Emergency management training is required for all personnel involved in emergency operations. The level of training will vary with the emergency role. The training levels are outlined below.

1. **Foundation**
   - Foundation training provides an overview of emergency management arrangements in NSW, and the role of NSW DPI and supporting organisations.
   - Completed by all personnel that have an interest in emergency operations and are likely to participate in an emergency response.

2. **Responder**
   - Responder training provides skills and knowledge to complete tasks in emergency operations.
   - Completed by personnel performing support and field roles in emergency operations.

3. **Supervisor - Team Leader**
   - Supervisor team/crew leader training builds on Responder training, providing supervisor and leadership skills.
   - Completed by personnel leading 1-5 teams.
   - Biosecurity Site Supervisor training can be included in this level.

3. **Supervisor - Group Leader**
   - Supervisor group leader training builds on Team Leader training, providing staff, management and leadership skills.
   - Completed by personnel leading more than 5 teams, eg IMT staff roles, operations units managers, forward command post Commanders.

4. **Command & Management (IMT)**
   - Command and Management (Incident Management Team) training provides incident control skills for personnel employed as Officers at state or local coordination centres.
   - Completed by personnel in IMT roles. Training streams include Planning, Operations, Logistics and Incident Control.
   - Training includes workshops and exercises.

5. **Major Incident Controller**
   - Major Incident Controller training builds on Command & Management - Incident Control training.
   - Completed by personnel that have been identified to be IC in major (Level 3+) incidents.
   - This multi-agency training is by invitation only with very limited positions.
More information


EMTrain is the learning management system used by DPI to manage all emergency management training.

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