

METCALFE COUNTY OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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**Training Opportunity
Announcement
December 12-13, 2018
MGT-447**

Managing Food Emergencies: Strategies for Community Response

I would like to extend an invitation to attend a free training at Warren County Emergency Services Building located at 1125 Lewis Ave. Bowling Green, KY 42104. The training will be offered by LSU – Louisiana State University. The class is being sponsored by Barren River District Health Department and Metcalfe County Emergency Management

Course Description

Managing Food Emergencies: Strategies for a Community Response is a management-level course that teaches participants how to manage food emergencies using the emergency operations center (EOC), Incident Command System (ICS) principles, and best management practices.

Participants will manage a fictional food emergency using the guidelines and strategies of the Incident and Unified Command systems. The scenario will advance with every module, beginning with Module 2, from the point that a foodborne outbreak is detected. The scenario will progress throughout the modules from surveillance and into the transition to recovery. In Module 7, participants will engage in an after-action discussion to assess their current preparedness for a food emergency and the value of using ICS principles and practices, and adding Emergency Management as a food emergency response partner.

Prerequisites

To enroll in this course, participants must be US citizens and must possess or obtain a FEMA student identification number (SID).

Participants should also complete the following ICS training:

◆ ICS-100.B: Introduction to Incident Command System and ICS-100 and ICS-700 required.

◆ ICS 200 and ICS 800 are recommended

Disciplines

- Emergency Management, Emergency Medical Services, Fire Service, Governmental Administrative
- Hazardous Material, Law Enforcement, Public Health, Agriculture, Citizen/Community Volunteer

Registration:

Please register early this class is limited to the first 40 that sign up.

Please register at the following link:

[Fill out form](#) (to register)

If you have any questions, please contact the course host by e-mail to ekidd@metcalfecoem.com or phone 270-528-6259.

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