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Happy Fathers Day



# **Trainings**

## **ICS-300: Intermediate Incident Command System**

June 16-18, 2025 Harpers Ferry

ICS 300 is a critical course for personnel who may assume a role in expanding incidents. List of online courses prerequisites will be sent out once we get the name of attendees. Free course offered at 75 Koonce Road in Harpers Ferry. For more information, contact Jorge Munoz 304-535-5345

# **ICS-300: Intermediate Incident Command System**

June 20-22, 2025

Princeton, WV

The ICS-300 course, officially titled "Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents," is a 3-day, inperson training program designed for emergency response personnel who may assume supervisory roles during complex, expanding incidents. More Info - Registration

## **Hydrogen Fluoride Safety and Emergency Decontamination**

June 17, 2025

Virtual – 4pm

Join Zoom Meeting

Meeting ID: 834 8964 6909 - Passcode: 364156

This briefing will provide a comprehensive overview of HF as a critical industrial agent. The training will explore how its toxicity creates unique challenges for the victim and the emergency decontamination team. Sponsored by the Emergency Management Alliance LLC

## **ICS-400: Advanced Incident Command Systems**

June 21 & 22, 2025

Winfield, WV

ICS-400: Advanced Incident Command System provides training and resources for personnel who require advanced application of the ICS. This course expands upon information covered in ICS-100 through ICS-300 courses. It is intended for senior personnel who are expected to perform in a management capacity in an area command or multiagency coordination entity. Register

## **Public Information Officer (PIO) 105 Training**

June 25-27, 2025 – <u>Charleston</u> July 9-11, 2025 – <u>Elkins</u> To equip participants with the skills needed to be full or part-time PIOs, including oral and written communications; understanding and working with the media; and basic tools and techniques to perform effectively as a PIO, both in the proactive advocacy times and crisis/emergency response.

# Sound the Alarm - Free Install of Smoke Alarms

June 25, 2025, 1pm-4pm

**Guyandotte Community** 

Working smoke alarms can cut the risk of death from home fires in half. The City of Huntington and Huntington Fire Department are rallying with the West Virginia State Fire Marshalls Office and the American Red Cross of the Tri-State to install alarms in your community. Marshall University football team will be helping to install alarms on this day. Smoke alarms are free. Request your free smoke alarm installation by calling 844-216-8286 or visit <a href="https://www.soundthealarm.org/centralappalachia">www.soundthealarm.org/centralappalachia</a>

## **LO950: Incident Commander Training**

July 7-11 Bridgeport Conference Center

July 28 – Aug. 1 Beckley Fire Dept.

Training to provide local and state-level emergency responders with an overview of key duties and responsibilities of an Incident Commander within the ICS structure and specifically for a Type III All-Hazards Incident Management Team (AHIMT).

## LO958 - Ops Section Chief

August 11-14, 2025 Bridgeport Conference Center

August 25-28, 2025 Beckley Fire Dept.

The purpose of this professional development course is to prepare

local, state, tribal, and Federal emergency responders to function in the role of a TIII OSC after obtaining adequate experience. The OSC will be part of an allhazards T-III IMT Operations Section Chief (OSC) Type III in a Type III AllHazards Incident Management Team (AHIMT).

### NIMS ICS - All Hazards Incident Commander Course

July 28-August 1, 2025 - Beckley

July 7-11, 2025 - Bridgeport

Position Specific - The goal of this professional development course is to provide local and state-level emergency responders with an overview of the key duties and responsibilities of an Incident Commander within the IC roll. Flyer

#### NIMS ICS – Operations Section Chief

August 11-14, 2025 - Bridgeport

August 25-28, 2025 – Beckley

Position Specific – A professional development course developed to prepare local, state, tribal, and Federal emergency responders to function in the role of a T-III OSC after obtaining adequate experience.

#### National Emergency Management Basic Academy (NEMBA)

August 18-19, 2025 - Planning: Emergency Operations

August 20-22, 2025 – Public Information Basics

Bridgeport, WV

The National Emergency Management Basic Academy is for individuals pursuing a career in emergency management and provides a foundational education in emergency management knowledge, skills, and abilities. Twelve online independent study courses are required as prerequisites.

**To Register for the Course:** Email Kyle Pajarito at <a href="mailto:kyle.c.pajarito@wv.gov">kyle.c.pajarito@wv.gov</a> If interested in attending any of these courses <a href="mailto:kyle.c.pajarito@wv.gov">kyle.c.pajarito@wv.gov</a> If interested in attending any of these courses <a href="mailto:kyle.c.pajarito:kyl

# **Self-Paced Courses**

# **SAR Training Courses**

The Nationwide SAR Initiative (NSI) is a multifaceted approach designed to increase the effectiveness of state, local, tribal, and territorial (SLTT) law enforcement and public safety professionals and other frontline partners in identifying, reporting, evaluating, and sharing per-incident terrorism indicators to prevent acts of terrorism. This

training teaches how to identify behaviors and indicators that may indicate terrorism-related criminal activity and how to report identified suspicious activity to the proper authorities while maintaining the protection of citizens' privacy, civil rights, and civil liberties. Take the courses

## **Containing and Preventing the Spread of Infectious Disease**

Public health agencies exist to safeguard community health and safety and have important legal authorities to carry out essential actions to this end. Learn More

### **FEMAs Emergency Management Institute**

For all individuals who are new to their emergency management role or who want to refresh their knowledge in the Incident Command System. These courses are Independent Study, but highly recommended for anyone in an Emergency Management position.

ICS 100 - Introduction to the Incident Command System

ICS 200 – Basic Incident Command System for Initial Response

ICS 700 – An Introduction to the National Incident Management System

ICS 800 – National Response Framework, An Introduction

# Resources

# **Be Ready for Measles Toolkit**

Tools and communications materials to make it easy for you and your jurisdiction to communicate with the public, clinicians, and partners before and during Measles. Toolkit

# **Other Coalition Activities**

Contact your Regional Coordinator for meeting links and passwords.

# **Regional Meetings:**

Region 1 – June 12, 2025 – Raleigh County Health Dept. Region 2 – June 12, 2025 – Cabell County Health Dept.

2025 MRSE exercise After-Action Report is now available on Share Point

2025 HVA is now available on Share Point



