



Traffic Incident Management

& Responder Safety

A multi-agency, multi-jurisdictional interactive workshop

October 26, 2011

Lackawanna County Center for Public Safety



Multi-State
Corridor Coalition

Focus 81, PennDOT and the I-81 Multi-State Corridor Coalition invite you to attend the Traffic Incident Management and Responder Safety Workshop.

Program Summary: An overview of the safety hazards present at roadway incidents and a series of “Best Practices” designed to help protect emergency response personnel, save lives, prevent injuries and clear incidents quickly to resume normal traffic flow. Accidents involving emergency personnel struck by vehicles while working emergency scenes on all types of roadways are reviewed and discussed with recommendations on how to protect your personnel and the incident scene are presented. The goals are to create awareness of a rapidly growing safety hazard, to encourage the development of training and safe operating procedures to safeguard personnel, other motorists and the victims of the original incident(s) while operating on roads and highways, and to provide for safe, quick clearance to restore traffic flow as soon as possible. In addition, the training will help promote multi-agency communication, collaboration, training and incident response coordination.

Audience: Chief / Line Officer or Training Officer of fire department, emergency medical services, law enforcement officers, transportation workers and towing/recovery operators. Every effort should be made to attract, “management” level personnel to the workshop so they can provide the training for their agencies following the workshop.

Course Objectives:

- National Unified Goal (NUG) for Traffic Incident Management and Strategies
- Review of the Manual of Uniform Traffic Control Devices (MUTCD) sections on temporary traffic control through incident management areas (Chapter 6-I)
- Guidance on proper use and deployment of temporary traffic control devices
- Proper emergency vehicle positioning and safe parking to protect the scene and responders Understand the best practices and benefits of temporary traffic control and quick clearance
- How to promote multi-agency communication, collaboration, training and coordination
- Overview of the establishment & benefits of regional traffic incident management committees
- Working with multi-agency personnel for responder safety and optimum traffic control
- Strategies for advance warning to slow approaching traffic
- The benefit of standard operating practices & procedures
- “High-Visibility” personal protective equipment (ANSI & NFPA standards, OSHA regulations)
- Emergency vehicle safety features that help improve on-scene safety (graphics & lighting)
- Ideas and examples of ways to educate the general public about “Move Over/Slow Down” laws
- Review of actual case studies of highway emergency scenes
- Practical tabletop exercises to demonstrate and practice techniques discussed in the classroom

**Register Early
Seating is
Limited!**

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Name _____

Organization _____

Address _____

Phone _____ Email _____

This is a no cost workshop.

Refreshments and lunch provided

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Registration must be received by
October 24, 2011

Agenda

- 8:00 - 9:00 a.m. Registration
- 9:00 - 12:00 p.m. Class
- 12:00 - 1:00 p.m. Lunch
- 1:00 - 4:00 p.m. Class

Location Information

Lackawanna County Center
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30 Valley View Business Park, Jessup PA

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