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NEMTEC



Northeast Emergency Management Training & Education Center

New EM Curriculum Vendor

We are THRILLED to announce we have entered into contract with EdLighten Solutions for curriculum development support! EdLighten brings expertise in learning strategy, instructional design, curriculum development, professional development, edtech leadership, program management, teaching, technology integration, and accessibility to this effort. We can't wait to begin working with Mary Stephens and her team to expand NEMTEC's course offerings to better meet the needs of emergency managers across New England!

Developing New Courses

With a vendor on board, curriculum development is poised to accelerate

The pace of curriculum development picks up in October with a number of courses planned to be completed in FY25. Currently under development are: Disaster Finance, Instructional Presentation & Evaluation Skills (G141) and Basic Emergency Operations Center Functions (G-2200). Additionally we will create 4-hour virtual courses in: COOP, Inclusion of Access & Functional Needs in EM, Public Information Messaging, Post-Incident After Action Reviews and more.

VT Emergency Management Conference a Great Success

Kudos to Vermont Emergency Management for their annual conference in Fairlee. Both a great location and fantastic topics.

There were many sessions reviewing past and ongoing responses to flooding, media training, understanding and preventing violence, and a host of other topics.

We can't commend the team at VT Emergency Management enough for building such an engaging program in the midst of statewide disaster response.

For all of the slide presentations and hybrid session recordings visit: [2024 VEM Conference](#)

NEMTEC Welcomes New Instructors

The NEMTEC instructor cadre continues to grow. In addition to our nine existing instructors, we welcome four additional team members brought on to broaden the reach of our training. Our most recent job posting sought persons with a strong background in virtual training and available nights and weekends to accommodate those in emergency management preferring those times and modality. For the first time we were able to solicit instructors from around the country. We welcome Randy Carter (AR), Bill Fisher (MA), Cathy Hockert (MN) and Charlie Lubowicki (CT). Our team of instructors is as strong as ever, allowing us to deliver training throughout New England and beyond.



On the Horizon

Expanding Virtual Training Opportunities

Starting in January 2025 NEMTEC will be offering the Basic Academy courses virtually. The National Emergency Management Basic Academy is a series of five classes, comprising the gold standard of introductory training for emergency management directors. NEMTEC will offer the Basic Academy in 4-hour blocks of instruction throughout the early months of 2025.

Upcoming Training

- 10/01 L-102: Science of Disaster - Grafton, MA
- 10/09 ICS-300: Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents - Boston
- 10/18 ICS-300: Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents - Virtual Classroom
- 10/22 CPOD: Commodity Points of Distribution - Gloucester, MA
- 10/22 ICS-300: Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents - New Braintree, MA
- 10/25 Mental Health First Aid - Hybrid/HyFlex: Waterbury, VT & Virtual Classroom
- 10/28 ICS-400: Advanced ICS - Plymouth, MA
- 10/29 L-103: Planning, Emergency Operations - Grafton, MA
- 10/30 G-191: ICS/EOC Interface, Plymouth, MA
- 10/30 PER-211: Medical Management for CBRNE Events - Franklin, MA
- 11/12 ICS-300: Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents - New Braintree, MA
- 11/12 L-105: Public Information Basics - Shrewsbury, MA
- 11/12 L-146: Homeland Security Exercise & Evaluation Program - Brattleboro, VT
- 11/18 ICS-300: Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents - Virtual Classroom
- 12/04 ICS-400: Advanced ICS - Waterbury, VT
- 12/06 ICS-300: Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents - Virtual Classroom
- 12/10 Hazardous Materials for First Responders, Awareness Level - Virtual Classroom
- 12/10 L-105: Public Information Basics - Grafton, MA
- 12/16 ICS-400: Advanced ICS - Virtual Classroom

