Post-Course Assessment

(Please use the Answer Sheet to record your responses.)

NOTE: The numbers refer to each unit and the objective that is addressed by the question.)

- According to the National Donations Management Strategy, who is the preferred recipient of cash donations from the general public, including the private sector? (Objective 1.2)
 - a. FEMA
 - b. Disaster survivors
 - c. County Elected Officials
 - d. Local Emergency Management (EM)
 - e. Voluntary Organizations

2.	List three reasons why people volunteer or donate goods during a disaster. (Objective 3.1)

- 3. When should volunteer and donations planning activities begin? (Objective 8.1)
 - a. When the flood gauges are rising on the local rivers.
 - b. In peace time, by writing your plan.
 - c. After the disaster has occurred.
- 4. Which of the following are benefits to collaboration? (Objective 2.1)
 - a. Expanded resource availability.
 - b. Reduction of duplication of services.
 - c. The ability to provide services to diverse groups.
 - d. Enhanced problem-solving.
 - e. All of the above.
- 5. Which of the following are examples of ways to educate the public about how to donate and volunteer appropriately? (Objective 3.2)
 - a. By promoting appropriate messaging on Websites.
 - b. Educating members of the media.
 - c. Putting reminders in organizational newsletters.
 - d. Raising the issue in public media opportunities.
 - e. All of the above.

- 6. A Volunteer Reception Center is designed to serve as a point of mobilization which can make the best possible use of unaffiliated volunteers by helping them to respond more effectively to critical community needs. (Objective 5.4)
 - a. True
 - b. False
- 7. If you have a computer to track inventory, there is no need to have a back-up system. (Objective 7.1)
 - a. True
 - b. False
- 8. An unaffiliated volunteer is well trained on specific tasks managed by a recognized disaster organization. (Objective 5.1)
 - a. True
 - b. False
- 9. Which of the following are actions local communities need to implement in regard to spontaneous volunteers? (Circle all that apply.) (Objective 5.2)
 - a. Keep volunteers safe while serving.
 - b. Direct volunteers to organizations that may be able to use them.
 - c. Let volunteers find their own ways to help disaster victims.
 - d. Ensure volunteers are trained and supervised by an organization.
 - e. Use the media to get massive amounts of volunteers.
- 10. Voluntary organizations are the best recipients of cash. (Objective 6.3)
 - a. True
 - b. False