

Medical Team Specialist

Suggested Schedule

The below provides a suggested schedule for conducting a FEMA Medical Team Specialist course.

DAY 1

Welcome/Registration	30 minutes
Module 0: Introduction	1 hour
Module 1: Medical Considerations in the Urban Search and Rescue (US&R) Environment	1 hour 30 minutes
<i>Break</i>	<i>15 minutes</i>
Module 2: Crush Syndrome	1 hour
<i>Lunch</i>	<i>1 hour</i>
Introduction to skill stations	40 minutes
<i>Move to skill stations</i>	<i>10 minutes</i>
Module 10: Skill Station 1: Confined Space Maneuvers	1 hour 30 minutes
Module 10: Skill Station 2: Airway Management	1 hour 30 minutes
Module 10: Skill Station 3: Assessing the Partially Accessible Patient	1 hour 30 minutes
<i>Students return to classroom/Hot wash/Release</i>	<i>15 minutes</i>

DAY 2

Daily briefing	15 minutes
Module 3: Confined Space Medical Considerations	1 hour 30 minutes
<i>Break</i>	<i>15 minutes</i>
Module 4: Field Limb Amputations and Dismemberment	45 minutes
Module 5: Sedation and Pain Management	30 minutes
<i>Move to skill stations</i>	<i>10 minutes</i>
Module 10: Skill Station 4: Vascular Access	1 hour 30 minutes
<i>Lunch</i>	<i>1 hour</i>
Module 10: Skill Station 5: Field Amputation and Bleeding Control	1 hour 30 minutes
Module 10: Skill Station 6: Patient Packaging and Monitoring	1 hour 30 minutes
<i>Break</i>	<i>15 minutes</i>
Module 10: Skill Station 7: Immobilization and Extrication	1 hour 30 minutes
<i>Students return to classroom/Hot wash/Release</i>	<i>15 minutes</i>

DAY 3

Daily briefing	15 minutes
Briefing squad kits	15 minutes
Module 7: Urban Search and Rescue (US&R)	2 hours
Mobilization and Operational Tabletop	
<i>Break</i>	15 minutes
Patient care scenario briefing and equipment review	30 minutes
Module 11: Patient Care Scenario 1: The Tunnel	2 hours
<i>Lunch</i>	1 hour
Module 11: Patient Care Scenario 2: The Windy Room	2 hours
Module 11: Patient Care Scenario 3: The Preschool	2 hours
<i>Break</i>	15 minutes
Module 11: Patient Care Scenario 4: 48 Hours	2 hours
<i>Squad rehabilitate equipment/Hot wash/ Release</i>	35 minutes

DAY 4

Daily briefing	15 minutes
Module 8: Occupational Medicine	1 hours 30 minutes
<i>Break</i>	15 minutes
Module 6: Task Force (TF) Canines	1 hour
Module 10: Skill Station 8: Canine Care	2 hours
<i>Lunch</i>	1 hour
Module 9: Urban Search and Rescue (US&R) Stress	30 minutes
Squad rehabilitate equipment for night operations	30 minutes
Briefing/Expectations for night operations—US&R	45 minutes
206/Incident Action Plan (IAP)	
<i>Release students</i>	2 hours 30 minutes
Night operations briefing for participants and final gear check	15 minutes
Module 12: Field Exercise	3 hours 45 minutes
<i>Stow equipment/Hot wash/Release</i>	15 minutes