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FEMA

Course: *IS-405 Mass Care/Emergency Assistance Overview*

Date: Course is now available online.

Course Description:

This course provides an introduction to Mass Care and Emergency Assistance (MC/EA) support, with a focus on Whole Community, by outlining the importance of collaboration and coordination between government, non-profit, public, and private sectors.

Course Goal:

Upon completing this course, the participant will be able to:

1. Explain the importance of the National Incident Management System (NIMS), the National Response Framework (NRF), and the Whole Community approach to emergency management.
2. Identify MC/EA activities.
3. Describe a suggested sequence of support for MC/EA.
4. Explain the importance of thinking about MC/EA activities in an interoperable way.

Prerequisite:

None

Course Length:

The overall time to complete the course will vary for each individual. IS-405 takes approximately one hour.

Target Audience:

FEMA personnel, State Emergency Managers, County and Local Emergency Managers, Voluntary Agencies Management, Tribal Governments and private sector management involved with mass care and emergency assistance.

Continuing Education Units (CEUs):

Emergency Management Institute (EMI) awards 0.1 CEUs for completion of this course.

Location:

Online

To Apply:

This course is available on the FEMA Internet (outside the firewall) at:

<http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/IS/courseOverview.aspx?code=IS-405>.

When you have completed the course, you may take the online test, fill out the student information and submit the test for scoring. FEMA's EMI Independent Study (IS) office will notify you via email of the results. If you successfully complete the test, a link will be included in the email for you to access and print your course certificate.

You may contact the IS office via email

Independent.Study@fema.dhs.gov or contact the call center at (301) 447-1200 or toll free at 1-800-238-3358, extension 1200. IS office hours are **7:30am -7:30pm (ET)**.

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