



MGT-343 Disaster Management for Water and Wastewater Utilities

Description:

The Disaster Management for Water and Wastewater Utilities course provides students with information about the Environmental Protection Agencies (EPA) Response Protocol Toolbox covering necessary steps to be taking during the response and recovery Water and Wastewater Utilities facilities. Participants will be guided through the various issues concerning preparing for, responding to, and recovering from incidents affecting water and/or wastewater facilities. The course introduces the various natural and man-made (accidental or intentional) hazards to which water and wastewater systems may be vulnerable and the potential effects the hazards may induce. Planning for and managing incidents are discussed, as well as disaster mitigation, response and recovery specific to drinking water and wastewater systems.

Course Objectives:

At the end of this course, participants will be able to:

- Identify all-hazard threats that might affect water or wastewater systems.
- Practice disaster planning and management for water and wastewater incidents.
- Identify methods to mitigate disasters that threaten water and wastewater facilities and systems.
- Determine appropriate response actions to an actual or threatened incident.
- Demonstrate developing a disaster recovery plan.

Prerequisites:

You must be a US Citizen to take this course. **If you are not please let us know by email for further instruction at OEM.TRAINING@DHSES.NY.GOV**

All participants must have a FEMA Student Identification (FEMA SID) number. Students can search for their existing/create a new FEMA SID at: <https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid/>.

Length: 16 Hours

Target Audience:

- Emergency Management
- EMS
- Fire Service
- Governmental Administrative
- Hazardous Material
- Law Enforcement
- Health Care
- Public Health
- Public Safety
- Communications
- Public Works
- Information Technology
- Security and Safety
- Transportation

Cost:

There is no fee for the course. Other cost considerations are detailed in each LMS course offering.

Signup Details:

Register through the New York State DHSES Learning Management System. Access the LMS through the