

Transportation Emergency Preparedness Program (TEPP)

**Southern States Energy Board (SSEB) Radioactive
Materials Transportation Committee and Transuranic
Waste Transportation Working Group Meeting**

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TEPP Update

Presentation Topics

- Completed FY 2024 Training and Exercise Activities
- Projected FY 2024 Training and Exercise Activities
- 2024 MERRTT Revisions
- Improvement Projects
- Website Resources



FY 2024 National Training Activities

Completed training sessions and headcount for FY 2024 by Regional Government Groups

- Western – 26 DOE TEPP classes training 379 responders
- Midwest – 3 DOE TEPP classes training 46 responders
- Northeast – 22 DOE TEPP classes, 2 state-lead classes, training 304 responders
- Southern – 54 DOE TEPP classes, 11 state-lead classes, training 1072 responders



Completed FY 2024 SSEB Training and Exercise Activities

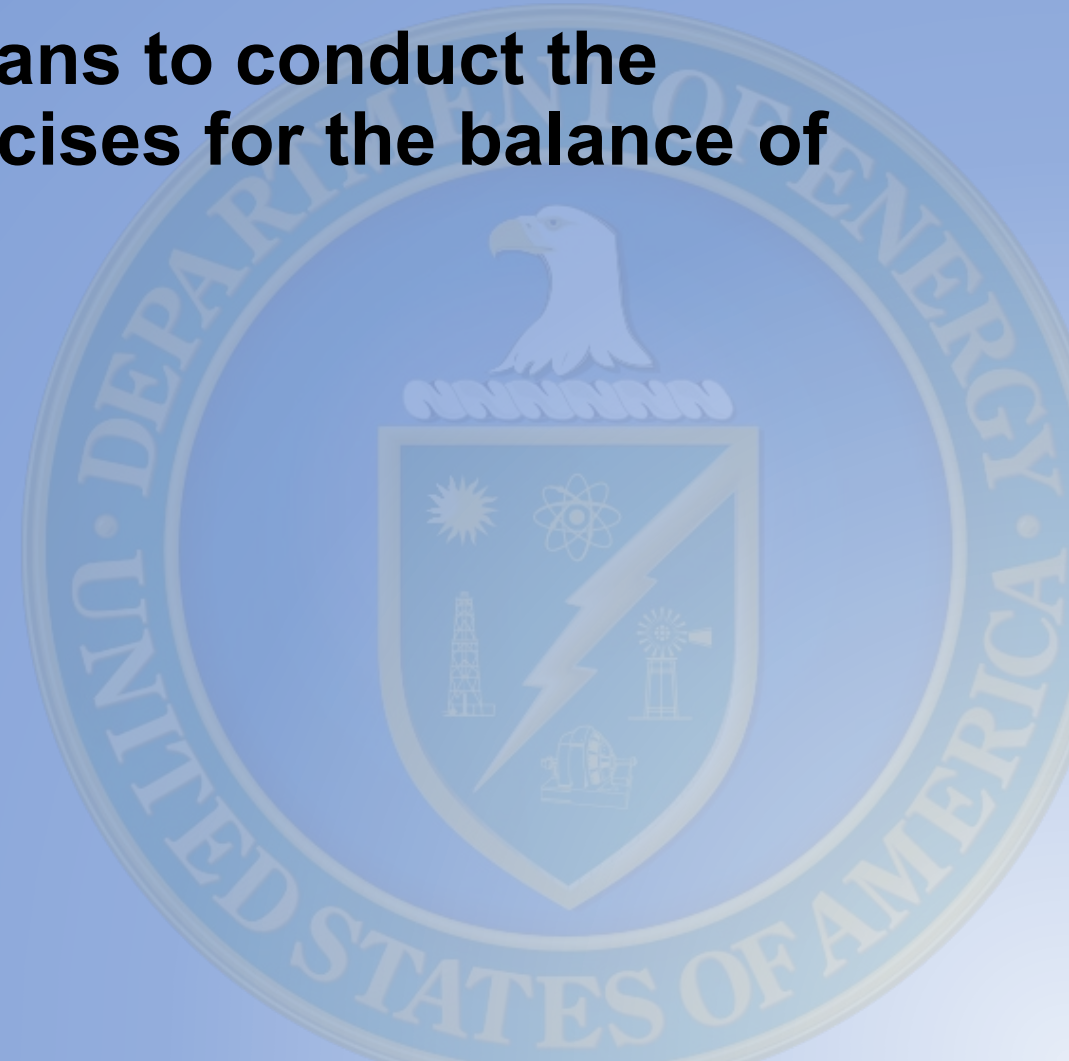
Completed 65 classes, including 1 full-scale exercise. Training a total of 1072 responders.

