



Counter-IED Instructor-Led Training

OFFICE FOR BOMBING PREVENTION

Instructor-led Resident and Non-resident Counter-Improvised Explosive Device (C-IED) training is delivered by subject matter experts that come to your location, or in-residence at the Federal Emergency Management Agency’s (FEMA) Center for Domestic Preparedness. These courses build nationwide counter-IED capabilities and increase awareness of IED threats by providing information to prevent, protect against, respond to, and mitigate bombing incidents. All courses are provided free of charge.



Instructor-Led Training Courses

Course topics span the bombing prevention spectrum and are organized into three levels of instruction:

Awareness:

- AWR-333: IED Construction and Classification*
- AWR-334: Introduction to the Terrorist Attack Cycle*
- AWR-335: Response to Suspicious Behaviors/Items*
- AWR-337: IED Explosive Effects and Mitigation*
- AWR-338: Homemade Explosives (HME) and Precursor Awareness*
- AWR-340: Protective Measures Awareness*
- AWR-348: Bombing Prevention Awareness

**Primarily available through virtual instructor-led training (VILT). Available in-person only on special request.*

Performance:

- PER-312: Vehicle-Borne Improvised Explosive Device (VBIED) Detection
- PER-336: Protective Measures
- PER-339: IED Search Procedures
- PER-346: Surveillance Detection for Bombing Prevention

Management:

- MGT-450 Bomb-Making Material Awareness Program – Community Liaison
- MGT-451: Bomb Threat Management Planning



Format and Audience

Courses are taught around the United States by a national mobile training team in a traditional classroom setting; some include hands-on exercises. Designed for groups from 25 – 250 participants and conducted over 1-3 days, they are applicable to a broad audience that includes:

- Municipal officials and emergency managers
- State and local law enforcement
- Other emergency services
- Critical infrastructure owners and operators
- Security staff
- Public and private sector partners



Accredited Training!

Accredited by the International Association for Continuing Education and Training (IACET).

- ✓ Participants receive certificates with transferrable CEUs
- ✓ Police Officer Standards and Training (POST), if approved by student's state
- ✓ Recognized SAFETY Act counter-terrorism training for designation and certification
- ✓ Experts come to your location



What you need to attend or host

- A FEMA student ID (SID) is required for registration. To obtain a FEMA SID, visit <https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid/>
- For mobile trainings, a local venue with a classroom large enough for registered participants, projector and audio/visual capability, and an area capable of supporting practical exercises may be required.



Contact Us

To schedule a class or for more information on OBP Counter-IED training offerings, visit us at <https://www.cisa.gov/bombing-prevention-training> or email OBPTraining@cisa.dhs.gov

