



## Course Description

### MGT-461 Evacuation Planning Strategies and Solutions

#### Description

This eight-hour management-level course is designed to provide emergency managers, first responders, transportation professionals, security and safety professionals, and government administrators with the ability to utilize current tools and technologies to institute best practices and strategies to plan for and execute an emergency evacuation. This course discusses the hazard conditions for which an emergency evacuation could be an appropriate protective action and inform participants on resources and methods to help them better prepare for an emergency evacuation. This course will allow participants to explore data, modeling tools, and simulations that assist with the implementation of an emergency evacuation.

#### Course Objectives

- Recognize evacuation needs during disasters and threat characteristics of different hazards
- Describe key concepts and assess the need of evacuation in their communities
- Describe the evacuation planning process and transportation considerations in evacuation planning
- Evaluate the evacuation decision-making process, apply evacuation strategies, best practices, and lessons learned by examples of recent evacuation plans.

#### 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](mailto:OEM.TRAINING@DHSES.NY.GOV)**

**Length:** 8 Hours

#### Target Audience:

- Emergency Management
- EMS
- Fire Service
- Law Enforcement
- Public Works Including Transportation Personnel
- Governmental Administrative
- Citizen/Community Volunteer

#### 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 link on the calendar webpage.