

# FREE TRAINING

## ATC-20, Postearthquake Safety Evaluation of Buildings

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FEMA NETAP Web-Based Training

Hosted by Indiana

Also invited: Arkansas, Illinois, Kentucky, Mississippi, Missouri, Tennessee, US Virgin Islands

### Training Description

This free, web-based training provides instruction on rapid and detailed evaluation procedures for evaluating earthquake-damaged buildings and posting them as INSPECTED (apparently safe, green placard), LIMITED ENTRY (yellow placard), or UNSAFE (red placard). The web-based training provides examples that allow attendees to evaluate building damage conditions, assess the overall risk from the damage, and recommend which of the three placards should be posted on the building. These evaluations and placards can be used in planning and executing evacuation, re-entry, and rebuilding strategies.

### Target Audience

Building officials, engineers, architects, building owners, emergency managers, risk analysts, and other interested citizens and volunteers.

### General Information

**Date & Time:** Wednesday, October 18, 2023, 12pm-4pm Eastern / 11am-3pm Central

**Location:** Online

**Register at:** [https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN\\_TQldS2j0Qzm5KzUyEqz\\_Q](https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_TQldS2j0Qzm5KzUyEqz_Q)

**Instructor:** Ed Huston, Owner and Principal, Huston Structural Engineering

**Certificates:** Professional Development Hour (PDH) certificates will be provided to participants via email within four weeks after the training. In the case of multiple participants watching the training on the same device, a PDH certificate will only be issued to the individual who registered for the training.

**Handouts:** <https://cloud.atcouncil.org/s/ZKd9X5f3i9FoifM>

**Accessibility:** Automatic closed captioning will be provided. To request 508-compliant slides, contact Chiara McKenney at [netap@atcouncil.org](mailto:netap@atcouncil.org) at least two weeks before the training.

**About NETAP:** This training is supported by the National Earthquake Hazards Reduction Program (NEHRP) National Earthquake Technical Assistance Program (NETAP). To register for other trainings offered in 2023, visit: <https://www.atcouncil.org/netap-training-2023>. For general information about NETAP, visit: <https://www.fema.gov/emergency-managers/risk-management/earthquake/training/netap>

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