FYTD 2024 SSEB Training										
State	Total Classes	TTT	Full	CMERRTT	Partial	TMERRTT	Hospital	FSX	Total Trained	CEH
Arkansas	6					86			86	0
Florida	1			5					5	0
Georgia	3		52						52	37
Kentucky	1		14	2					16	3
Maryland	10			52		46			98	32
Missouri	10	10	43	44	2	40			139	57
North Carolina	5	1	27	40	2		18		88	35
South Carolina	6	17	15	35	1	38			106	29
Tennessee	9		9	83					92	62
Texas	4			36		16		152	204	23
Virginia	10		25	161					186	138
Total	65	28	185	458	5	226	18	152	1072	416

Projected FY 2024 SSEB States Training and Exercise Activities

Based on available funding, TEPP plans to conduct the following training sessions and exercises for the balance of FY 2024 across the southern states

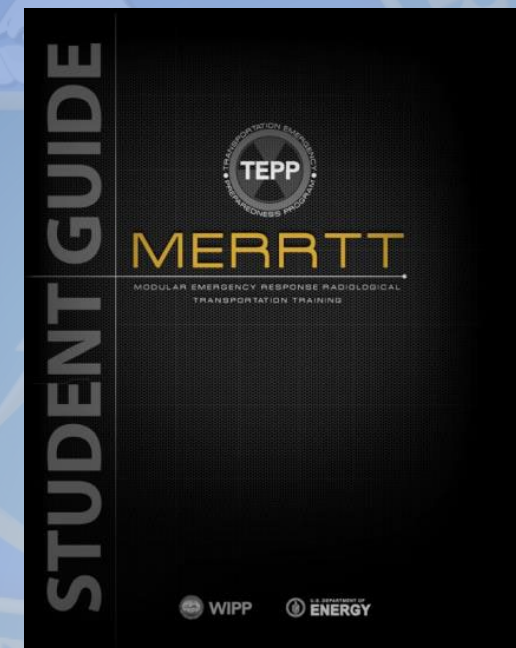
- ~ 20 MERRTT or CMERRTT sessions
- ~ 10 TMERRTT sessions
- ~ 6 Train-the-Trainer sessions



2024 MERRTT Revision Status

2024 MERRTT revision cycle began in early 2023

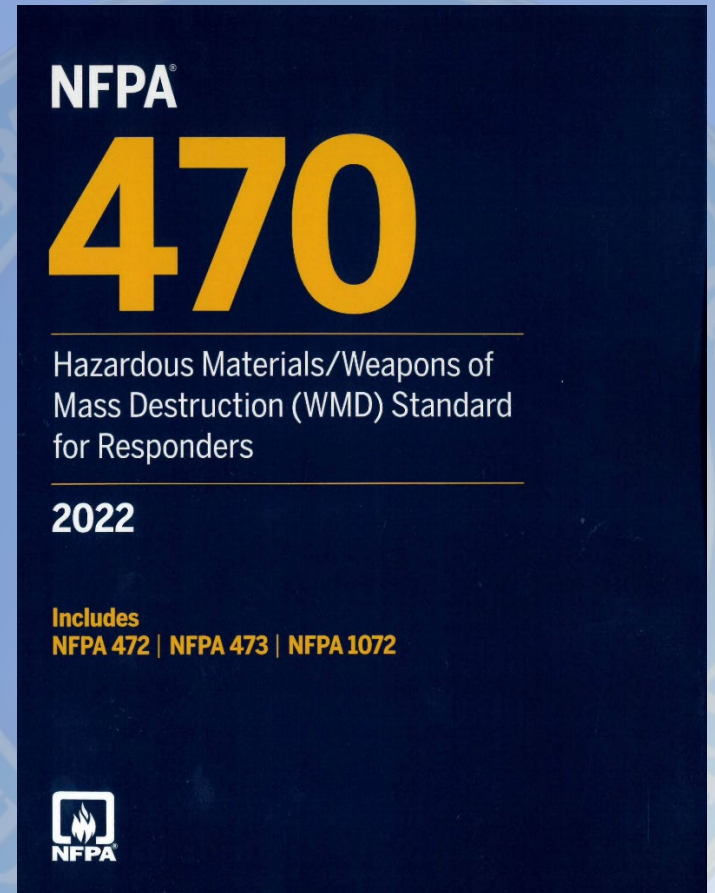
- Deleted Module 15 Public Information Officer, incorporated that information into Module 9 DOE Resources and Support
- Added two new incidents to Module 14 Case Histories
- Updated Module 13 WIPP - numbers
- Module 8 added law enforcement officer decontamination dress down information and job aid reference
- Graphic and picture updates throughout training program



