

OER004

Major Emergency Management Initial Response

Duration 4 days

Target group The target group for Major Emergency Management Initial Response

(MEMIR) training is personnel who are either designated as being in charge of, are members of, or provide support to an emergency

management team in an emergency.

Prerequisites There are no prerequisites for the MEMIR training programme. A

reasonable command of the English language is required.

Objective

The aim of the MEMIR Training is to equip personnel with formal training in command, control, communications and stress-related factors in the management of major emergencies. In addition, this programme also provides initial emergency management training for personnel who are undertaking a training and competence programme to progress to the

role of an emergency response manager.

Contents The training course consists of the following modules and elements:

Module 1 Theory of Major Emergency Management

Element 1.1 Major Emergencies Element 1.2 The Emergency Manager

Element 1.3 The Emergency Command Centre Facilities and Information

Management

Element 1.4 Pre-planning and Maintaining a State of Readiness Element 1.5 Dealing with Stress

Module 2 Practical Elements of Major Emergency Management

Element 2.1 Assessing the Situation

Element 2.2 Taking Effective Action Element 2.3 Maintaining Communications Element 2.4 Delegating Authority Element 2.5 Managing Self and Team

Approximately 35% of the course will be classroom-based, including prescenario briefings, and 65% is spent on practical scenarios and debriefs

After completion of course delegates will be issued with an OPITO **Exam**

approved certificate and a performance appraisal.