



# **Training Announcement:**

## **Rescue Task Force for EMS**

**December 12th—13th, 2019**

**State Preparedness Training Center**

### **Course Description**

Recent events have spurred a national discussion on the survivability of victims and safety of first responders during active shooter events (ASEs) and other forms of aggressive deadly behavior (ADB). The Rescue Task Force (RTF) for EMS course provides EMS practitioners with tools and techniques to save civilian lives through the application of RTF and Tactical Emergency Casualty Care (TECC) principles.

Instructors will lead discussion on several topics, including a TECC overview, working within the RTF model, and Casualty Collection Point (CCP) management. Students will apply lessons learned in the classroom to skill lanes, including rescue task force movement, hemorrhage control and triage skills. The workshop will culminate in several scenario based activities that will incorporate rescue task force movement, TECC principles, warm zone operations, CCP management, life-saving medical interventions, and collaboration with law enforcement.

### **Topics Include**

Tactical Emergency Casualty Care, Rescue Task Force Movement, Life-Saving Medical Interventions, Triage, and Scenario-Based Activities

### **Course Provider**

State Preparedness Training Center

### **Location**

5900 Airport Road  
Oriskany, NY 13424

## **Cost**

There is NO FEE for this course. *Lunch will be provided.* Travel and all other meals are the responsibility of the course participant.

## **Times**

December 12th, 2019: Check-In (7:30am-8:00am), Course (8:00am-5:00pm)

December 13th, 2019: Check-In (7:30am-8:00am), Course (8:00am-5:00pm)

## **Audience and Equipment Considerations**

The target audience for this course is EMS providers. The course requires a moderate level of exertion. Students will be expected to move training role players up and down stairways with multiple floor levels, walk for a significant distance, and maintain endurance levels through multiple scenario-based activities. Part of the course will be delivered outdoors (regardless of weather) and in the evening during low light conditions, so students should dress accordingly and also consider bringing flashlights. The New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services (DHSES) reserves the right to determine eligibility for this course.

## **Registration Process**

All student registrations will be reviewed by the SPTC with approvals sent to students NO LATER THAN 2 weeks prior to the start of the class. Registration does not guarantee a seat in the class. If you are accepted into this course, you will receive a confirmation email from the Center.

To register for this course, access the SPTC's Training Calendar online:

<http://www.dhses.ny.gov/training/calendar/?agency=SPTC>.

Please be sure to select the proper course and date when registering.

## **No Show Policy**

Failure to attend a class you have registered for can result in restriction on future course attendance and agency notification. If you have not received a confirmation or denial two weeks prior to the course date, please contact DHSES, SPTC at (315) 768-5689 or [SPTC.INFO@dhSES.ny.gov](mailto:SPTC.INFO@dhSES.ny.gov)

## **Lodging**

Lodging will be provided on the nights of December 11th and 12th, 2019 for public sector personnel.

You are eligible for lodging if your residence and official work station are more than 50 miles from the SPTC and you are public sector personnel. Lodging is not available for federal employees or private industry participants. You must be enrolled in the course and have received lodging confirmation from the SPTC before arriving at the Center, or your lodging will not be covered and you will not be allowed in the class.

If you have any questions, please contact the SPTC at 315-768-5689 or [SPTC.INFO@dhSES.ny.gov](mailto:SPTC.INFO@dhSES.ny.gov) prior to arriving at the Center.

**For More Information, please contact the DHSES State Preparedness Training Center (SPTC)**

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