



Course Announcement



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Disaster Mitigation

<u>Course Dates</u>	<u>Course Location</u>	<u>Class Code</u>
November 14-16, 2011	Cal EMA HQ, Sacramento, CA	DM-1-11
March 5-7, 2012	Riverside, CA	DM-2-11

This program introduces the Emergency Manager to the basic concepts of mitigation as part of a comprehensive Emergency Management program. The course will present information on the specific grant programs, the State Hazard Mitigation Plan, and the relationship between the federal, state and local government in mitigation.

The core curriculum includes the following subjects:

- Mitigation Plan issues in natural and human-caused disasters
- The development of the Local Hazard Mitigation Plan (LHMP)
- The Hazard Mitigation Grant Program (HMGP)
- The Hazard Analysis Process
- The State of California Hazard Mitigation Plan
- The Role of FEMA in Mitigation
- The Role of the State of California in Mitigation

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SPECIALIST CERTIFICATE:

Disaster Mitigation is a core courses for the Specialist Certificate. To learn more about this program please contact the Specialist Certificate Coordinator Kayla Mikel at: Phone (805) 549-3536 or Email specrequest@calema.ca.gov

Tuition:

This courses is funded by the Emergency Management Performance Grant (EMPG), and provides tuition-free training for CA State/Local First Responders and CA Emergency Management Agencies. Most non-profit agencies that are affiliated with the California Mutual-Aid Response System are also eligible. Federal employees are welcome to attend EMPG-funded courses for free, in limited numbers, if space is available. You will be placed on stand-by and will be notified two weeks prior to class start date of availability. Members of private industry are generally required to pay the cost-recovery tuition rate unless documentation that verifies you are sponsored by a CA Emergency Management Agency is provided.

CSTI courses may be eligible for the use of Homeland Security Grant Programs SHSP, UASI, LETPP. Homeland Security Grant funds may cover the cost of Travel, Lodging and Per Diem. Contact your agency training officer or grant coordinator for eligibility information.

Application:

Apply immediately online at www.calema.ca.gov.CSTI. If you need a hardcopy application, please contact the registrar at (805) 549-3535 and one will be faxed or emailed to you. An information packet and map will be sent 4-6 weeks prior to the course. For registration questions call the Registrar Kayla Mikel at (805) 549-3535, Kayla.Mikel@calema.ca.gov or for course content, contact the Course Manager Joe Costello at (805) 549-3553, Joe.Costello@calema.ca.gov.