

# Department of Homeland Security Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency Active Shooter Preparedness Webinar for the Dams Sector

Tuesday, October 20, 2020 2:00 PM EST

## THIS IS NOT A TACTICAL TRAINING COURSE

The Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, Stakeholder Engagement Division, invites you to join a two-hour security webinar to enhance awareness of and response to an active shooter event.

Preparing employees for a potential active shooter incident is an integral component of an organization's incident response planning. Because active shooter incidents are unpredictable and evolve quickly, preparing for and knowing what to do in an active shooter situation can be the difference between life and death. Every second counts.

#### **Objectives:**

- Discuss the elements of active shooter incident response planning with guidance from expert instructors.
- Describe common behaviors, conditions, and situations associated with active shooter events.
- Discuss how to recognize potential workplace violence indicators.
- Provide information about best practices, communications protocols, and resources that will assist stakeholders to develop or enhance their emergency planning, preparedness, and response to active shooter incidents.

### **Understanding Liability and Risk Exposure**

The webinar focuses on providing awareness training that supports the development of emergency action planning capabilities. These capabilities may better position organizations in receiving important legal liability protections from the DHS Support Anti-Terrorism by Fostering Effective Technologies (SAFETY) Act of 2002.

Following the 9/11 attacks, the private sector became very concerned about the risk of liability they would face in the event their product, service, or layered security program (e.g., Technology) was impacted by an act of terrorism. The SAFETY Act seeks to mitigate those risks by encouraging the wide-spread deployment of effective anti-terrorism technologies by providing legal protections that cap or dismiss liability in the event of an act of terrorism.

To learn more about the SAFETY Act and the types of products, services, and layered security programs that have received protections, visit <u>www.safetyact.gov</u>.

### Who Should Participate?

This event is open to:

- Dam owners and operators
- Professional staff of dam safety and security programs
- Supervisory first responders
- Emergency managers
- Community response officials
- Human resource managers
- Other safety, security, and incident management personnel

### **DHS Resources**

Products and information can be requested by contacting the Active Shooter Preparedness team at <u>ASworkshop@hq.dhs.gov</u>.

For more information and resources on Active Shooter Preparedness visit: <u>http://www.cisa.gov/active-shooter-preparedness</u>.

**Note:** An email with information to connect to the event will be sent after the registration closes.

### **REGISTRATION:**

- Registration for this event is free.
- To register, <u>click here</u> or visit: https://www.govevents.com/details/4135 2/cisa-active-shooter-preparednesswebinar--dams-sector/

Registration closes on <u>October 19, 2020</u> at <u>noon (12:00 PM EST)</u>.