

# Emergency Preparedness Training for Resettled Refugee Communities

**Saturday, January 11, 2025**

**8:00 AM – 5:30 PM**

**International Institute St. Louis**

**3401 Arsenal Street, St. Louis 63118**

Breakfast and Lunch provided

The Emergency Preparedness Training for Resettled Refugee Communities (EPT/RRC) is a training curriculum developed in collaboration by the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) and U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Administration for Children and Families, Office of Refugee Resettlement (HHS/ACF/ORR). The goal of the EPT/RRC training is to prepare resettled refugee communities for adverse events and natural disasters that may occur by raising their overall awareness and connecting them to the local emergency management structures that exist within their communities.

## Ideal Training Participants

(40 per cohort)

- Refugee and immigrant community members
- Known community leaders or influencers within their respective communities

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**This is an all-day program. Workshops 1 & 2 will be held in the morning, Workshops 3 & 4 in the afternoon. The training will be in English.**

### Workshop #1: Personal Preparedness

- Difference between an emergency and a disaster
- What emergency management is and who is involved in helping
- How to make a family emergency plan and begin building an emergency kit
- Become comfortable sharing how to be prepared with your family and communities

### Workshop #2: Assessing and Mitigating Risks

- Understand risks and hazards
- How to mitigate risks
- How to practice emergency plans

### Workshop #3: Community Strength and Resilience

- Personal Preparedness to help prepare the community
- Know your community's resources and challenges
- Building preparedness relationships within your community
- Strong relationships + trust = resilient communities

### Federal, State, and Local Implementing Partners

#### Workshop #4: Partnerships and Accessing Resources After an Event

- Identify key partners who help people after an event
- Identify vital community organizations and recovery groups
- Understand what resources are available after an event
- Know how to access resources after an event