



## Highway Work Zone Traffic Incident Management: Training for First Responders

Presented by US Department of Transportation (DOT) Federal Highway Administration (FHWA)

### Invitation

The US DOT FHWA has developed a new training presentation for first responders on the best practices on prevention, response and follow-up involving Work Zone Traffic Incident Management (WZ TIM). **You are invited to participate in this new training session with other first responders.**

Dealing with a motor vehicle crashes or similar incidents in a highway construction zone requires the combined skills of many people including police, fire, emergency medical services (EMS), highway agency, and contractor personnel. WZ-TIM is more complicated than ordinary TIM because access to the incident site is often difficult, there is limited space for response operations, and there are more organizations to coordinate. Response can be hampered by the combined effect of incident traffic backups and construction closures.

### Learning Objectives

Upon completion of this class, participants will be able to:

- *Recognize the main differences between WZ-TIM and TIM in ordinary situations.*
- *Be able to compare and contrast the WZ-TIM roles and responsibilities of first responders, transportation agency staff, and the contractor.*
- *Be able to describe several strategies for improving work zone incident prevention and response.*
- *Be familiar with the advantages and disadvantages of contractor involvement in work zone incident management.*

**To register, please follow the webinar link. Before the webinar, please complete the survey and take the pre-test at the links below.**

- Pre-Test: [https://uwmadison.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_bfpZT2F4u1HQgcJ](https://uwmadison.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_bfpZT2F4u1HQgcJ)
- Survey: [https://uwmadison.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV\\_0cf2pJgTbmRININ](https://uwmadison.co1.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_0cf2pJgTbmRININ)
- Webinar: <https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/register/3951327429317067020>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about how to join the webinar.



**DATE:** April 30, 2019

**TIME:** 1pm to 3pm CT

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