

WHY DO THIS COURSE?

The Introduction to CIMS (CIMS 2) course is recommended for all personnel involved in any aspect of emergency response.

The Coordinated Incident Management System (CIMS) provides the model or structure for the command, control and coordination response to an emergency incident, as such all personnel should have a basic understanding of the principles of CIMS, its terminology and key functional areas.

CIMS is applicable across all types of emergency incidents from a car crash, earthquake, major flooding event, rural fire, influenza outbreak or avalanche rescue.

CIMS 2, so called as the NZQA Unit Standard is at level 2, forms a component of many qualifications in the emergency management and related sectors. For persons wanting to extend their CIMS knowledge, the Applied CIMS (CIMS4) course is delivered over two days, and deals much more with all of the above with a greater focus on the application of the functional areas, including, the writing and preparing of Incident Action Plans (IAP's), management changeovers and management team structures.

COURSE OBJECTIVES

The overall objective of the Introduction to CIMS (CIMS 2) course is to instill an understanding of the principles, structure and operation of the coordinated incident management system.

By the end of this course you should be able to;

- Demonstrate knowledge of the principles of CIMS
- Demonstrate an understanding of the key functional areas of CIMS
- Apply measures to control the movement of people and vehicles at incidents.

Participants who successfully complete all aspects of the course and meet the entry criteria will gain NZQA Unit 1729 Demonstrate knowledge of the Coordinated Incident Management System (CIMS).

HOW EFFECTIVE IS OUR TRAINING?

In the September 2013 External Evaluation and Review undertaken by NZQA the independent evaluation for SARINZ CIMS training was determined as follows:

- Educational Performance: Excellent
- Capability in Self Assessment: Excellent

NZQA also determined that SARINZ learners consistently achieve very well. Highly motivated and engaged by high quality training, most participants complete their training successfully and gain the unit standards that are the basis of the assessment of what they have learned and can do.

COURSE PROGRAMME

Workshop:

Consists of the practical component of the course which is usually delivered over four-six hours.

The workshop is interactive, encourages students to ask questions and clarify issues and/or knowledge.

Successful completion of the course will provide attendees with all of the information and assessment requirements to gain NZQA Unit Standard 17279.

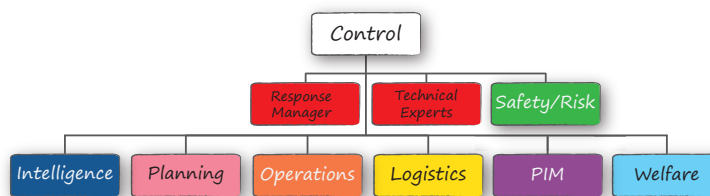
PRE-REQUISITES

There are no prerequisites for this course.

Persons wishing to be awarded the NZQA Unit Standard must be either a NZ Citizen or have NZ Residency and complete the enrolment form.

WHAT TO BRING

- Pen
- A copy of your ID (Birth Certificate or Passport)



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