

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FOR WMD INCIDENTS

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Texas Engineering Extension Service



Online Course

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Upon completion of the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) for WMD Incidents: Basic Concepts Web-based course, participants will possess a basic awareness of:

- Weapons of mass destruction (WMD) incident management
- WMD-unique EMS responder considerations
- Specific issues related to the medical response to a CBRNE incident

The course delivery consists of three modules, each containing study text, multimedia participant activities, and an end-of-module test. At the completion of the three modules, participants must pass a comprehensive final exam. The successful completion of this course provides participants with the background knowledge necessary to participate in an EMS technician-level WMD course and four hours of EMS CEUs.

Training Level:

Awareness

Venue:

Internet

(<http://www.teexwmdcampus.com>)

Course Length:

Varies based on participant's progress; estimated completion time is 3-4 hours

Participant Audience:

Emergency responders from the following disciplines/services

- EMS technicians/paramedics
- Public Health
- Physicians/physician assistants
- Hospital/medical treatment facility personnel
- Private sector
- Law Enforcement
- Disaster response/relief personnel
- County, State, and Federal EMS personnel who will respond with a local jurisdiction during a CBRNE/terrorism incident

Prerequisites:

Participants should work in one of the preceding disciplines/services and have completed a WMD/terrorism incident awareness course. TEEX, in cooperation with the DHS Office of Grants and Training (G&T), delivers the WMD/Terrorism Awareness for Emergency Responders course via the Internet at <http://www.teexwmdcampus.com>. This course is a prerequisite for the DHS G&T EMS Operations and Planning for WMD course.



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