Workshop 1: Natural Disaster Awareness for Community Leaders

Monday, April 21st 6:00 pm-10:00pm

Located in Waikiki Elementary Cafeteria

For: citizens, community volunteers, religious organizations, business community, civic groups, elected officials, and the general public.

- Identify natural hazards and understand vulnerability factors
- Describe the differences between preparing for disaster consequences (preparedness) and reducing the hazard (mitigation)
- Describe how and why prepared community groups and organized partnerships build disaster resilience for the entire community.



Community leaders have the responsibility and opportunity to enhance their communities' ability to prepare for, mitigate, respond to, and recover from all forms of disasters. This course will help to enhance these individuals' understanding of disasters, risk assessment in the

context of disaster management, prevailing emergency management procedures and operations, and the different vulnerability factors that exist within their local communities.

Workshop 2: Natural Disaster Awareness for Caregivers of Seniors

Monday, May 12th 6:00pm -10:00pm

Located in Waikiki Elementary Cafeteria

For: emergency managers, general public, and health care providers including family members, friends, personal attendants, home health agencies, in-house services, roommates, and medical personnel.

- Identify the natural disasters that may affect an eldercare facility or home and explain how risks associated with hazards are identified may be minimized.
- Describe the constraints and vulnerability factors associated with senior citizens.
- Application of knowledge of materials for at-risk senior citizens and their caregivers impacted by tsunami, hurricane, or tornado.

Senior citizens are particularly vulnerable to natural hazards. Factors such as physical limitations, mental ailments, and medication requirements are issues of concern for caregivers of senior citizens. These specific needs, amongst other considerations for natural hazards, must be addressed in preparedness plans for these at-risk citizens.

This course is designed to enhance the caregiver's awareness of vulnerability factors associated with senior citizens. Participants will learn how to identify, prepare, and perform a number of support activities that will ensure the safety and security of senior citizens when a natural hazard event occurs. Particular attention is directed toward developing an awareness of the preparedness and response needs of all senior citizens, inclusive of economic, medical, cognitive and mobility determinants.



Register online at: https://ndptc.hawaii.edu

Or contact to register over the phone: Rebecca Michaelis KCC Service Learning Coordinator (808) 734-9503 <u>rm35@hawaii.edu</u> Do you know what actions to take before and during a Tsunami or Natural Disaster?



Get ready now and join us at 1 or 2 upcoming workshops at Waikiki Elementary School to learn about Natural Disaster Awareness

and, let us build a resilient community together through training.

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Call today to reserve: limited to the first 35 participants!

