

Planning for a Shipment Campaign Identifying Responders Needs

National Transportation
Stakeholders Forum

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Topics to Discuss

- Campaign and Routings
- Identifying Stakeholders
- Communication Information
- Determining Training Needs
- Types of Training Programs
- Support Resources



Campaign and Routing

- Type of Shipments
- Duration of Campaign
- Possible Routes
- Proposed Schedule



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Identifying & Working with Stakeholders

- Regional Groups
- State Point of Contacts
- Coordination Options





Communication Information

- Fact sheet on campaign
- Distribution of information
- Conference calls and progress reports

National stakeholder meetings





Determining Training Needs

- Using the TEPP National database to determine training provided during the past 5 five years
- Offer Needs Assessment
- Scheduling training with state and local officials
- Offer training to all response disciplines



- Available TEPP training
 - MERRTT
 - CMERRTT
 - TMERRTT
 - Radiation Specialist
 - Hospital (taught in conjunction with exercises)
 - Online options
- Scheduled by working through local, state, and regional officials



- MERRTT
 - MERRTT is a 16-hour, 16 module course
 - Covers awareness to technician level activities
 - Numerous hands-on and textbook practical exercises
 - By adding a Train-the-Trainer module on the last day, course can be used to certify new MERRTT trainers



- CMERRTT
 - MERRTT is an 8-hour, 7 module course
 - Ideally suited as a conference course
 - Numerous hands-on and textbook practical exercises
 - Satisfies many state or regional jurisdictions' requirements for refresher training class





TMERRTT

- 8-hour advanced level course focusing on radiological instrumentation
- Designed for advanced level HazMat teams who have a wide range of survey instruments available
- Half day classroom and half day hands-on
- Uses high activity sources
- Meets NFPA 472 Annex D competencies for agentspecific responders



- Radiation Specialist
 - 40-hour advanced level course
 - Limited number of offerings each year
 - Meets NFPA 472 Annex G for a *Radiation Specialist*
 - Uses high activity sources







- Hospital
 - 8-hour course designed for hospital personnel
 - TEPP uses the FEMA G-346 hospital course
 - Modularized format allows for mixed audience
 - Usually offered prior to conducting a TEPP exercise where hospital play is expected







- Online Options
 - IS-302
 - TEPP is developing an online awareness course as well as a refresher course





Exercises

- TEPP exercises are used to validate responder readiness
 - Plans, procedures, and training
- TEPP exercises are HSEEP compliant
- Live sources are used to enhance training experience







Support Resources

- TEPP website
- Response Flatsheet
- Q&A booklet
- TEPP Planning and Training brochures
- Campaign specific fact sheet







Questions

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