



City of Beverly Hills



# C.E.R.T. Community Emergency Response Team Training



## Questions?

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## What is the C.E.R.T. Program?



The City of Beverly Hills Community Emergency Response Training (C.E.R.T.) is designed to teach a person to help themselves, family and neighbors in a disaster situation.

This training covers basic skills that are important to know when emergency services are not immediately available. You can make a difference by using the training to save lives and protect property.

Emergency responders, emergency management personnel, and emergency trained volunteers provide training. Program material covers earthquakes, fires, terrorism, hazardous incidents and other general life-threatening situations.

This Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) certified course does not require previous emergency knowledge for participation.

## What Does a C.E.R.T. Participant Learn?

Community Emergency Response Team Training instructs individuals to prepare and respond to potential hazards following a disaster. Participants will learn to:

- Recognize the potential hazards associated with a particular type of emergency and take the appropriate action.
- Identify, organize and utilize available resources and people.
- Treat for life-threatening condition through Simple Triage and Rapid Treatment (S.T.A.R.T.).

## What Does the C.E.R.T. Involve?

Participants attend a total of seven modules. Classes include lectures, videos, slides, interactive participation and skills assessment. Becoming a member of C.E.R.T. involves a serious time commitment and only those who complete all training may graduate.

## COURSE CONTENT

**Module I:**  
Disaster Preparedness

**Module II:**  
Fire Safety and Utility Controls

**Module III:**  
Medical Operations Part I

**Module IV:**  
Medical Operations Part II

**Module V:**  
Light Search and Rescue

**Module VI:**  
CERT Organization

**Module VII:**  
Disaster Psychology

**Module VIII:**  
Terrorism and CERT

**Module IX:**  
Disaster Simulation

