



# Emergency Preparedness Training



## FREE COMMUNITY EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS CLASSES

### CERT Training Includes :

- Disaster Preparedness
- Fire Safety
- Victim Assessment/Triage
- Light Search & Rescue
- Terrorism Awareness
- Disaster Medical Ops
- Animals in Disasters

### Schedule:

The 20-hour CERT course is offered 20-hour course, with several schedule options:

- Two weeknights & one Saturday
- Two full days
- Once per week plus one Saturday
- Other scheduling is available.
- TEEN CERT is offered consecutive weekdays when school is out.

El Paso County Office of Emergency Management offers public CERT basic classes monthly for adults, plus a Teen class CERT quarterly.

Participants will learn about how to identify and anticipate hazards, extinguish small fires, set up medical treatment areas, practice family emergency preparedness, and more. Course length is 20 hours.

Who should take CERT?

- Neighborhoods, churches and community organizations.
- Parents
- Scout and Youth Groups
- Teachers, Students, and school Administrators
- Individuals
- Anyone interested in making their community safer, better prepared, and more resilient.



Trained instructors provide hands-on training to neighborhoods, community groups and individuals. A CERT program just for teens is offered, as well as shorter, supplemental workshops on emergency

**In 95 percent of all emergencies, bystanders or victims provide the first immediate assistance on the scene.**

**DO YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO?**

To receive registration form and schedules, email [CERT@EIPasoCo.com](mailto:CERT@EIPasoCo.com) or call (719) 575-8858 for more information.