

# What's Possible – Exercising Plans Efficiently and Enhancing Your Incident Management Capabilities

Fusion Framework makes new efficiencies in Exercise and Incident Management possible that can drastically reduce the effort to prepare for exercises and enable new efficiencies when running exercises and incidents to keep you in command and control and allow faster recoveries and better outcomes.

## Reduce Time Spend Planning and Preparing Exercises

Get to exercise faster and more frequently. Get more participation and better outcomes. Exercises can be planned for and prepared in a fraction of the time when you build off your Information Foundation. Select which procedures to exercise and all related information is pulled into the exercise plan. Teams are automatically linked and can be used to initiate communications to prepare everyone. As you run exercises, they become a permanent record and can be used as templates to create complete exercise plans in a few clicks.

# Run More Efficient Exercises

Exercises are no longer serial tabletop efforts, but realistic experiences. Derive and improve plans from exercises based on experience of your people. The importance of the plan is elevated during an exercise, causing your planners to think more deeply. Engage users and use their time efficiently through the Fusion Framework. Exercise your people by putting them in simulated situations to get them thinking.

## Map Organizational Data and External Situational Intelligence to Drive targeted Responses

Understand how your sites and assets may be impacted by developing situations. Place your locations, data centers, vendors and any details that you track on a map and get a powerful overview. Situational intelligence such as weather feeds, natural disaster feeds, or other map-based information can be viewed to make better decisions. Incidents can be launched quickly with a point and click interface that includes items right off the map.

#### Build a Focused Response to an Incident by Selecting Only the Impacted Plans and Functions

Plans can have multiple focus areas and only the areas that apply to the situation can be "activated" to create a targeted plan of action. If the situation calls for more actions, additional parts of any plan can be activated to extend the action plan. This challenging area for many programs becomes an engaging central focus with the Fusion Framework.

### Manage Your Activated Plans from an Interactive Incident Dashboard

The Fusion Framework Incident Dashboard is a full-fledged incident command center. Don't just observe high-level status, but orchestrate the situation. View highlights of the incident, status of the recovery, issues that are being raised, get a view of the map, and more all from the dashboard. Everything is updated in real-time. Changes can be made on the fly and status is automatically integrated with your ENS or IT Service Management using with Fusion connectors.

#### Automate After Action Reporting and Track Plan Remediation Based on Exercises

This wealth of information Fusion tracks during exercises can be fed back into improved plans that drive success based on practices learned. Plans will evolve much faster as a result of experience. Fusion enables you to capture the learnings and generate them into a usable format immediately following the incident or exercise.