

Save the Date: September 19-22, 2017

Water Sector Intermediate (ICS-300) and Advanced (ICS-400) Incident Command System Training/Certification

Why are Water Sector Intermediate (ICS-300) and Advanced (ICS-400) Incident Command System Training and Certification being offered?

The U.S. EPA and IDEM are offering this 3.5-day training to assist staff in operating as efficiently and effectively as possible during a large incident or event utilizing the ICS. Training participants will receive certification in both ICS-300 and ICS-400.



What topics will be covered at the Water Sector ICS-300/400 Training and Certification?

ICS-300

- ICS fundamentals;
- Unified command;
- Incident management operations;
- Resource management;
- Planning process (the planning “P”); and
- Demobilization, transfer of command, and closeout.

ICS-400

- Command and general staff;
- Major and/or complex incident/event management;
- Area command;
- Multiagency coordination; and
- Organizational relationships.

Why should I attend the Water Sector ICS-300/400 Training and Certification?

First, it is vital to understand ICS, as this incident management system is the national standard for responding to any incident anywhere in the U.S. In addition, it is important for staff to understand how larger incidents and events will be managed when several agencies and jurisdictions will be involved in a response. ICS-300 (Intermediate ICS) and ICS-400 (Advanced ICS) certifications will be available to all participants. Training contact hours for water and wastewater operator licenses will be applied for.

What are the Prerequisites?

Participants must have taken and received FEMA certifications in *Introduction to the ICS* (IS-100.b) and *ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents* (IS-200.b). In addition, students must complete and receive FEMA certifications in *National Incident Management System (NIMS) An Introduction* (IS-700.a) and *National Response Framework (NRF) An Introduction* (IS-800.b). These four prerequisite courses may be completed at FEMA’s Independent Study website at <https://training.fema.gov/nims/>.

Location: Knox Community Center, Knox, Indiana

Registration: Please register for this training at www.horsleywitten.com/icstraining

