

ALBUQUERQUE CERT BASIC TRAINING SCHEDULE – SPRING 2020

TO REGISTER: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/spring-2020-cert-basic-training-tickets-87758757807>

Space is limited to persons who live or work in Albuquerque; however, anyone needing to make up a class is welcome.

Location for most classes: Los Duranes Community Center (2920 Leopoldo Road NW, Albuquerque, NM 87104)

Final Class Location: City of Albuquerque Emergency Operations Center (EOC) Building, 11510 Sunset Gardens SW, Albuquerque, NM 87121

UNIT	TIME/DATE	TOPICS
1	6:00 PM – 9:00 PM, Wednesday, April 15, 2020	Introduction and All-Hazard Disaster Preparedness Overview of CERT program. Learn how to prepare for any disaster and what safety actions to take during a disaster. Included is how CERT works in Albuquerque. Unit 0: Introduction, Unit 1: Personal Preparedness
2	6:00 PM – 9:00 PM, Wednesday, April 22, 2020	Fire Safety & Utility Control Learn about different categories of fire and how to use a fire extinguisher. Also included is how to shut off gas and electricity, and identify a Hazardous Materials Spill or Leak and respond safely. Unit 2: Fire Safety Hands-On Exercises – Please dress appropriately for outdoor activity.
3	6:00 PM – 9:00 PM, Wednesday, April 29, 2020	Disaster Medical Operations, Part 1 Principles of triage and how to conduct triage evaluations. How to recognize and treat an airway obstruction, bleeding and shock. Public Health considerations. Setting up a Disaster Medical Treatment Area. Patient evaluation (head-to-toe assessment). Unit 3: Disaster Medical Operations Hands-On Exercises – Please dress appropriately for activity on the floor.
4	6:00 PM – 9:00 PM, Wednesday, May 6, 2020	Disaster Medical Operations, Part 2 Public Health considerations. Setting up a Disaster Medical Treatment Area. Patient evaluation (head-to-toe assessment); and basic treatment of burns, how to clean and bandage wounds, treat hypothermia; and control nasal bleeding. Treat fractures, dislocations, sprains and strains; apply splints to hands, arms and legs. Unit 4: Disaster Medical Operations Hands-On Exercises – Please dress appropriately for activity on the floor.
5	6:00 PM – 9:00 PM, Wednesday, May 13, 2020	Light Search and Rescue How to look for damage in different types of construction; how to classify damaged buildings; building marking system; how to safely conduct interior searching; how to lift victims and use extrication devices for victims. Unit 5: Light Search and Rescue Hands-On Exercises – Please dress appropriately for activity on the floor.
6	6:00 PM – 9:00 PM, Wednesday, May 20, 2020	CERT Organization, Disaster Psychology and Terrorism and CERT Using the Incident Command System to manage a disaster; how CERT works in Albuquerque. CERT protocols for terrorist incidents. Also the emotional impact of disaster response. Unit 6: CERT Organization, Unit 7: Disaster Psychology, Unit 8: Terrorism and CERT
7	9:00 AM – 12:00 PM, Saturday, May 30, 2020	Course Review and Disaster Skills Exercise