



Tulare County Office of Emergency Services
Emergency Management Training Levels

	EMERGENCY CLASSIFICATION	COURSE NAME	PREVIOUS TRAINING REQUIRED	TARGET AUDIENCE	INSTRUCTIONAL GOAL	COURSE HOURS
LEVEL 1	NON-RESPONSE EMPLOYEE (Emergency Worker)	Basic Tulare County Emergency Worker Orientation	None	Employees who might be asked to return to, or remain at NORMAL work location in a disaster. No field response.	Introduce ALL employees to concept that they may be called upon to work during a disaster.	DSW Video during New Employee Orientation
LEVEL 2	FIELD EMERGENCY RESPONDER	SEMS Introduction ICS-100A, ICS-200A. NIMS – IS 700A *Combined Course	Level 1	All employees who may be tasked to RESPOND to an incident to assist or support the organization, but who would not normally supervise others at the incident.	Provide basic understanding of NIMS, SEMS and ICS, common terms, and information required to work within and support a response.	15 Hours
		NRF – IS 800B	Level 1	All government employees with responsibilities for emergency management and/or incident response.	Covers the National Response Framework and the interface between local, State and Federal response.	3-4 Hours
LEVEL 3	FIELD SUPERVISOR	I-300 - ICS Intermediate	Level 2	Personnel who supervise a <u>field</u> ICS branch, division, group or unit, or are members of Command Staff.	Covers incident organization, resource management, air operations, incident and event planning.	18 Hours
LEVEL 4	FIELD COMMANDER	I-400 - ICS Advanced	Level 3	Personnel who will supervise <u>field</u> sections; Command Staff; Incident or Area Commanders; also those who may assume key agency management roles over incidents.	Covers General and Command Staff roles, major incident management, Unified and Area Command. Also addresses CA Mutual Aid and coordination between the field, Local Government and Operational Area EOCs.	14 Hours
LEVEL 5	EOC STAFF (EOC/DOC)	SEMS Emergency Operations Center Course	Level 2	Support, supervisory, management and executive personnel in department level or agency EOCs or DOCs who would perform an EOC function at any SEMS level.	Covers principles of disaster and EOC management EOC operating requirements, characteristics of EOCs, and functional handbook covering job descriptions, responsibilities and checklists for all EOC positions at the Local Government and Operational Area levels.	8 Hours
LEVEL 6	EXECUTIVE STAFF	SEMS Executive Course 6612 or I-402	None	Executives, administrators and policy makers within agencies that are required to support a SEMS emergency response.	Provides background of the law, common terms, basic elements of SEMS, organizational roles and titles, and the need for executive support.	2 to 4 Hours