



AWR-329 Leveraging Tools for Coordinated Community Disaster Communications

June 8th from 12:30pm-4:30pm ET

Presented by: National Disaster Preparedness Training Center (NDPTC)

Course Description: As recent disasters have demonstrated, maintaining a strong and redundant communications infrastructure is integral to the coordination of response and recovery efforts. This course provides participants with the opportunity to gain valuable information that will assist in improving the communication capabilities of their community by introducing various tools and strategies that can be integrated into community communication plans.

The course will enhance the participant's ability to leverage coordination among community organizations and resources to ensure effective communications before, during, and after a disaster. Participants will explore the community and the related hazards to find the communication needs and assets. The course will focus on the information needs and requirements of different groups in an emergency and the importance of communicating with different groups at different times. Practical exercises provide the opportunity to evaluate the various tools available to affect communications and analyze communication systems, technologies and products to use.

MUST be a U.S. Citizen per U.S. DHS rules or properly vetted through DHS.

A FEMA Student Identification (SID) number is required. Obtain your SID at <https://cdp.dhs.gov/FEMASID>.