



Kentucky State Fire School

Lexington, KY
June 11-15, 2025



108 Kentucky Urban Search and Rescue Operations

This course provides a foundational understanding of the Kentucky Urban Search and Rescue (US&R) system, tailored for emergency responders and support personnel. Participants will explore the essential components of US&R operations, focusing on: 1. Kentucky US&R System Overview: An introduction to the structure, roles, and responsibilities within the state's US&R framework. 2. Developing Mission Ready Packages (MRPs): Training in creating and implementing MRPs, ensuring teams are adequately prepared for diverse emergency scenarios. 3. Local and Regional Team Integration: Strategies for effective collaboration among local and regional teams, emphasizing communication and resource sharing during disaster response. 4. Future of Disaster Response in the Commonwealth: Insights into emerging trends, technologies, and strategies shaping the future of emergency response in Kentucky. 5. Hands-on components of shoring operations.

PRE-REQUISITES/EQUIPMENT NEEDED

Students will need to bring a helmet, eye protection, gloves, steel-toed boots and outerwear (extrication coveralls or turnout gear **or** long-sleeved pants & long-sleeve shirt).

*Classroom session for this class will be held on-site; hands-on training will be held off-site.
This 4-day course will be offered Thursday-Sunday.*

Lead Instructor: Doug Hargreaves, Kentucky Emergency Management

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