TEPP Improvement Projects

Agency Cooperation

TEPP continues to work with the National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) on Standard 470 Hazardous Materials/Weapons of Mass Destruction (WMD) Standard for Responders



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TEPP continues to work with the Federal Emergency Management Agency Center for Domestic Preparedness (Anniston, AL)

- Continue to offer MERRTT as a part of the FEMA Radiological Instructor Series
- Participating in National Radiological Training Coordinating Group (NRTC)



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- TEPP continues to use CBRNResponder in advanced level classes
- Office of Secure Transportation (OST) partnership has evolved. OST agents assist with training in select MERRTT classes



Office of Secure Transportation

National Nuclear Security Administration

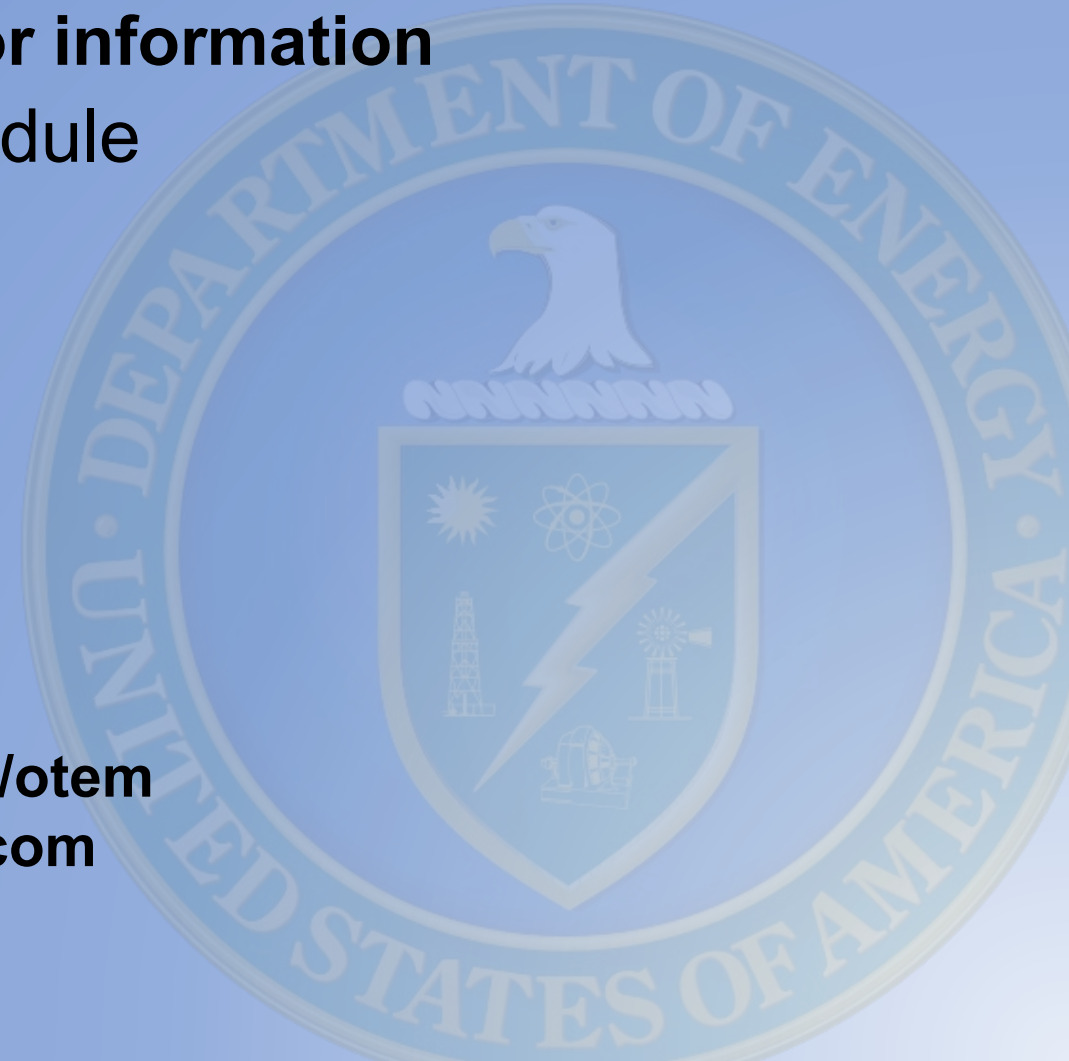


Website Resources

The TEPP website provides one-stop for information

- National Training and Exercise Schedule
- State 24-Hour Points of Contact
- Needs Assessment
- Model Procedures
- Exercise Planning Resources
- TEPP Central Operations Contact

www.em.doe.gov/otem
www.teppinfo.com



Questions

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