Personal Protective Measures
For Biological Events (PER 320)

The New Jersey Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness (OHSP), in coordination with the Center for Domestic Preparedness (CDP), a member of the National Domestic Preparedness Consortium (NDPC) has scheduled the training program entitled “Personal Protective Measures for Biological Events” (PER 320) specifically for New Jersey’s responders to enhance their abilities to identify biological threats, protect themselves, operate, and perform essential protective measures in a hazardous biological environment.

There will be three separate deliveries of this one day program: December 2nd, 3rd, and 4th, 2014 at the Essex County College, West Essex Campus, located at 730 Bloomfield Ave., West Caldwell, NJ 07006. The course will begin at 0800 and conclude at 1700.

There is NO COST to attend this training.

Course Outline
This training course will provide participants with an overview of biological agents. Students will be given an introduction to the types of respiratory protection equipment, protective clothing and PPE requirements along with descriptions of emergency and technical decontamination methods. Participants will conduct practical exercises to successfully demonstrate proper donning and doffing of level C PPE. There will be a series of practical exercises to reinforce and perform proper emergency and technical decontamination procedures.

Target Audience
Emergency Medical Services, Fire Service, Law Enforcement, HazMat, Healthcare, and Public Health

Registration
Spaces are limited and preregistration is required. For your convenience an online registration link is provided and is the only method to sign up for this course. (https://www.surveymonkey.com/s/NGFGDB5). Please enter the required information and select your date preference. Click the “Done” button at the bottom of the link page upon completion to submit your application.

NOTE: This is a DHS certified course and FEMA requires that ALL students register with a FEMA Student Identification number (SID). The FEMA SID is a REQUIRED field on the registration form, if you cannot recall or do not have a SID, please select this link (https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid/).

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