ICS-400 – ADVANCED ICS
COMMAND AND GENERAL STAFF – COMPLEX INCIDENTS

STUDENT MANUAL
OCTOBER 2013

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UNIT 1: COURSE OVERVIEW

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Your Notes

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Visuals

Instructor Expectations

- Cooperate with the group.
- Be open minded to new ideas.
- Participate actively in all of the training activities.
- Return to class at the stated time.
- Use what you learn in the course to perform effectively within an ICS organization.

Visual 1.5
Course Overview

ICS Challenges in Complex Incidents

What challenges do you face in managing complex incidents?

Visual 1.6
Course Overview

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Course Structure

Unit 1: Course Overview	Unit 2: Fundamentals Review
Unit 3: Major and/or Complex Incident/ Event Management	Unit 4: Area Command
Unit 5: Multiagency Coordination	Unit 6: Course Summary

Visual 1.7
Course Overview

Course Logistics

- Course agenda
- Sign-in sheet
- Housekeeping
  - Breaks
  - Message and telephone location
  - Cell phone policy
  - Facilities
  - Other concerns

Visual 1.8
Course Overview

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Successful Course Completion

- **Participate in unit activities.**
- **Achieve 70% or higher on the final exam.**
- **Complete the end-of-course evaluation.**

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Visual 1.9
Course Overview

View the sample agenda on the next page.

Your Notes

**ICS-400: Advanced ICS for
Command and General Staff, Complex Incidents, and MACS
Sample Agenda**

<u>**DAY 1**</u>

Morning Session

- Unit 1: Course Overview (1 hour)
- Unit 2: Fundamentals Review for Command and General Staff (3 hours)

Afternoon Session

- Unit 3: Major and/or Complex Incident/Event Management (3 hours)

<u>**DAY 2**</u>

Morning Session

- Unit 4: Area Command (3 hours)

Afternoon Session

- Unit 5: Multiagency Coordination (3 hours)
- Unit 6: Course Summary (1 hour)