MEDICAL PREPAREDNESS & RESPONSE TO BOMBING INCIDENTS
MGT-348 — PER-233

DHS/FEMA-funded course
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This course is intended for members of emergency response as well as other city and county services that become a part of a community response to an bombing incident. This interactive, Instructor facilitated program employs case studies, lessons learned, validated medical data, and potential threats to the communities we serve. Sessions will address planning considerations and concerns specific to medical responders, law enforcement, and emergency planners, with an intended outcome of integrating incidents of an explosive nature to existing plans. This will enhance community preparedness by identifying areas to address when attendees return to their jurisdiction.

Topics
• Terrorism Target Identification
• Types of Terrorism
• Explosive Characteristics and Behaviors
• Homemade Explosives
• Pre-attack Indicators
• Blast Injuries Types and Treatment
• Blast Injury Triage Considerations
• Pre- and Post-Detonation Response
• Planning and Command Considerations
• Understanding Local/State/Federal Resources

Prerequisites
FEMA / SID Number
Students must register and bring a copy of their SID number to class. Register online:
cdp.dhs.gov/femasid

Course Length
Two Days (16 hours)

Venue
Jurisdiction

Class Size
Minimum 30 Participants

CE Credits
This course is approved and accredited for continuing education hours from:
ENA - Emergency Nurses Association
AAFP - America Academy of Family Physicians
Texas Department of Health - EMS

Participants
• Emergency Medical Services (EMS)
• Law Enforcement (local, county, state, federal)
• Fire Services
• Communications (Dispatchers)
• Specialty Teams Members (SWAT, Tactical Medics, Bomb Team, Haz Mat)
• Hospital Personnel
• Medical Professionals
• Emergency Management
• City, County, State, Federal Stakeholders
• Community Emergency Response Teams (CERT)
• Private Industry

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