



# PER-222

The **National Center for Biomedical Research and Training (NCBRT)** at **Louisiana State University** invites you to join us for a unique training opportunity. The NCBRT is offering the following Department of Homeland Security (DHS) certified course:  
**Public Safety WMD Response — Sampling Techniques and Guidelines (PER-222)**

This course addresses specific fundamentals and skills associated with an emergency response to a WMD incident. As such, it provides detailed technical information and includes hands-on practice of actions required of emergency responders in such situations.

Participants are provided the opportunity to perform public safety sampling techniques required in the response to a WMD event. Of special interest is the course's emphasis on collecting forensically valid samples, which is accomplished through maintaining a secure chain-of-custody for the sample from the time of collection through laboratory analysis. This process is consistent with the FBI 12-step process for managing a crime scene, including those involving a WMD.

**Professional Disciplines:** Law Enforcement, Fire Service, Hazardous Materials Personnel, Public Health

The target audience for the **Direct Delivery** version of this course includes:

- Emergency responders most likely to be called upon to operate within the exclusion zone of a WMD incident involving hazardous materials

- Responders able to utilize personal protective equipment (PPE) at Level C or higher, employ monitoring and detection devices and procedures, and obtain samples from the scene for analysis
- Responders who work with HazMat teams in roles that do not require exclusion zone entry
- Personnel responsible for receiving and transporting a public safety sample from the HazMat team to a laboratory

Date: November 15th, 16th and 17th, 2016

Location: Middlesex County Fire Academy  
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