



**EXPLOSIVES AND BLAST INJURIES**

**Course: ETBI - Evaluation and Treatment of Blast Injuries**

**No. of Openings: 100**

**SARATOGA COUNTY**

**1 DAY**

**DATE: OCTOBER 17, 2015**

**ANNOUNCED: AUGUST 14, 2015**

In corporation with the New York State Division of Homeland Security and Emergency Services, Office of Counter Terrorism, the Federal Bureau of Investigation – Albany Field Office, New York State Police – Bomb Squad, Albany Medical Center and South Glens Falls Fire Company will be offering this class.

**Location:** South Glens Falls Fire Company, Station #2  
Route 197  
Fort Edward, NY 12828

**Registration begins at 8:30 am**  
**Course runs from 9:00 am – 2:30 pm**

**Description:**

This course provides instruction on recognition, medical preparedness, and response for incidents involving energetic materials (explosives and incendiaries). Classroom presentations address potential terrorist bombing targets in US communities, common military and commercial explosives available to terrorists and other extremists, and evaluation and treatment of blast injuries associated with these explosives. This course culminates with a live demonstration of various explosives first responders could encounter, reinforcing classroom material and establishing an appreciation for the potential impact of explosive devices.

*Live explosives demonstration portion of the course will be at a location nearby, announced in class. Transportation will be the responsibility of the course participant.*

**Who Should Attend?**

- Emergency Medical Services
- Tactical Medical Personnel
- Emergency Room/Hospital Providers
- Law Enforcement
- Fire Service
- Hazardous Materials Personnel

**Course Objectives:**

- Describe energetic materials and physics of explosions;
- List some common chemical precursors and recognize components;
- Classify blast injuries and predict involvement of organ systems;
- Describe the pre-hospital and inpatient evaluation and treatment of blast injuries;
- List special evaluation and treatment considerations in blast victims; and
- Have a higher level of respect for the destructive potential of energetic materials that may be used by terrorists or Homegrown Violent Extremists (HVEs)

**Registration:** The Statewide Learning Management System (SLMS) <https://www.nyslearn.ny.gov/> will be used for course registration. *If you already have an account within SLMS please choose SLMS Login, if you are new to the system please choose First Time Logging.*

Please click on the link below for information on how to validate/obtain an account within the New York State Learning Management System.

[http://www.dhses.ny.gov/training/slms/SLMS\\_ExternalUserRegistration.pdf](http://www.dhses.ny.gov/training/slms/SLMS_ExternalUserRegistration.pdf)

**Registration Deadline: October 3, 2015**

**Cost:** There is no fee for the course. Thanks to the South Glens Falls Fire Company for donating classroom space. Travel and meals are the responsibility of the participant.

**Completion:** Participants, who actively participate will receive a Certificate of Attendance for the course.

# TRAINING NOTICE

**Contact:** NYS Office of Emergency Management - Training & Exercises at (518) 292-2351 or [OEM.training@dhses.ny.gov](mailto:OEM.training@dhses.ny.gov)