



# Ebola Assessment Hospital Course

**Presented by**  
Nebraska Biocontainment Unit

**June 29-30, 2015**  
**August 10-11, 2015**

at the University of Nebraska Medical Center  
Maurer College of Public Health  
519 S 40th Plaza Circle  
Omaha, NE

## Overview

The Ebola Assessment Hospital Course will provide designated Ebola Assessment Centers with the information needed to prepare their facilities and staff to receive, isolate, and care for a patient under investigation for Ebola Virus Disease. Ample time is built into the schedule for discussion of best practices, networking and Q&A with subject matter experts.

## Registration

There is no cost to attend this event, however, we request that attendees register online:

**June 29-30:** [Register Here](#)



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## Continuing Education Credit

8.0 Contact Hours Awarded

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*You must be able to attend the entire presentation to receive contact hours. No partial credit will be awarded.*

## Hotels

### Element Omaha Midtown Crossing

(UNMC rate, based on availability, negotiating 2015 rate/night)

<http://www.elementomahamidtowncrossing.com/set-unmc>

3253 Dodge Street, Omaha, NE 68131, 402.614.8080

### Hyatt Place Omaha/Downtown-Old Market

(UNMC rate, based on availability, \$125/night)

<http://omahadowntownoldmarket.place.hyatt.com/1cdc2015.html>

540 South 12th Street, Omaha, NE 68102, 402-513-5500

## Transportation

Participants may use alternate forms of transportation to the training site (i.e. taxi) - transportation arrangements are the responsibility of the attendee. If shuttle service is available at your hotel, arrangements will need to be confirmed with the hotel staff. If driving, attendees should park in the lot North of the Maurer College of Public Health building and notify registration staff with license plate number and vehicle make/model/year.

## Course Handouts

Handouts and materials will be distributed electronically. No hardcopy materials will be available onsite.

### DAY 1 — June 29, 2015

- 12:00pm Registration & Networking**  
*Lunch provided*
- 12:30pm Welcome & Introductory Remarks**
- 12:45pm Module 1: Overview of Ebola Outbreak and System for US Response**  
Epidemiology of Ebola virus  
2014-2015 Ebola outbreak in west Africa  
Clinical presentation and course of EVD  
Patient under investigation vs. confirmed case  
US screening & evaluation system
- 1:45pm Module 2: Assessment Hospital Preparation**  
Three tiers of healthcare facilities  
Essential elements of assessment hospital preparedness  
PPE
- 3:00pm BREAK**
- 3:15pm Module 3: Patient Placement**  
Safe & effective patient care  
Safe & effective work flow
- 4:00pm Module 4: Environmental Infection Control**  
Rationale for IC  
Protocols  
Patient room preparation  
Disinfectants  
Cleaning & equipment management principles
- 5:00-7:00pm Networking, Review of Assessment Hospital Blueprints, PPE Donning/Doffing & Biocontainment Unit Tours**

### DAY 2 — June 30, 2015

- 7:30am Networking**
- 8:00am Module 5: Waste Management**  
Category A waste management requirements  
Packaging  
Handling liquid waste  
Infectious waste vs. non-infectious waste  
Sequestering medical waste
- 9:00am Module 6: Laboratory Testing & Safety**  
Laboratory risk assessment/mitigation procedures & goals  
Criteria for Ebola testing  
PPE recommendations  
Point of care testing  
Spills, decontamination, waste management
- 10:00am BREAK**
- 10:15am Module 7: Organizational Controls**  
Components of systematic program  
Communications  
Administrative policies
- 11:15am Module 8: Management of the Deceased**  
Care of deceased patient  
Transport and disposition of remains
- 11:45am Q & A Panel**
- 12:15pm Closing Remarks**
- 12:30pm Adjourn**  
*Boxed Lunch available*

There is no conflict of interest for planners, presenters, or faculty involved in this course.

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