

Long Term Care Life Safety Code and Emergency Preparedness Essentials “Everything You Want to Know About the Life Safety Code & Disaster Planning, but Are Afraid to Ask”



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AGENDA:

8:30-9:00 REGISTRATION

**9:00-12:00 EDUCATION
SESSION**

12:00-1:00 LUNCH

**1:00-4:00 EDUCATION
SESSION**

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SWEATER OR JACKET FOR
YOUR COMFORT.***

6 LTC Administrator CEUs applied

**Location: Columbia Conference
Center
169 Laurelhurst Ave
Columbia, SC 29210**

This full-day workshop is designed to provide those responsible for maintaining a LTC Facility's fire/life safety and emergency preparedness programs with comprehensive focus on these critical tasks. In addition to providing attendees with strategies and concepts to achieve compliance, the overall goal of this program will be to motivate and coach participants by providing a strong foundational understanding of the risk of fire and other emergencies in LTC facilities as well as the importance of a well-prepared workforce.

Program Objectives:

- Provide attendees with examples of significant historical fires and real-world incidents that have impacted safety compliance.
- Provide attendees with a basic understanding of common fire and life safety deficiencies and appropriate strategies for compliance including the development/sustainment of a safe environment of care.
- Provide attendees with a basic understanding of future regulatory changes on the horizon after CMS adopts the 2012 edition of NFPA #101 and compare/contrast those implications with existing requirements under 200 edition of the code.
- Provide attendees with a basic understanding of disaster planning concepts including the human reaction to crisis/disaster.
- Provide attendees with the regulatory requirements and critical importance of an "All Hazards" approach to disaster planning and emergency management.
- Provide attendees with an understanding of the importance of Hazard Vulnerability Assessment (HVA).
- Provide attendees with a basic understanding of a trusted emergency management model known as the Incident Command System and specifically the Nursing Home Incident Command System.
- Provide attendees with a basic understanding of CMS' proposed rule change on Emergency Preparedness and potential future compliance