

SUBJECT AREA 5: EMERGENCY RESPONSE AND OPERATIONS

Develop and implement procedures for response and stabilizing the situation following an incident or event, including establishing and managing an Emergency Operations Center to be used as a command center during the emergency.

A. The Professional's Role is to:

1. Identify Potential Types of Emergencies and the Responses Needed (e.g., fire, hazardous materials leak, medical)
2. Identify the Existence of Appropriate Emergency Response Procedures
3. Recommend the Development of Emergency Procedures Where None Exist
4. Integrate Disaster Recovery/Business Continuity Procedures with Emergency Response Procedures and Escalation Procedures
5. Identify the Command and Control Requirements of Managing an Emergency
6. Recommend the Development of Command and Control Procedures to Define Roles, Authority, and Communications Processes for Managing an Emergency
7. Ensure Emergency Response Procedures are Integrated with Requirements of Public Authorities (Refer also to Subject Area 10, Coordination With Public Authorities)

B. The Professional Should Demonstrate a Working Knowledge in the Following Areas:

1. Identify Components of Emergency Response Procedure
2. Develop Detailed Emergency Response Procedures
3. Identify Command and Control Requirements
4. Command and Control Procedures
5. Emergency Response and Triage
6. Salvage and Restoration