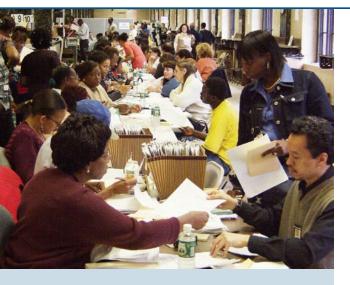


Faithful Readiness

Communities United to Prepare for, Respond to, and Recover from Disaster

Thursday, March 4, 2010 8:45 AM – 2:30 PM



Workshop Topics:

- Preparedness Messaging for Faith Leaders
- Relationships Prior to a Disaster
- Emergency Management Basics
- Long-Term Recovery: National Framework
- H1N1 Update
- And more!

In Partnership with:

- FEMA Region III
- State of Maryland Governor's Office of Community Initiatives
- State of Maryland Emergency Management
- Maryland Citizen Corps
- State of Virginia Emergency Management
- Virginia Department of Social Services, Office on Volunteerism and Community Service
- DC Mayor's Office on Volunteerism Serve DC
- American Red Cross
- Maryland VOAD
- Virginia Council of Churches
- Virginia Citizen Corps
- Virginia VOAD

Questions?

Email to INFOFBCI@dhs.gov or call 202-646-5784.

This workshop will build on the momentum of President Obama's call to service for all Americans: *United We Serve*. Faith-based and community groups and government will share resources, learn new skills, and strengthen partnerships to enhance the capacity of our united response to and recovery from disasters.

Gaylord National Hotel & Convention Center

201 Waterfront Street National Harbor, MD 20745 www.gaylordhotels.com/gaylord-national/

Hotel room rate: \$226.00 per night (plus 16% tax – without government ID)

Call (301) 965-2000 or make your reservation online.

Reservations on space available basis.

Lower-Priced Hotels Near the Conference Facility: http://bit.ly/RegIIICFBCI

Public Transportation

To access the Hotel by public transit:

- Take the Metro Green Line towards Branch Avenue
- Take the NH-1 Metrobus (departs Branch Avenue Metro every 1/2 hour from 5:55 am until 10:35 pm).

Detailed trip planners are available at www.wmata.com.



Registration

Free workshop – Open to the Public

Space is limited – Register online at http://bit.ly/RegIIICFBCI or complete and fax to (540) 937-7848.

Name: ______ First Name/Nickname for Badge: _______

Title: ______

Organization: ______

Organization Type: | DHS | State Gov't | Local Gov't | Faith-Based | Community | Other: ______

Address: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

How long have you been involved in emergency preparedness, response and recovery? | 0-1 years | 2-5 years | 6-10 years | 10+ years

Special Accommodations/Requests: ______

Driving Directions

From Washington, DC

- Take I-295 S for approximately 5.5 miles
- Take Exit 1B toward National Harbor
- Turn right on St. George Street
- Follow signs to the Hotel

From Fairfax, Virginia

- Take I-66 E
- Merge onto I-495 S toward Richmond/Alexandria
- Continue and merge with I-495 E/ I-95 N toward Baltimore
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- Take Exit 2A toward National Harbor
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From Richmond, Virginia

- Take I-95 N toward Washington for about 94 miles
- Take left exit onto I-495 E / I-95 N into Maryland
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From Gaithersburg, Maryland

- Take I-270 S toward Washington
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From Annapolis, Maryland and all points east

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