

# Pre-incident Planning Course

Taught to NFPA® 1620 Standard for Pre-incident Planning



## Great Planning. Real Preparedness.

NFPA® 1620

Standard for Pre-Incident Planning

2015 Edition





### The Key to Planning and Response

First responders frequently encounter hazardous materials unexpectedly despite general awareness and information sharing efforts between industry and the public safety community. General community-wide planning efforts fail to provide useful products for first responders that enable immediate actions and effective risk assessments during incident response. The tragedies of West, TX, Tianjin, China, and Lac-Magentic, Quebec remind us of the need for effective planning and response to chemical incidents. Conducting and preparing thorough pre-incident plans is a way to mitigate future tragedies but unfortunately many communities and first responders lack the training needed to do them properly.

## Pre-incident Planning for:

Mass Gathering Events
Ports & Airports
High Rise Buildings
Oil & Gas Industry
Industrial and Manufacturing Factories
Convention Centers & Exhibitions
Universities, Labs, & Educational Centers
HazMat Risks



#### **Course Overview**

This course is designed to bridge the gap between general planning and emergency response by translating specific plans into actions. Through hazard analysis, planners and responders will develop a product that enables first responders to take immediate protective actions.

#### **Course Description**

The Pre-incident Planning course is designed to provide participants with the knowledge, skills, and abilities to apply the NFPA® 1620 Standard for Pre-incident Planning and industry best practices in the development of a pre-incident plan. This course will equip participants with processes, tools, models and templates that they can use to analyze disparate data sources and apply the output to the pre-incident plan. Because each client has different needs for pre-incident planning, we are offering three levels of training designed to meet specific learning objectives.

## **Target Audience**

All First Responders: Civil Defence, Police, Ambulance

## **Course Objectives**

- Conduct effective pre-incident planning
- Implement NFPA® 1620 framework and process for planning
- Determine how a pre-incident action plan enables decision making
- Apply best practices that can convert data to useful information
- Organize valid data and information for inclusion in the plan
- Establish system for sharing pre-incident plans with responders
- Design and develop a complete pre-incident plan

### **Topics**

- Case studies
- · Sources of data
- · Analysis methods
- NFPA® 1620 Standard
- Applicability of pre-incident plan
- Observation, interview and survey techniques for hazmat facilities
- Incident action planning to include public protective actions and mass notification
- Field facility survey, interviews and observations to include documentation and analysis

## **Course Offerings**

## Level 1: Pre-incident Planning Awareness Seminar

Understand Pre-incident planning process and best practices 125 Participants Max per Course 1-Day Course

## **Level 2: Pre-incident Planning Practical Workshop**

Apply planning skills to conduct analysis and develop Pre-incident Plans 20 Participants Max per Course 2-Day Course

#### Level 3: Pre-incident Planning Advanced Field Workshop

Develop Pre-incident Plans from field surveys, interviews, analysis methods 15 Participants Max per Course 2-Day Course

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