

Core Competencies for Public Health Professionals/ Bioterrorism and Emergency Readiness Competencies (Training)	Bioterrorism Agents Recognition Protection, and Treatment	IED Facility Hardening: Moving from Soft to Hardened Targets	Community Preparedness for Response to an Infectious Disease	Tactical Medical Aircraft Response	Medical Assistance Tactical Team Development	Medical Planning: Basics of Plan Development and Implementation	Mass Casualty Regional/Local Plan	Medical Management of Radiation Incidents	Medical Management of Blast Injury	Chemical Weapons Agents Recognition, Protection and Treatment	Decontamination Procedure Development and Implementation	Personal Protective Measures in the Medical and Public Safety Realm	Isolation and Quarantine Decisions, Implementation and Issues	Food Poisoning and Mechanism of Action	Unique Aspects of Special Population Management and Care	HSEEP Exercise and Development, Implementation and Evaluation	Joint Information System/Public Information Officer Training	Mental Health Issues During a Disaster
	Analytic/Assessment Skills						●										●	
Policy Development/Program Planing Skills	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Communication Skills		●				●										●	●	
Cultural Competency Skills			●												●		●	●
Community Dimensions of Practice Skills			●					●	●	●			●			●	●	●
Basic Public Health Sciences Skills	●					●		●	●	●	●		●					●
Financial Planning and Management																		
Leadership and Systems Thinking Skills		●					●		●				●			●	●	●
Core BT/ER Competency 1	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Core BT/ER Competency 2	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Core BT/ER Competency 3		●					●	●	●	●			●	●		●	●	●
Core BT/ER Competency 4		●		●			●	●	●	●			●	●		●	●	●
Core BT/ER Competency 5																●	●	
Core BT/ER Competency 6		●					●	●	●	●			●	●		●	●	●
Core BT/ER Competency 7		●				●	●	●	●	●			●	●		●	●	●
Core BT/ER Competency 8	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●		●	●	●
Core BT/ER Competency 9	●	●		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●		●	●	●

**Core BT/ER Competencies**

- 1 Describe the public health role in emergency response in a range of emergencies that might arise.
- 2 Describe the chain of command in emergency response.
- 3 Identify and locate the agency emergency response plan.
- 4 Describe individuals functional role(s) in regular drills.
- 5 Demonstrate correct use of all communications equipment for emergency communication (phone, fax, radio etc)
- 6 Describe communication role(s) in emergency response within the agency, using established communication systems for the agency, general public personal and media.
- 7 Identify limits to own knowledge, skills, and authority, and identify key systems for referring matters that exceed limits.
- 8 Recognize unusual events that might indicate an emergency and describe appropriate action.
- 9 Apply creative problem solving and flexible thinking to unusual challenges within an individuals functional responsibility and evaluate effectiveness of all actions taken.