
	EMERGENCY MEASURES RADIO GROUP
	OTTAWA ARES

Two Names - One Group - One Purpose

EMRG “Activity Lifecycle” Overview

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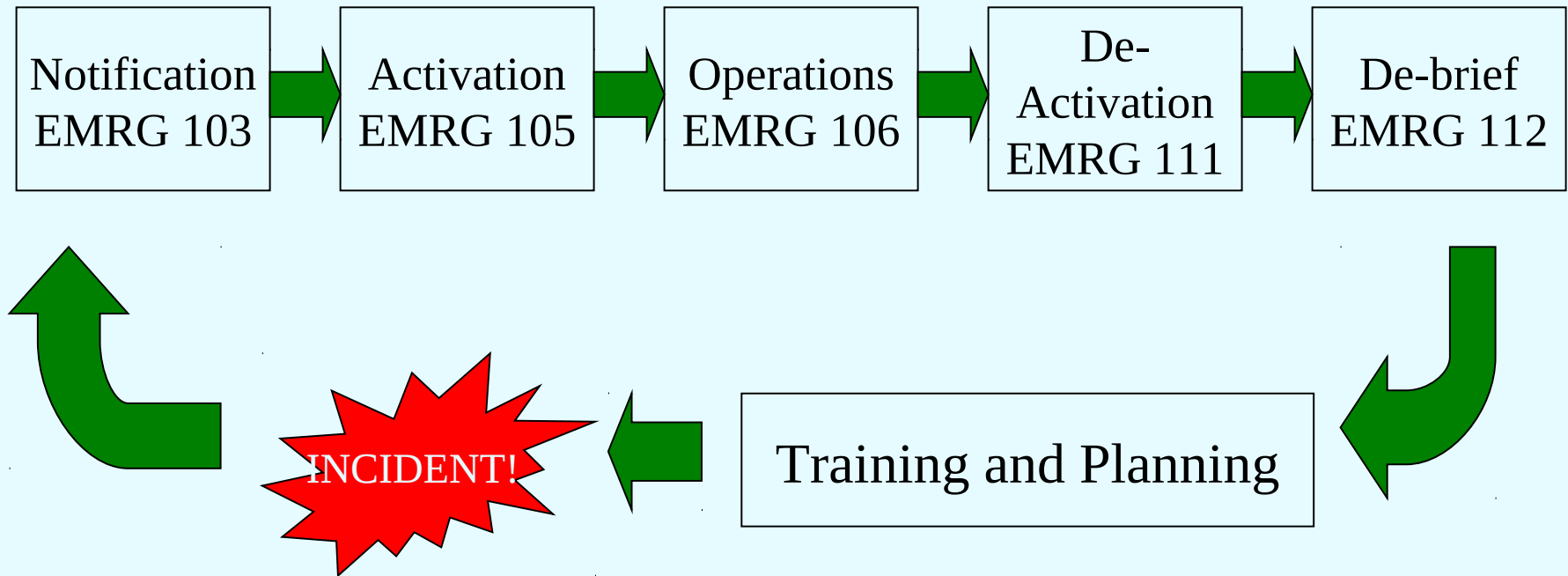
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Purpose

- The purpose of this presentation is to:
 - Describe the “Activity Lifecycle”
 - Provide an overview of the key EMRG official documents
 - Outline recent training activities
 - Plan for next steps

Activity Lifecycle



Notification

- EMRG-103: Notification Plan
- Notification Plan includes:
 - How partner organizations contact EMRG
 - Organizations Supported
 - Response Priority
 - Identification of EMRG Members

Activation

- EMRG 105: Activation Plan
- Activation Plan includes:
 - Contact by Partner Agency
 - Initial Roles and Responsibilities
 - Team Leader
 - Resource Manager
 - Temporary Net Control Operator
 - Net Control Operator at Randall
 - Partner EOC Operator
 - Callout Captain

Operations

- EMRG-106: Operations Plan
- Operation Plan includes:
 - Setup/Start activities of *individual members*
 - Pre-deployment
 - Deployment
 - On Location activities
 - Messages and logging
 - Away from radio
 - Shift Change
 - Shut-Down activities
 - Logs, equipment, communication

De-Activation

- EMRG 111: De-Activation Plan
- De-Activation Plan includes:
 - Sequence of events
in the shut down after an activation
 - Responsibilities of
 - Team Leader
 - Operations Manager
 - Resource Manager
 - Phone Captains
 - Plan for De-Brief

De-Brief

- EMRG-112 De-Brief Plan
 - *Under construction*
 - Purpose is to review the events of the activation and to ensure that any “lessons learned” are incorporated into EMRG planning
- De-Brief plan will contain:
 - Who should attend
 - Debrief purposes
 - Time frame for first and 2nd debrief
 - What happens to information gathered at debrief sessions, and who processes this information

Training and Planning

- Training
 - Training Strategy and Training plan are *under construction* and will be online very soon
- Planning
 - Management Team
 - EMRG-303 Yearly Strategy Plan
 - Partner Relations
 - Input from our partners affects our training plans
 - Regular Meetings
 - meeting feedback, changes, plans

Training (From Training Strategy document, to be published)

INDIVIDUAL PREPAREDNESS

- Family Communication Plans
- Disaster kits
- First Aid Training
- Severe Weather Planning:
snow, ice, thunderstorms etc.

AMATEUR RADIO PREPAREDNESS

- Go Kits: Personal, Packable, Mobile
- Deploy or not?
- Station planning
- Mobile/Portable Operations
- Station Safety
- Adverse Weather
- Community Service

TECHNICAL TRAINING

- Commercial Radios
- Batteries, Packet
- Antennas, Crossband repeaters
- Soldering
- Powerpoles, etc

EMRG RESPONSE TRAINING

- Activation, Operational
- Responding to a Call out
- Message Handling
- Shelter and EOC Communications
- Net Control

PARTNERSHIP AWARENESS RED CROSS, SOCIAL SVCS, HOSPITALS

ADVANCED TRAINING ICS, Facilities, Contacts, Formal

Recent Training

- Sept 2006
 - EMRG Response Training: Pre-deployment Discussion
- May 2006
 - EMRG Response Training: Handoff (EMRG-106)
- Feb 2006
 - Technical Exercise: District packet exercise
- Jan 2006
 - Individual Preparedness: Radio in cold weather
 - Amateur Radio Preparedness: 5 pounds of GO

EMRG Documents

- Most documents are online
 - www.emrg.ca
 - Click “Library”
 - Click “Official documents”
 - Click “Operations”
- Other documents and hardcopies are available from EMRG Management Team
- If you are looking for a document and can't find it on line, ask Peter VE3BQP

Next Steps

- Where do we go from here?
 - What do you think your next training should be?
 - What topics haven't we addressed in our **training plan**?
 - Is there anything we have missed in our **Activity Lifecycle** ?
- In our planning
 - What have we forgotten to plan for?
- Complete and publish Training Strategy and Training Plan
- Update Training content on EMRG web page

Questions / Comments?

Backup Slides

Activity Lifecycle

