The **Protective Measures** course provides participants the foundational knowledge to identify risks and vulnerabilities to a facility, venue, or event and identify various types of protective measures to mitigate an IED threat. Participants apply concepts introduced throughout the course with hands-on activities.

### Course Format and Audience
This is a one-day, in-person instructor-led training covering the following topics:
- Overview of explosive effects
- Identifying risk
- Protective measures
- Determining the appropriate protective measures
- Special event and public gathering security

This course is designed for groups of up to 25 participants and is intended for audiences such as:
- Critical infrastructure owners and operators
- Public safety officers
- Emergency managers
- Security officers
- Law enforcement officers
- Private sector security professionals

### Accreditation
The Office for Bombing Prevention (OBP) is accredited by the International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET) to award Continuing Education Units (CEUs) for this course:
- International Association of Continuing Education and Training (IACET) – 0.7 CEU
- Police Officer Standards and Training (POST), if approved by the student's state, may award 7 CEUs

### Before You Attend: Recommended Prerequisites

### Before You Attend: Registration Information
- Course registration requires a FEMA Student ID (SID). To complete the one-time registration process for a FEMA SID, please visit: [https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid/register](https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid/register)

### Before You Host: Logistical Requirements
- A local venue with a classroom large enough to accommodate registered participants and facilitators with a projector and audio/visual capability

### Contact Us
- To request training or for more information on the OBP Counter-IED Training offerings, visit us at [https://www.cisa.gov/bombing-prevention-training](https://www.cisa.gov/bombing-prevention-training) or email us at OBPTraining@cisa.dhs.gov
- For OBP web-based training, visit the online schedule at [https://cdp.dhs.gov/obp](https://cdp.dhs.gov/obp)
- For assistance with your FEMA SID, contact the FEMA SID Help Desk at (866) 291-0696 or FEMASIDHELP@cdpemail.dhs.gov

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