



Training Elements

BASIC TRAINING

*The following training elements are required prior to being eligible for deployment
Pre-Requisite: Application & Waiver on file, Annual Dues paid*

EMERGENCY MEDICAL OPS - 8 HOURS

- American Heart Association HEART SAVER First Aid, CPR & AED
Topics listed below are covered in the American Heart Association's HEART SAVER First Aid, CPR & AED Course.
 - Emergency First Aid
 - CPR - Adult, Child, & Infant
 - AED (Automated External Defibrillator)
 - Triage, Transport, & Treatment

SAFETY & RESOURCE MANAGEMENT - 4 HOURS

- MDR Safety Training - MDR
 - Trailer, Truck, Con Ex

INCIDENT COMMAND & OPS - 12 HOURS

- MDR Command & Ops - MDR
- FEMA Emergency Management Institute
courses listed below are all a part of the Federal Emergency Management Agency's Emergency Management Institute. Each of these course are accessible online and can be taken at any time by going to <https://training.fema.gov/is> or clicking on the courses below.
 - [IS-700: Introduction to NIMS](#)
 - [IS-100: Introduction to ICS](#)
 - [IS-200: ICS for Single Resources](#)
- MDR Personnel Management - MDR
- MDR Resource Management - MDR
- AAR - After Action Review - MDR

SEARCH AND RESCUE (SAR) - 16 HOURS

- [Introduction to SAR / SAR Tech III](#)
Taught by a certified instructor over a two-day period. This course requires support materials, testing fees and written exam culminating in the SAR Tech III designation upon successful completion.



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INTERMEDIATE LEVEL TRAINING

Pre-Requisite: Completion of BASIC TRAINING ELEMENTS, Annual Dues paid

SEARCH AND RESCUE (SAR) - 48 HOURS

Fundamentals of SAR / FUNSAR / SAR Tech II

Taught by a certified instructor over a 6 week period, requiring 2 days per week, every other week. This course requires support materials, testing fees, exam fees and skill proficiencies culminating in the SAR Tech II certification

EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS

- [IS-242: Effective Communication](#)
- Cultural Diversity in Deployments
- MDR Basic Radio Communications - MDR
- HAM Radio - MDR

TERRORISM (4 HOURS)

- [Terrorism Awareness & Ops](#)

CRITICAL INCIDENT STRESS MANAGEMENT (CISM)

- Emotional and Spiritual Care
- CISM Awareness
- Psychological First Aid
- VRM Basic Training

SECURITY

- MDR Scene & Resource Security - MDR
- [IS-10: Animals in Disasters](#)



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ADVANCED LEVEL TRAINING

Pre-Requisite: Completion of INTERMEDIATE TRAINING ELEMENTS, Annual Dues paid

INCIDENT COMMAND & OPS

- [IS-800: National Response Framework, An Introduction](#)
- ICS-300: Intermediate ICS - Classroom
- ICS-400: Advance ICS - Classroom

SEARCH AND RESCUE (SAR)

- [Managing Lost Person Incident](#)
- Wide Area Search
- [Advance SAR / SARTECH I](#)

Advanced Search and Rescue (ADSAR) is a NASAR course designed to educate the experienced field searcher in preparation for working as a crew leader on a search. This course expands on the knowledge and skills taught in the intermediate level FUNSAR course. Beginning with expanded management concepts, crew tactics, crew and SAR dog tactics, crew safety skills and continuing through stress management, the course focuses on the added responsibility of a crew leader and how this relates to the crewmembers, search managers, and the outcome of the search.

- MDR Search Video Analysis - MDR

EMERGENCY SUPPORT FUNCTIONS

- [IS-801: Transportation](#)
- [IS-802: Communications](#)
- [IS-806: Mass Care, Emergency Assistance, Housing, and Human Services](#)
- [IS-807: Logistics Management and Resource Support Annex](#)
- [IS-808: Public Health and Medical Services](#)
- [IS-809: Search and Rescue](#)
- [IS-812: Energy](#)