

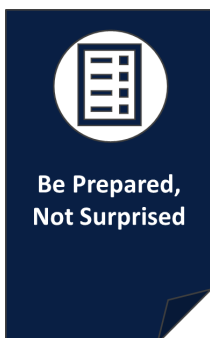


Orlando Area

ChemPREP: Community Preparedness Seminar

Tuesday, March 18, 2025: 9:30am – 1:30pm
City of Orlando Emergency Operations Center
110 George Desalvia Way, Orlando, FL 32807
Hosted by CISA & The City of Orlando
(and local partners)

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Seminar Topic Areas

- Threat brief to familiarize the community with chemicals of concern.
- Indicators and warnings of a chemical attack for front line responders.
- Lessons learned from historical incidents and national preparedness initiatives.
- Priority preparedness actions to optimize your chemical defense system.
- Response community panel discussions on jurisdictional chemical threats and capabilities.

Target Audience

Operator and management level responders and care providers from a broad range of organizations including:

- Law Enforcement
- Fire/Hazmat Responders
- Emergency Medical Services
- Medical Care Providers
- Hospital Emergency Management
- 911 Call Centers/PSAP
- Homeland Security Fusion Centers
- Private Safety and Security
- Poison Control Centers
- Public Health Agencies
- Public Information Officers
- Local Emergency Management
- Local Government Officials
- Environmental Response Agencies

Participant Outcomes

1. Identify domestic chemical threats and vulnerabilities.
2. Describe expected challenges to an effective response to a chemical incident.
3. Discover ways to optimize jurisdictional preparedness.
4. Connect to FSLTT resources to enhance your community preparedness and response.
5. Transform the way participants view their role, their team's role, and their place in an interconnected system.



Process for Assessing and Optimizing Chemical Preparedness: DHS Countering Weapons of Mass Destruction Office (CWMD) partners with state, local, tribal, and territorial (SLTT) stakeholders to enhance local preparedness for chemical incidents. ChemPREP considers each participating local jurisdiction's unique chemical threats and vulnerabilities, assesses their ability to respond, recommends actions to enhance their readiness, and seeks to connect them with other federal resources to improve coordination and overall preparedness.