

ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH TEAM LEADER

TYPE	TYPE 1	NO TYPE 2
DESCRIPTION	The Environmental Health Team Leader: 1. Supervises overall team operations and the assessment process 2. Compiles and coordinates team information; relays information and recommendations to incident command as necessary	Not Applicable
CATEGORY	CRITERIA	CRITERIA
EDUCATION	Bachelor of science degree in environmental science, environmental engineering, public health, biology, biomedical sciences, natural science, physical science, engineering, industrial hygiene, or related field NOTES: Not Specified	Not Applicable
TRAINING	Completion of the following: 1. IS-100: Introduction to the Incident Command System, ICS-100 2. IS-200: Incident Command System for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents 3. ICS-300: Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents 4. IS-700: National Incident Management System, An Introduction 5. IS-800: National Response Framework, An Introduction 6. Training in accordance with the Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) 29 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 1910.120: Hazardous Materials Awareness NOTES: Not Specified	Not Applicable
EXPERIENCE	Three years of experience, including two years of supervisory experience, in a public health program or public health agency, or service commensurate with the mission assignment NOTES: Not Specified	Not Applicable
PHYSICAL/MEDICAL FITNESS	1. Performs duties under arduous circumstances characterized by working consecutive 12-hour days under physical and emotional stress for sustained periods of time 2. Is able to work while wearing appropriate Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) 3. Maintains immunizations in accordance with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) immunization recommendations NOTES: PPE is mission specific and may vary by work environment; it includes protective footwear, protective clothing for skin exposure, eye and ear protection, respirators, gloves, and masks.	Not Applicable

OBSOLETE

Superseded



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CURRENCY	1. Functions in this position during an operational incident, exercise, drill, or simulation at least once every two years 2. Keeps immunizations up to date and commensurate with mission assignment	Not Applicable
	NOTES: Not Specified	
PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS	Relevant Environmental Health professional certification or license of legal authority to function in the Authority Having Jurisdiction (AHJ), if applicable; granting entity may include state, District of Columbia, tribe, U.S. territory, or professional organization	Not Applicable
	NOTES: Professional or specialty certification/license may include Certified Industrial Hygienist (CIH), Registered Environmental Health Specialist (REHS), Registered Hazardous Substances Specialist (RHSS), and Certified Professional- Food Safety (CP-FS), or Registered Sanitarian (RS).	

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ORDERING SPECIFICATIONS OR DESIGNATIONS

1. (X) Can be ordered as an individual asset
2. (X) Can be ordered in conjunction with a NIMS typed team (Environmental Health Team)
3. () Can be ordered in conjunction with a NIMS typed unit
4. Discuss logistics for deploying this position, such as security, lodging, transportation, and meals, prior to deployment
5. This position typically works 12 hours per shift, is self-sustainable for 72 hours, and is deployable for up to 14 days

REFERENCES

1. FEMA, NIMS 508: Environmental Health Team
2. FEMA, NIMS 509: Environmental Health Specialist
3. FEMA, NIMS Guideline for the National Qualification System, November 2017
4. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) 29 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 1910.120: Hazardous Materials Awareness, latest edition adopted
5. U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Immunization Recommendations for Disaster Responders

NOTES

Nationally typed resources represent the minimum criteria for the associated category.