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News Release**IAEM-USA Announces the 2025 Emergency Management
Education and Training Program Award**

Oct. 17, 2025 (Falls Church, Va.) – The Awards & Recognition Committee of the U.S. Council of the International Association of Emergency Managers (IAEM-USA) has selected CAP National Emergency Mobile Training Team as the IAEM-USA 2025 Emergency Management Education and Training Program Award recipient. The award will be presented at the 73rd IAEM Annual Conference & EMEX in Louisville, Kentucky.

**2025 IAEM-USA Emergency Management Education and Training Program Award Recipient
Civil Air Patrol (CAP) National Emergency Services Academy Mobile Training Team**

The Civil Air Patrol's NESA Mobile Training Team is being honored as a national leader in emergency management education and training. Evolving from the original NESA program established in 1996, the Mobile Training Team has significantly increased access to high-quality, mission-driven training beyond Camp Atterbury, Indiana—reaching all 52 CAP wings and international audiences.

Over the past decade, the team has delivered more than 500 courses to over 12,000 participants, covering essential topics such as incident management, public information, chaplain emergency services, communications, and small unmanned aircraft systems. Their cadre of expert instructors—trusted by FEMA, DHS-CISA, the U.S. Air Force, and Coast Guard—reinforces the program's national impact and credibility.

During the COVID-19 pandemic, the team demonstrated exceptional adaptability by converting FEMA's Emergency Operations Center Skill-Set curriculum to a virtual format, training over 1,500 students worldwide. Today, the Mobile Training Team continues to set the standard for accessible, rigorous, and affordable emergency management education, offering more than 30 courses each year and strengthening the nation's readiness at every level.

The IAEM-USA Emergency Management Education and Training Program Award recognizes a college, university, or federal, state, local, tribal, military training agency, a recognized private agency/organization, or non-government organization (NGO) that offers and has students enrolled in and who complete emergency management courses in mitigation, preparedness, response, recovery, and/or planning.

IAEM-USA, the nation's largest emergency management professional association, is a non-profit professional organization representing more than 5,800 emergency management and homeland security professionals for local communities, state and federal disaster officials, private sector, non-governmental organizations, and others involved in preparing for, responding to, and recovering from all types of disasters including acts of terrorism. IAEM provides access to the largest network of emergency management experts who can provide advice and assistance, the Certified Emergency Manager program, annual scholarships, a comprehensive monthly newsletter, and more.

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