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FEMA’s Downloadable Tabletop Exercises: Emergency Planning Tools To-Go

Lately, it seems like everyone’s offering a tabletop exercise (TTX), so in developing ours, we were sure to make them unique. The Federal Emergency Management Agency’s (FEMA) TTXs are free, pre-packaged, and easily downloadable, and come complete with a facilitator script, presentation, and compelling Virtual News Network video injects.

Taking between two and four hours to complete, FEMA’s downloadable TTXs are designed to help our private sector partners develop, evaluate, and strengthen their emergency response plans and identify their seat at the larger emergency management table.

FEMA TTXs

The following TTXs are available for download at <http://www.fema.gov/private-sector/exercises.shtm>.

National Level Exercise 2012 TTX – Coming June 2012

This TTX is being developed for private sector partners interested in the National Level Exercise 2012 scenario, which centers on a company undergoing a significant cyber event.

Whole Community Catastrophic Scenario TTX – Coming May 2012

FEMA is developing this TTX to drive the development and sharing of innovative, unique, and atypical ideas for whole community response to a nearly inconceivable series of events.

National Level Exercise 2011 TTX

This TTX centers on the scenario of National Level Exercise 2011, a multi-state, multi-jurisdictional exercise that focused on a catastrophic earthquake in the New Madrid Seismic Zone of the central U.S.

Critical Power Failure TTX

The scenario for this TTX was drawn from a situation that has been experienced by many real-world communities – a critical power failure with complicating severe weather events.

Hurricane TTX

Recognizing that the majority of fatalities from hurricanes are caused by severe rains, this TTX’s scenario focuses on a Category 5 hurricane and the resulting inland flooding and tornadoes.

Chemical Accident TTX

This TTX challenges organizations to consider how they would respond to and recover from a chemical accident – in this case, a chlorine tank explosion – near their facilities.

For more information, please visit <http://www.fema.gov/privatesector>. For more discussion, reach out to us at FEMA-private-sector@dhs.gov, or sign up to receive email updates at <http://www.fema.gov/help/getemail>.

