

CERT Curriculum

CERT is Neighbor-Helping-Neighbor, doing the greatest good for the greatest number of people.

Introduction: Emergency Preparedness

Disaster workers, Concord first responders, personal, family, neighborhood and workplace preparedness.

Fire Safety

Concord firefighting resources safety, and fire suppression, fire extinguishers, utilities...when and how to shut them off.

Emergency Medical-Part I

Recognizing and treating life threatening conditions and triage

Emergency Medical-Part II

Organization of disaster medical operations, head-to-toe assessments; establishing treatment areas, Concord public health considerations

Light Search and Rescue Operations

Planning, neighborhood resources, conducting search/rescue

CERT Organization + Neighborhood Networks

Decision-making, neighborhood communication, FRS orientation

Disaster Psychology

Teams well-being, working with survivors' of disasters or emergency situations

Animals in Disaster

Planning to care for our pets during an emergency.

Course Review and Disaster Simulation

Course review; disaster simulation; and exercise critique and summary

For more information on CERT training in general, go to www.citizencorps.gov/cert/ -- for training in Concord, contact Adult & Community Education at ace@colonial.net or 978 318-1540.

***Next Training Dates:
October 16, 19, 23, 30; November 2, 6, 18, 2006***