

SERVED AGENCY

Volunteering as an Emergency Worker

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ICS

- 1 Federal selected Management System for Emergency Management operations
- 2 To be used by a local or federal agency you must have base classes
- 3 ICS 100, & ICS 700 and maybe ICS 200
- 4 ICS 200 is required in some agencies
- 5 ICS 800 is recommended

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Four Sections

- 1 Planning
- 2 Logistics
- 3 Operation
- 4 Finance

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Basic principles of system

- 1 Unit of command, one boss
- 2 Span of control, control 3 to 7 people
- 3 Organization Chart
- 4 Reporting system

COMMUNICATORS, AND/OR OTHER TASK

- 1 Ham vs commercial
- 2 Language, phonetic alphabet and plain language
- 3 Agency systems, radios, faxes, etc
- 4 Memos, ICS-213, agency forms, logs
- 5 HIPAA, personal, privileged information
- 6 Know who is who. Who has authority to pass message

VOLUNTEER EMPLOYEES

- 1 Safety first
- 2 State Workers Comp Insurance
- 3 Volunteer protection, Good Samaritan Law
 - A Can't be sued for helping victim
 - B Stay in you training and area of expertise

WE ARE TO BE AN AID TO THE AGENCY

- 1 Personal Protection Equipment
- 2 Radio and special equipment
- 3 Medicine, glasses, food
- 4 Go Kit, 8-24 hours, 1-3 days, 1-3 weeks

QUESTIONS ?

Thank you

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BIO

- Licensed in 1982 and AREA member since 1982
- Business Owner
- Member of Federal Way ARC ECRT and past Lead
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