NY Hope 2024, August 1-4, 2024

DISASTER RESPONSE FIELD TRAINING EXERCISE

State Preparedness Training Center (STPC) 5900 Airport Rd Oriskany, NY 13424

WHO: Sponsored by the Consortium for Humanitarian Service and Education, the University of Albany College of Emergency Preparedness, Homeland Security and Cyber Security, and Elmira College. This program is for students, community members, and local and state responders.

WHAT: NY Hope 2024 is a civilian-designed and civilian-led exercise that attempts to recreate the challenges and conditions faced when a humanitarian organization responds to a disaster. The exercise teaches students the basics of triage, first aid, and use of the Incident Command System (ICS). This exercise also provides additional trainings by subject matter experts and gives participants an opportunity for learn leadership and team building in a high stress and austere environment.

Exercise participants will serve in the capacity of disaster response volunteers and will be divided into four teams of twelve personnel. Participants will be assigned to a team upon arrival August 1st. Each team will have a lead and assistant Controller/Evaluator (CE). From this point on teams will complete relevant trainings and execute missions as they are assigned. Participants are from CHSE affiliated institutions.

WHEN: Thursday, August 1st through Sunday August 4th, 2024. Note: Faculty/staff need to arrive by 12:00 pm Thursday, August 1st to attend training and orientation. A Leadership Training will also be held for interested staff from Wednesday evening July 31st until 12 pm Thursday August 1st.

WHERE: STPC: State Preparedness Training Center 5900 Airport Rd. Oriskany, NY 13424

Participants apply to participate online at: https://forms.gle/hZT34wCq9sJTmeEp7

Staff apply online at: https://forms.gle/zVJ1kwNCJYtGNejW9

Deadline for both Staff and Participants is March 10, 2024.

Cost: Exercise is free of charge to both participants and staff (transportation and off-site staff lodging is not included)

Contact: Exercise Director, Debby Woglom at dwoglom@elmira.edu for further information

