

Contact: NYS Office of Emergency Management - Training & Exercises at (518) 292-2351 or OEM.training@dhses.ny.gov