

# EPA Reg 8 Training & Exercises - January 1, 2015 to December 31, 2015 (Subject to Change)

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## EPA Reg 8 T&E Priorities 2015

**Priority 1:** Oil Emergency Response and Readiness

**Priority 2:** Hazmat Emergency Response and Readiness

**Priority 3:** Regional Emergency Operations Center (REOC) and Incident Management Team (IMT) Operations

**Priority 4:** Response Support Corps (RSC) and RSC Special Teams Preparedness

**Priority 5:** Communications to Management and Roles and Responsibilities for an Incident Response

**Priority 6:** Building Relationships with Federal Agencies, States/Tribes, Locals and Industry

### KEY

Participated Exercises

Upcoming Exercises

Could not  
Participate/Cancelled

Postponed

Trainings/Workshops  
**Bold - Oil/Petroleum  
Response Exercises and  
Trainings**

GIUE-Government Initiated  
Unannounced Exercise

Exercise	Location	Type	Date(s)	Sponsor	POC	EPA R8 Role/Participant(s)	Reg 8 T&E Priority
<b>Oil Spill Response Training</b>	<b>Price, UT</b>	<b>Workshop/Training</b>	<b>2nd Qtr</b>	<b>1/28-30/15</b>	<b>Joyel Dhieux</b>	<b>1-2 OSC's, Local Responders, Industry</b>	<b>Priority 1,6</b>
FEMA Chemical Event TTX	Lakewood, CO (Fed Center)	TTX/Webinar	02/03/15	FEMA	Luke Chavez	Luke C, Lori R	Priority 2,3,6
<b>Yellowstone Sub Area Contingency Plan - TTX</b>	<b>Billings, MT</b>	<b>TTX</b>	<b>02/05/15</b>	<b>EPA Region 8</b>	<b>Steve Merritt</b>	<b>Steve M, Luke C, Seagull</b>	<b>Prioritiy 1,3,5,6</b>
<b>OSC Training Week-Mercury Guidance</b>	<b>Denver, CO</b>	<b>Workshop/Training</b>	<b>03/02/15</b>	<b>EPA Region 8</b>	<b>Kerry Guy</b>	<b>Reg 8 OSC's</b>	<b>Priority 1,2</b>
<b>OSC Training Week-Response Equipment</b>	<b>Denver, CO</b>	<b>Workshop/Training</b>	<b>03/02/15</b>	<b>EPA Region 8</b>	<b>Kerry Guy</b>	<b>Reg 8 OSC's</b>	<b>Priority 1,2</b>
Field Comms and Data Mgt Exercise	Denver, CO	Workshop/Training	03/03/15	EPA Region 8	Kerry Guy	Reg 8 OSC's, Preparedness staff	Priority 1,2
OSC Training Week-Level A Field Exercise	Denver, CO	Workshop/Training	03/03/15	EPA Region 8	Kerry Guy	Reg 8 OSC's	Priority 1,2
<b>OSC Training Week-Contracts (ERRS and START)</b>	<b>Denver, CO</b>	<b>Workshop/Training</b>	<b>03/05/15</b>	<b>EPA Region 8</b>	<b>Kerry Guy</b>	<b>Reg 8 OSC's</b>	<b>Priority 1,2</b>
<b>OSC Training Week-Quality Assurance</b>	<b>Denver, CO</b>	<b>Workshop/Training</b>	<b>03/05/15</b>	<b>EPA Region 8</b>	<b>Kerry Guy</b>	<b>Reg 8 OSC's</b>	<b>Priority 1,2</b>
TTX	Watford City, ND	TTX	3/10-11/15	Tesoro Pipeline	Steve Way	Steve W	Priority 1,5,6

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Adams County ESF 10 Annex TTX	Adams County, CO	TTX	03/10/15	Emergency Management	Luke C/Adams County EM	Luke C	Priority 1,2,5,6
Respond Wyoming Conference	Riverton, WY	Workshop	3/11-13/15	WY Law Enforcement Academy	Luke Chavez	Luke C	Priority 2,6
Utah LEPC Conference	Provo, UT	Workshop	03/11/15	EPA Region 8/UT DHS	Kathie Atencio	Kathie A, Gina C, Bernadette R, Rebecca B, Lori R	Priority 1,2,6
Calumet Montana Refining TTX	Great Falls, MT	TTX	03/12/15	Calumet Montana Refining, LLC	Craig Myers	Can't Participate	Priority 1,5,6
Oil Spill Response Training	??	Workshop/Training	2nd Qtr	EPA Region 8	Steve Merritt	1-2 OSC's, Prep staff, Local Responders, Industry	Priority 1,6
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Colorado River Sub Area TTX	Summit, Eagle, Grand Counties	Workshop	2nd Qtr	EPA Region 8	Craig Myers	Fed, State and Local Partners	Priority 1,5,6
Colorado River Sub Area TTX	Garfield, Mesa Counties	Workshop	2nd Qtr	EPA Region 8	Craig Myers	Fed, State and Local Partners	Priority 1,5,6
National TEPW	National Conf Call/Webinar	TEPW	04/01/15	EPA HQ	Roberta Runge HQ/ Luke C Reg 8	EPA HQ, All Regions, Luke C Region 8	N/A
FEMA Reg 8 RISC Meeting	Jefferson County Fairgrounds, CO	Seminar	04/02/15	FEMA Reg 8	Kathie Atencio	Kathie A, Luke C, Gina C	Priority 1,2,6
Mid-Missour River sACP TTX	Lake Sakakawea area, ND County 1	TTX	3rd Qtr	EPA/ND/TAT	Steve Way/Luke Chavez	Steve W, Luke C, ND EM staff, TAT staff	Priority 1,5,6
Mid-Missour River sACP TTX	Lake Sakakawea area, ND County 2	TTX	3rd Qtr	EPA/ND/TAT	Steve Way/Luke Chavez	Steve W, Luke C, ND EM staff, TAT staff	Priority 1,5,6
CSEPP Annual Exercise	Pueblo, CO	FSE	05/06/15	Colorado CSEPP	Richard Graham	Richard G	Priority 3,5,6
Regional Response Team (RRT)	Denver, CO	Workshop/Seminar	05/5-6/15	EPA Region 8, USCG	Gina Cristiano	P&P Staff, OSC's	Priority 1,2,6
Enbridge Pipeline FSE	Minot, ND	FSE	5/5,6/15	Enbridge Pipeline, ND	Luke Chavez	Luke C, Shun Ping Chau	Priority 1,3,5,6
NORAD/NORTHCOM CBRN Conference ??	Colorado Springs, CO Peterson AFB	Workshop, TTX	??	US NORTHCOM	Luke Chavez	Luke C, Steve M, Richard G	Priority 2,5,6
Training	Towaoc, CO	hop	3rd Qtr	EPA Region 8	Luke Chavez	Local Industry	Priority 1,2,5,6
Operation Phoenix - Rad/Nuc CONOPS	Denver, CO	TTX	05/19/15	Safety/Homeland Security	Luke Chavez	Luke C, OSC	Priority 2,5,6

