

BAY AREA REGIONAL

Joint Criminal & Epidemiological Investigations Workshop



**Bay Area Regional
Joint Criminal & Epidemiological Investigations Workshop
Wednesday, March 2 – Thursday, March 3, 2011
8:00am - 5:00pm
LOCATION
To Be Determined**



About the Training - Training Objectives

- Notification protocols for a WMD event (covert vs. overt);
- Assets or capabilities that each agency brings to the investigation;
- Steps involved in a WMD threat assessment;
- What an epidemiologist does in a public health investigation (for law enforcement/first responders);
- What an FBI agent does in a criminal or WMD investigation (for public health);
- Differences between public health and law enforcement investigations;
- How the CDC and law enforcement/first responders work together successfully despite the differences;
- Sampling issues for a WMD event/investigation;
- Laboratory issues for investigating a suspect WMD event (diagnostic and forensic);
- How to work together and understand each other's role in a WMD event through joint tabletop scenarios/exercises.

Registration online at: crim-epi.org

Training Cost: FREE

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Draft Agenda:

Wednesday, March 2, 2011

- 8:00 - 8:25 Welcome
- 8:25 - 8:40 Review of Workshop Agenda, Goals, and Objectives, and EXERCISE Introduction
- 8:40 - 9:00 Bioterrorism Threat Briefing **(FBIHQ)**
- 9:00 - 9:30 FBI's Role in a Bioterrorism Event **(FBIHQ)**
- 9:30 - 10:00 Bioterrorism and Public Health **(CDC)**
- 10:00 - 10:15 EXERCISE: JTTF MEETING
- 10:15 - 10:30 Break
- 10:30 - 11:40 Bio-agent Production and Dissemination Recognition Breakouts **(FBI and Public Health facilitators)**
- 11:40 - 12:30 Public Health 101 (for law enforcement participants) **(CDC)**
- 11:40 – 12:30 Law Enforcement 101 (for public health participants) **(FBI)**
- 12:30 – 1:45 Lunch (on your own)
- 1:45 - 2:30 Laboratory Response Network
- 2:30 – 3:15 Case Study
- 3:15 – 3:30 Break
- 3:30 – 5:30 EXERCISE: INFORMATION SHARING – Breakout groups **(FBI and CDC/Public Health Facilitators)**

Thursday, March 3, 2011

- 8:00 - 8:50 Joint Protocols (MOU, Threat Assessment, Information Sharing, Joint Interviews) **(FBI)**
- 8:50 - 12:00 EXERCISE: TABLE TOP - Breakout groups
(FBI and Public Health facilitators)
- 9:45 - 10:00 Break
- 12:00 - 1:30 Lunch
- 1:30 - 2:30 2006 Inhalation Anthrax Case Study Investigation
- 2:30 - 2:45 Break
- 2:45 - 4:15 EXERCISE: MOCK JOINT INTERVIEW - Breakout groups **(FBI and Public Health facilitators)**
- 4:15 - 5:00 Wrap-up of Scenario/Closing comments/Evaluations- **(FBI and CDC)**

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