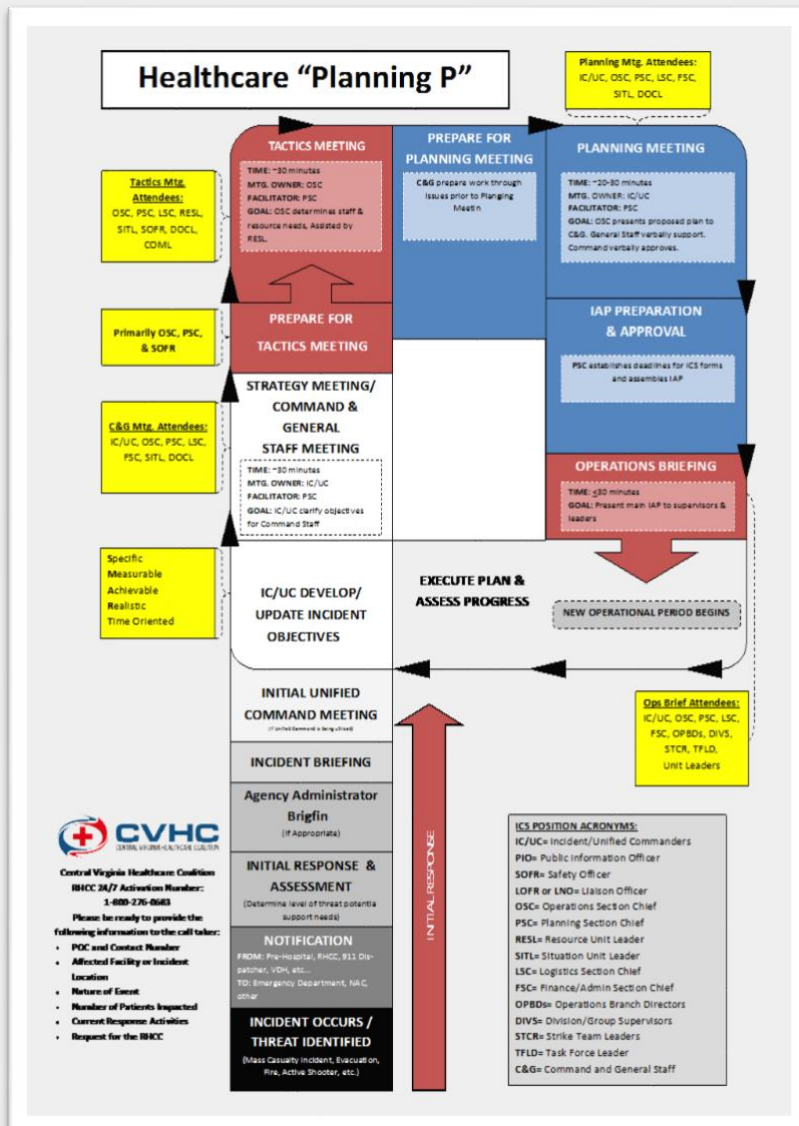


Introduction to HICS for Long Term Care Facilities



Dates and Times

Session 1 – 10AM
October 26, 2020
November 16, 2020

Session 2 – 10AM
January 6, 2021
January 20, 2021

Session 3 – 10AM
February 3, 2021
February 17, 2021

Session 4 – 10AM
March 3, 2021
March 24, 2021

Tabletop Exercise
April 7, 2021

In order to participate in the Tabletop Exercise the representative must have attended **ONE** of each of the four sessions above.

Description of Course:

All nursing homes should be prepared for and exhibit resiliency when faced with any type of incident, ranging from an internal emergency that affects only one facility to a large, regional disaster that simultaneously affects many healthcare facilities and the community. The Incident Command System (ICS) provides a practical, proven approach to disaster management that is an integral part of the National Incident Management System (NIMS).

Sessions:

1. Introduction and Personal Preparedness
2. Utilizing the NHICS Guidebook
3. The Response Toolkit
4. Implementing NHICS and the Planning Toolkit
5. Tabletop Exercise

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Medically Vulnerable Populations Coordinator
Central VA Healthcare Coalition

All sessions will be an hour long and will be virtual. Webinar information will be emailed out prior to class start date. Please view the [CVHC Calendar](#) for more information and the registration links. Please note while these courses are introductory a base knowledge of the HICS system would be beneficial to the student.

