

METRO FIRE **CERT** Training Calendar



Metro Fire CERT Basic Training Schedule 2015

WEEK	UNIT	MARCH	OCTOBER
1	1: Disaster Awareness	Thursday 03/19/15	Thursday 10/15/15
1	2: Fire Safety/Hazmat	Saturday 03/21/15	Saturday 10/17/15
1	3: Disaster Medical Ops 1	Saturday 03/21/15	Saturday 10/17/15
1	4: Disaster Medical Ops 2	Saturday 03/21/15	Saturday 10/17/15
1	5: Light Search & Rescue	Saturday 03/21/15	Saturday 10/17/15
2	6&7: Org/Psych	Thursday 03/26/15	Thursday 10/22/15
2	8& 9: Terrorism/Review	Saturday 03/28/15	Saturday 10/24/15
2	9 cont: Final Exercise/Grad	Saturday 03/28/15	Saturday 10/24/15

Thursday Class sessions are from 18:00 to 22:00 hours and Saturday Class sessions are from 08:00 to 17:00 hours. You must attend all sessions to be issued a Certificate of Completion. Classes are currently located at City of Citrus Heights Community Center. More information will be sent to participants with class confirmation after registration.

To make up a class through another agency, please call that agency ahead of time:
 Sacramento Fire Dept: (916) 433-1363
 Cosumnes CSD Fire Dept: (916) 405-5300
 Folsom Fire Dept: (916) 492-6128

CERT Registration

If you would like to register for CERT training, please send your Name, Address, Phone Number, and Email Address to cert@metrofire.ca.gov OR call the Metro Fire CERT Program Voice Mail Box at (916) 859-3776 and leave this information. More information about the program can be found at the Metro Fire Website at: <http://www.metrofire.ca.gov>

CERT TRAINING is designed to prepare you to help yourself, your family, and your neighbors in the event of a catastrophic disaster. Because emergency services personnel will not be able to help everyone immediately, you can make a difference by using CERT training to save lives and protect property. This training covers basic skills that are important to know in a disaster when emergency services are not available. With training and practice and by working as a team, you will be able to do the greatest good for the greatest number of people after a disaster, while protecting yourself from becoming a victim. The job of trained CERTs is not to add to the burden of professional emergency services, but to manage existing resources until professional assistance becomes available.