TEPP Update
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TEPP Update

• Presentation Topics

- 2012 Training Activities
- MERRTT Program Revisions
- TEPP Sponsored Exercises
- TEPP Improvement Project
- Website Resources
2012 Training Activities

• Sessions and headcount completed to date by Region
  • Midwest – 14 classes with 181 students
  • WGA – 52 classes with 817 students
  • Northeast – 49 classes with 792 students
  • SSEB – 82 classes with 1,456

2012 Training Activities

• Sessions scheduled for remainder of the Year
  • Midwest – 1
  • WGA – 1
  • Northeast – 2
  • SSEB – 1
2012 Training Activities

• Completed TMERRTT Sessions

  1. Louisville, KY sponsored LFD/TEPP by Oct 26
  2. Camp Edwards, MA sponsored by MDFP/TEPP June 3
  3. College Park, MD sponsored by the University of Maryland/TEPP July 31
  4. Sacramento, CA sponsored by Continuing Challenge HazMat Workshop/TEPP September 5
  5. Charleston, SC sponsored by NNSA and Charleston Naval Weapons Station September 25-27

  ✓ Seven total sessions with 141 attending

2012 Training Activities

• Completed Radiation Specialist Sessions

  2. Forsyth, GA sponsored by GEMA/TEPP August 20-24
  3. Albuquerque, NM sponsored by AFD/TEPP October 1-5

  ✓ Three total sessions with 90 attending
MERRTT Program Revisions

• Approach used same as in the past. Each Regional Group provided one SME to work as a Task Group member to accept/reject the offered comments

• MERRTT – Approximately 50 comments accumulated from course evaluation forms submitted by students and instructors for improving MERRTT

MERRTT Program Revisions

• Revision highlights include:
  1. Updated references/videos to the include 2012 ERG
  2. Added additional pictures/graphics of equipment and responses
  3. Streamlined Incident Command Module 15 with Incident Control Module 7 creating additional time
  4. Use the time created by the streamlining to create a Case Histories Module 15

• MERRTT is in final draft and being piloted in several locations over the next couple of months
TEPP Sponsored Exercises

• Listing of Completed Exercises:

1. Louisville, KY sponsored by LFD/TEPP October, 2011
2. Charleston, SC Tabletop Exercise sponsored by NSA/CNWS/TEPP October, 2012

TEPP Improvement Project

• Develop an Interactive Computer Based Training Program

1. Using existing IS 302 modules redesign to be a CBT program
2. Using existing MERRTT modules develop an awareness level CBT
TEPP Improvement Project

• Agency Cooperation

2. Printing of Question and Answer Booklet

Website Resources

• The TEPP web site provides one-stop for information

  ✓ MERRTT Training Schedule
  ✓ 24-Hour Points of Contact
  ✓ Needs Assessment
  ✓ Model Procedures
  ✓ Exercise Planning Resources
  ✓ TEPP Regional Coordinators

http://www.em.doe.gov/otem
Questions