



## KENTUCKY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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### **BASIC SEARCH AND RESCUE (BSAR) MAR 21-22, 2020**

**Happy Top Community Center  
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Beattyville KY 41311**

#### **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. This is a 2 the day class which will begin at 8:00am and end at 6:00pm on both Saturday and Sunday, March 21 and 22, 2020. There will be a night search. All students must have sturdy shoes (no tennis shoes), and are asked to dress appropriately for the weather. If you have a SAR pack, please bring it for the exercise. Pencil and paper are 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 course.

#### **Special Notes:**

A minimum of fifteen (15) student registrations is required and must be received by March 9th, 2020 in order to conduct this course. You are considered registered for this course once this office receives your on-line application. Letters acknowledging registration will not be sent. Meals, lodging, and travel arrangements/expenses are the responsibility of the student and will *NOT* be reimbursed by KYEM.

#### **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. Students will be notified if the course is cancelled. For this reason, it is imperative that you provide accurate contact information. Please make sure that your name is correct on your registration as this will be reflected on all course completion paperwork.

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

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