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Water Decon TTX	?? Region 8	TTX	06/01/15	EPA HQ/EPA Reg 8	Michael Copeland	Michael C, Laura FJ, Luke C	Priority 2,5,6
Operation Safe Delivery	Montana	TTX	06/01/15	FEMA HQ	FEMA R8/ EPA R8 Luke Chavez	Luke C, Duc N??, OSC, Mgt	Priority 1,5,6
Oil Spill Response Training	Salt Lake City, UT	Workshop/Tra ning	6/8-10/15	EPA Region 8	Joyel Dhieux	1-2 OSC's, Local Responders, Industry	Priority 1,6
Oil Spill Response Training	Ogden, UT	Workshop/Tra ning	6/10-12/15	EPA Region 8	Joyel Dhieux	1-2 OSC's, Local Responders, Industry	Priority 1,6
Oil Spill Response Training	Summit/Eagle County, CO	Workshop/Tra ning	07/13/15	EPA Region 8	Craig Myers	1-2 OSC's, Prep staff, Local Responders, Industry	Priority 1,6
Oil Spill Response Training	Grand County, CO	Workshop/Tra ning	07/14/15	EPA Region 8	Craig Myers	1-2 OSC's, Prep staff, Local Responders, Industry	Priority 1,6
Oil Spill Response Training	La Plata, County, CO	Workshop/Tra ning	07/16/15	EPA Region 8	Craig Myers	1-2 OSC's, Prep staff, Local Responders, Industry	Priority 1,6
Tesoro Refinery - Drill	Salt Lake City, UT	Drill	9/22-23/15	Tesoro Refinery	Joyel Dhieux	Joyel D	Priority 1,5,6
CSEPP Evac Drill	Pueblo, CO	Drill	4th Qtr	Colorado CSEPP	Richard Graham	Richard G, Luke C	Priority 3,5,6
CSEPP Series of TTX's	Pueblo, CO	TTX	4th Qtr	Colorado CSEPP	Richard Graham	Richard G, Luke C	Priority 3,5,6
FBI Facility Seminar/Demonstration	Denver, CO	Seminar	4th Qtr	EPA Region 8/FBI	Luke Chavez	EPA Reg 8 Emergency Response and Prep staff	Priority 2,6
WESCO TTX	Lander, WY	TTX	4th Qtr	WESCO Pipeline	Steven Merritt/Luke Chavez	Steven Merritt, WESCO	Priority 1,6
Green River sACP TTX	??	TTX	4th Qtr	EPA Region 8	Kerry Guy/Joyel Dhieux	Kerry G, Joyel D, Luke C	Priority 1,5,6
Oil Spill Response Training	??	Workshop/Tra ning	4th Qtr	EPA Region 8	Steven Merritt	1-2 OSC's, Prep staff, Local Responders, Industry	Priority 1,6
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RSC Workshop - ERP ??	Denver, CO	Workshop	4th Qtr	EPA Region 8	Gina Cristiano	RSC Members	Priority 3,4,5

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MHA Nation Exercise for O&G Sector	New Town, ND	TTX	4th Qtrtr	EPA Region 8/MHA Nation	Luke Chavez	Luke C, OSC??	Priority 1,5,6
H2S and Radiation Awareness Training	New Town, ND	Workshop/Seminar	4th Qtrtr	EPA Region 8	Luke Chavez/Richard Graham	Luke C, Richard G, ??	Priority 1,2,6
H2S and Radiation Awareness Training	Watford, ND	Workshop/Seminar	4th Qtrtr	EPA Region 8	Luke Chavez/Richard Graham	Luke C, Richard G, ??	Priority 1,2,6
EPA Region 8 REOC TTX	Denver, CO	TTX	4th Qtrtr	EPA Region 8	Luke C, Kathie A, Gina C	Reg 8 LSC trained folks	Priority 1,2,3,4,5
Regional Response Team (RRT)	Denver, CO	Workshop/Seminar	10/15,16/14	EPA Region 8, USCG	Gina Cristiano	P&P Staff, OSC's	Priority 1,2,6
Tesoro Refinery - Drill	Mandan, ND	Drill	11/17-18/15	Tesoro Refinery	Joyel Dhieux	Joyel D	Priority 1,5,6
Vigilant Guard	Salt Lake City, UT	FSE	11/3-6/14	FEMA/State of UT	Luke Chavez	OSC/Preparedness Staff	Priority 2,5,6