

National Disaster Preparedness Training Center at the University of Hawaii

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Training Opportunities

- DMHA Graduate Certificate
- Formal Degrees, Continuing Ed, Specialized Training
- Congress authorized creation of NDPTC at UH in 2007
- FY09 Appropriation \$5 million
- \$5 million - \$10 million - \$20 million



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 TRAINING CENTER
 UNIVERSITY of HAWAII
 MANOA

MISSION STATEMENT

Uniquely positioned geographically and culturally, the **National Disaster Preparedness Training Center** at the University of Hawai'i Mānoa will **develop and deliver disaster preparedness, response, and recovery training** to governmental, private, and non-profit entities, incorporating **urban planning** with an emphasis on **community preparedness and vulnerable at-risk populations.**



NATIONAL DOMESTIC PREPAREDNESS CONSORTIUM

NDPC mission...

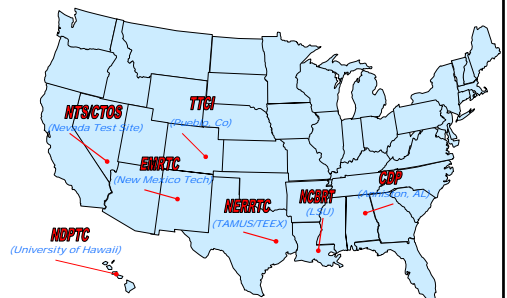
To enhance the preparedness of federal, state, local, and tribal emergency responders/first receivers and teams, including non-governmental organizations and the private sector, to reduce the Nation's vulnerability to incidents involving weapons of mass destruction, terrorism and all-hazard high-consequence events by developing, delivering and assessing plans, training, technical assistance and exercises.

NDPC history...

- Originally established by Congressional Mandate September 1998 (House Conference Report [H.R.2267]).
- Reconfirmed in Public Law 107-273 in 2001.
- Membership based on the urgent need to address the serious counterterrorism preparedness needs of our nation's emergency responders within the context of chemical, biological, radiological, and explosive (Weapons of Mass Destruction [WMD]) hazards.
- Expanded to address catastrophic all-hazards events.
- Re-authorized in Homeland Security Legislation January 2007 in HR-1 through FY 2011 and two new members were added to the Consortium (TTC) and UH).




National Domestic Preparedness Consortium



NDPC Competencies...	
• EMRTC	Explosive and incendiary attacks
• NERRTC	Incident Management, EMS, Hazmat, Public Works, Threat and Risk Assessment, Senior Executive Programs
• NCBRT	Prevention, deterrence and response to terrorist acts, chem-/bio-/ag-related terrorism response
• CTOS	Prevention, deterrence and response to radiological/nuclear attacks
• CDP	Prevention, deterrence and response to Chemical, biological and nuclear attacks involving hazmat
• TTCI	Transportation research and testing organization, providing emerging technology solutions for the railway industry
• NDPTC	Monitoring natural hazards, evaluating risks to urban populations and planning for the response, recovery and reconstruction of areas following a disaster.

- ## Training Courses
- Risk Assessment Methods
 - Mapping and Spatial Analysis
 - Natural Hazards 101
 - Multi-sector collaboration for DMHA
 - Economic/Community Recovery Planning
 - Sector-specific (i.e. tourism, public facilities, institutions, community organizations...)

- ## Opportunities for collaboration
- Identify and address training needs
 - Develop and deliver all hazards training
 - Emphasis on coastal communities and natural hazards
 - Subject Matter Experts
 - Certified Instructors
 - Participate in our national center



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