# **EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT Program Learning Outcomes:**

The Emergency Management Program is designed to:

- Describe the four phases of emergency management and the role each of them plays in managing and mitigating a disaster.
- Delineate the role terrorism plays on society and how it impacts public policy and decision making
- Demonstrate the skills needed to effectively manage a disaster scene.
- List the resources needed and how to obtain those resources effectively mitigate disaster damage
- Describe the various emergencies in public health and the organization needed to reduce the threat to the public and mitigate pain and suffering of society
- List the psychological damage caused by disasters to both the civilian and the first responder and how to mitigate the effects of those disasters
- Recognize and identify the needs for an effective training program in emergency management
- Identify the core requirements to effective planning
- Demonstrate how to perform a risk analysis
- Describe the effective way to make decisions and problem solve during an emergency
- Prepare students to be future leaders in the Emergency Response fields
- List the methods of communication during a disaster and the reasons for using each one
- Have the graduate be an affective member of the incident command team at a disaster or crisis.
- Meet the Presidential Directive of having employees in emergency service professions trained in the Incident Management System

#### **Graduate Outcome Statement:**

#### **CCRI Definition of an Educated Person: Four Abilities**

The Community College of Rhode Island recognizes four critical areas that define the learning outcomes of a CCRI graduate. These four abilities can be applied in many contexts and are critical skills that must be developed not only at CCRI, but over the course of a lifetime. These core abilities guide students, faculty and staff in establishing educational goals and assessing learning within and across the primary domains of knowledge: arts and humanities, science and mathematics, and the social sciences.

Therefore, it is essential that associate degree program graduates develop a strong foundation in each of these critical areas. Proposals for new degree program or

modifications to existing degree programs must incorporate coursework that fosters student development in each area.

#### • Effective Communication

- o Demonstrate English language fluency.
- Utilize current communication technology.
- o Organize and present ideas effectively, both orally and in writing.

# Critical Thinking

- o Identify, analyze, and understand complex ideas.
- Use information technology appropriately to locate, evaluate and apply research data.
- o Draw inferences from facts.
- o Evaluate and present well-reasoned arguments.

## Quantitative and Scientific Reasoning

- Demonstrate an understanding of mathematical and scientific principles.
- Apply these principles to the solution of problems in academic work and in everyday life.
- Interpret numeric information presented in graphic form.
- Apply scientific methods to the inquiry process.

#### Social Interaction

- Evaluate ethical dimensions of decisions.
- Use teamwork to accomplish tasks in groups.
- Demonstrate an understanding of global, cultural and historical perspectives.

#### GRADUATE OUTCOMES:

Through the collaboration of specialty courses and general education course the students will achieve or experience these abilities.

#### **Effective Communications**

Demonstrate English language fluency.

- ENGL 2100 Technical Writing
- o SPCH 1100 Oral Communications
- EMER 1000 Fundamentals of Emergency Management
- EMER 1010 Understanding and Responding to Terrorism
- EMER 1020 Bioterrorism and Public Health Emergencies
- EMER 1030 Disaster Response and Operations Management
- EMER 1040 Managing the Psychological Impact of Terrorism and Disasters
- EMER 1050 Disaster Training and Exercise Management
- o EMER 2010 Disaster Resource Management
- EMER 2020 Emergency Planning
- o EMER 2030 Professional Development in Emergency Management
- o EMER 2500 Practicum in Emergency Management

### Use current Communications technology

- o COMI 1100 Introduction to Computers
- EMER 1000 Fundamentals of Emergency Management
- EMER 1020 Public Health Emergencies
- o EMER 1030 Disaster Response Operations and Management
- o EMER 1050 Disaster Training and Exercise Management
- EMER 2020 Emergency Planning
- o EMER 2030 Professional Development in Emergency Management

### Organize and present ideas effectively, both orally and in writing

- ENGL 2100 Technical Writing
- o SPCH 1100 Oral Communication

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### Evaluate and present well-reasoned arguments.

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## **Quantitative and Scientific Reasoning**

- Demonstrate an understanding of mathematical and scientific principles.
  - o MTH 1400 Introduction to College Math
  - o EMER 1000 Fundamentals of Emergency Management
  - o EMER 1020 Bioterrorism and Public Health Emergencies
  - o EMER 1030 Disaster Response Operations and Management
  - o EMER 2020 Emergency Planning
- Apply these principles to the solution of problems in academic work and in everyday life.
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  - o EMER 1020 Bioterrorism and Public Health Emergencies
  - o EMER 2010 Emergency Planning
- Interpret numeric information presented in graphic form.
  - o MTH 1400 Introduction to College Math
  - o EMER 1020 Bioterrorism and Public Health Emergencies
- Apply scientific methods to the inquiry process.
  - o CHEM 1000 Chemistry of Our Environment
  - CHEM 1060 Hazardous Materials
  - o EMER 1000 Fundamentals of Emergency Management

- EMER 1020 Bioterrorism and Public Health Emergencies
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# **Social Interaction**

# • Evaluate ethical dimensions of decisions.

0	PHIL 2030	Ethics
0	SOCS 1010	General Sociology
0	EMER 1000	Fundamentals of Emergency Management
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# • Use teamwork to accomplish tasks in groups.

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# • Demonstrate an understanding of global, cultural and historical perspectives.

0	GEOL 1030	Natural Disasters
0	LAWS 1000	Introduction to Law Enforcement
0	EMER 1000	Fundamentals of Emergency Management
0	EMER 1010	Understanding and Responding to Terrorism
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The method for evaluating these above competencies will be a combination of: Discussions, Exams, Tests and Quizzes, Papers, Case Studies, Group Projects, Presentations, visual evaluation, Labs and Experiments