

## Framework for Healthcare Emergency Management

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### Target Audience/Disciplines

Emergency Management, Emergency Medical Services, Healthcare, Public Health

### Overview

*Framework for Healthcare Emergency Management (FRAME)* is a four-day course that provides healthcare personnel fundamental knowledge in healthcare emergency management. The course includes lectures and guided discussions on a variety of topics including: integration of government agencies and stakeholders; disaster preparedness planning; emergency management issues for healthcare; personal protective equipment; decontamination; evacuation, isolation and quarantine; and ethical issues.

Small-group practical applications are conducted in hazard vulnerability assessment, managing medical surge, and developing social consciousness (SOCO) entities. The final exercise provides an opportunity to apply a majority of the fundamental principles learned in the course.

Below are some, but not all, of the critical skill sets learned during this training program:

- Identify the important regulatory, accrediting, and standard-setting organizations/agencies for healthcare emergency management.
- Assess a healthcare facility's threats, risks, and vulnerabilities, both internal and external, and complete a Hazard Vulnerability Analysis (HVA).
- Identify ethical issues healthcare personnel may face in a disaster, including treatment, tracking and disclosure of patient information, patient diversion, alternate care facilities, and mass fatality management.
- Illustrate strategies that can be used to manage surge during a disaster response.
- Recognize the four levels of personal protective equipment (PPE) and selection factors associated with each level.
- Describe a comprehensive exercise program.

### How to Register

To register for this course, please go to Utrain @ <https://www.utah.train.org> and enter the course #1059930

### Additional Requirements

Training in ICS: [IS-100.hc](#) level (minimum) and [IS-700.a](#), and [IS-200.hc](#) (optional). The CDP recommends that candidates also have the

- Understanding of the ICS as it applies to healthcare.
- Familiarity with Joint Commission (JC) standards on emergency management.
- Familiarity with local emergency operations/response plans.

### Continuing Education Credits

- The Center for Domestic Preparedness is authorized by IACET to offer 3.2 CEUs for this program.
- Nursing, through Alabama Board of Nursing (nurses only): 32
- Continuing Medical Education, through University of Alabama at Birmingham (additional allied health professionals may be able to apply for these CMEs): 32
- CA Environmental Health Specialist, through National Environmental Health Association (environmental health professionals): 32
- Police Officer Standards and Training (POST; approved per state): 32

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