
G318 Local Mitigation Planning Workshop

Introductions and Overview



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- **Administrative**
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Administrative

- Emergency exits
- Restrooms
- Cell phones
- Break schedule



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Workshop Organization

**Module 1:
Planning
Process**

**Module 2:
Risk
Assessment**

**Module 3:
Mitigation
Strategy**

**Module 4:
Community
Resilience in
Action**



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Workshop Goal

To provide plan developers with the information necessary to prepare and implement a local hazard mitigation plan



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Workshop Objectives

At the end of this workshop, participants will be able to:

- **Define hazard mitigation and identify the benefits of mitigation planning**
- **Develop or update a local mitigation plan**
- **Identify resources and guidance available for mitigation planning and plan implementation**



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Module Goals

- **Module 1: Planning Process**
 - Participants will effectively engage their community in an open public involvement process that leads to the development of a comprehensive approach to risk reduction and an effective mitigation plan
- **Module 2: Risk Assessment**
 - Participants will conduct a hazard risk assessment that forms a factual basis for mitigation actions appropriate for their community



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Module Goals

- **Module 3: Mitigation Strategy**
 - **Participants will develop their goals and actions for reducing potential losses to hazard risks based on existing local capabilities**
- **Module 4: Community Resilience in Action**
 - **Participants will have the knowledge, tools, and resources to effectively implement their community's hazard mitigation plan**



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Participant Introductions

HELLO
my name is

Name

Position and organization

Mitigation planning experience

Workshop expectations



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Participant Responsibilities

- Ask questions
- Share experiences
- Participate in activities



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Workshop Materials

- Student Manual
- Plan Development Resources
 - Attachment A: Local Mitigation Planning Handbook
 - Attachment B: Local Mitigation Plan Review Tool
 - FEMA Mitigation Planning Web site:
<http://www.fema.gov/multi-hazard-mitigation-planning>



The screenshot shows the FEMA website's navigation menu and the 'Multi-Hazard Mitigation Planning' page. The navigation menu includes: Plan, Prepare & Mitigate; Disaster Survivor Assistance; Response & Recovery; Topics & Audiences; Blog, Newsroom, Videos & Photos; and About FEMA. The main content area features a breadcrumb trail: Plan, Prepare & Mitigate > Protecting Our Communities > Multi-Hazard Mitigation Planning. A search bar is located at the top right. The page title is 'Multi-Hazard Mitigation Planning' with a 'Share/Email This Page' button. A sidebar on the left lists: Safer, Stronger, Protected Homes & Communities; Protecting Homes; Protecting Our Communities; and Mitigation Planning for Communities. The main text explains that 'Mitigation Plans' form the foundation for a community's long-term strategy to reduce disaster losses and break the cycle of disaster damage, reconstruction, and repeated damage. It also lists three links: 'Why does my community need a mitigation plan?', 'How do I develop a mitigation plan?', and 'Does my community have a mitigation plan?'.



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Questions?



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