

How Fusion helps with Exercises and Incident Preparedness

Exercises and Incident Preparedness includes planning and execution of exercises that will enhance the ability of the organization to respond when a real event occurs. Fusion can help in the following ways and more:

Planning and Preparing for Exercises

How Fusion Helps: Planning a preparing for exercises becomes a rapid and efficient process. Create detailed exercise frameworks quickly. Identify which procedures to include and let the system build out the task dependency list. Include teams based on their relationship to plans and sites. Build exercises from previous exercise and incident records in a fraction of the time. (up to 90%)

Scheduling Exercises

How Fusion Helps: Automatically pull in team members to an email to schedule exactly who should be included. Make preparation and scheduling the first assigned task for exercise participants and let the system monitor overall preparation status. (up to 90%)

Training of Plan Owners

How Fusion helps: Efficiently make sure plan owners are ready to help their teams participate. Assign tasks and pre-training work through the system as part of the exercise. Enable everyone to access the exercise record, the dashboard, and plans right in the system to speed training. (up to 30%)

Execution / Facilitation of Exercises

How Fusion helps: Exercise leaders will require less time to complete exercises. Multiple groups can participate in parallel, not having to wait for discussion of sequential tasks as everyone's status, task updates and issues are gathered automatically by the system. The system provides a centralized view of exercise status and the ability to focus on exceptions as blocking issues are highlighted. (up to 25%)

Participation in Exercises

How Fusion helps: Exercise participants will spend less time as they can intersperse normal work duties as Fusion alerts users when tasks can be started. Traditionally, exercises require participants to spend a good portion of their day waiting for other tasks to be completed. The Fusion Framework enables people to stay engaged on the incident when needed but free up resources as prerequisites are performed by others. (up to 60%)

Issue Tracking / Remediation

How Fusion helps: Issues are easily logged as part of the permanent record of the incident which can be assigned to an owner so they can be promptly addressed. Status is tracked centrally and alerts can be triggered automatically to get work done on time. Save significant effort normally spent manually tracking issues until they are resolved. (up to 25%)

After Action Reports

How Fusion helps: All exercise activities and issues are logged. Generate an After-Action Report immediately to capture the essence of the event and what follow-ups are needed. No more compiling input from various sources in the weeks following an exercise. Put an after-action report in people's hands right away while the exercise is fresh in everyone's mind. (up to 70%)

Other

How Fusion helps: Fusion Framework can be adapted to your methodology to improve things that could benefit from automated workflows, alerts, analytics and more. Conservatively, a 5% gain can be achieved from applying Fusion to your unique processes, but the benefits are usually far greater. (conservative estimate 5%)