



## KENTUCKY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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### **Basic Search and Rescue (BSAR) March 24-26, 2017**

**Owenton/Owen County Fire Department  
408 South Main Street  
Owenton, KY 40359**

**Offered in Partnership By:  
Kentucky Division of Emergency Management (KYEM), and Owen County Emergency  
Management**

#### **Course Description:**

This course is designed to provide guidance to SAR field responders on best practices and techniques. Information about the duties and tasks of SAR field responders, current information on SAR field responder clothing and equipment, as well as details on the latest search techniques, information on SAR specialties such as hasty search, grid search, utilizing specialty teams, subject packaging and transport. Class will begin at 6:00 p.m. local time on Friday and 8:00 a.m. on Saturday and Sunday and end at 5:00 p.m. There will be a night search and all students must have water, two flashlights, sturdy shoes, no tennis shoes and appropriate dress for the night exercise. If you have a SAR pack, please bring for the exercise. Pencil and paper required.

#### **Student Criteria:**

This course is open to all Emergency Management, Rescue, Fire, Emergency Medical, and Law Enforcement personnel or any organization having responsibility for searching for missing or lost persons. **You MUST be at least 18 years old to register for this class.**

#### **Special Notes:**

A MINIMUM # twenty (20) advance student registrations is REQUIRED and must be received by **February 24, 2017** in order to conduct this course. You are considered accepted as a student in this class upon receipt of your application by this office so you will not receive a letter acknowledging that acceptance. Meals, lodging, and travel arrangements/expenses are the responsibility of the student and will NOT be reimbursed by KYEM. **\*Law Enforcement personnel may receive KLEC credit for completion of this class\*.**

#### **Registration:**

Registration application for the course can be completed using the following link: [www.kyem.ky.gov/training](http://www.kyem.ky.gov/training) and click on register. It is important that you register using proper name as you want it to appear on your certificate. Students will be notified if the course is cancelled. For this reason, it is imperative that you provide accurate email/contact information.

#### **For more information, contact:**

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