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Lessons Learned Information Sharing LLIS.gov

Planning Resources on LLIS.gov

A TOOL FOR ENHANCING NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS

Lessons Learned Information Sharing (LLIS.gov) is a U.S. Department of Homeland Security/Federal Emergency Management Agency program. *LLIS.gov* serves as the national, online network of lessons learned, best practices, and innovative ideas for the emergency management and homeland security communities. This information and collaboration resource helps first responders, emergency managers, and homeland security officials prepare for, protect against, respond to, recover from, and mitigate terrorist attacks, natural disasters, and other emergencies. *LLIS.gov* provides Federal, State, and local officials from all disciplines with a wealth of information and front-line expertise on effective planning, training, and operational practices.

LLIS.gov at a Glance

- Online since April 19, 2004
- Over 20,000 documents, including state and local plans, after-action reports, and exclusive lessons learned
- Secure community Channels, forums, messaging, and other collaboration and networking tools
- Targeted information on homeland security and emergency management topics

The screenshot shows the 'Planning' page on LLIS.gov. It features a top navigation bar with 'Planning' selected. Below the navigation are several sections: 'Submit Lessons Learned and Innovative Practices', 'Submit Plans, After-Action Reports, and Other Documents', and 'Email Comments, Experiences, and Observations'. The main content area is divided into three columns: 'LLIS.GOV EXCLUSIVE CONTENT' (listing Lessons Learned, Best Practices, and Standard and Emergency Operations Plans), 'What's New in Planning' (listing recent updates), 'Plan Templates' (listing various plan templates), and 'Guidance' (listing guidance documents). A search bar and filter options are visible at the top of the content area.

CONTENT AND FEATURES ON LLIS.gov'S PLANNING PAGE

The *LLIS.gov* [Planning](http://LLIS.gov) page is a one-stop resource for information related to planning for natural and human-caused disasters. This topic-specific page offers a searchable directory of planning-related documents. Additional page features include:

- Federal guidance documents;
- *LLIS.gov* exclusive Lessons Learned, Best Practices, Good Stories, and Practice Notes;
- Planning guidance documents;
- Federal, state, and local plans;
- Plan templates; and
- Related external links.

LLIS.GOV FEATURES

One-Stop Document Resource

LLIS.gov's comprehensive library contains documents that cover all hazards, all disciplines, and all levels of government and the whole community.

- Full plans, templates, after-action reports, articles, guidelines, best practices, and other documents
- Short summaries, exclusive to *LLIS.gov*, highlighting best practices or innovative ideas submitted by members that could work in other jurisdictions
- Subscription-only email update listing new documents within discipline and topic areas

For more information on LLIS.gov or to register, please visit www.llis.gov.

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Collaboration Tools

LLIS.gov provides collaboration and networking tools to enable members to speak directly to others involved in emergency management. These *LLIS.gov* tools include:

- Member Directory;
- Topic- and community-specific Channels;
- Message Boards with member forums;
- Secure Messaging; and
- Document and idea submissions.