#### **National Indian Gaming Commission**



# INTRODUCTION TO EMERGENCY ACTION PLANS

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#### **Key Points:**

Welcome to Emergency Action Plans.

#### **OBJECTIVES**

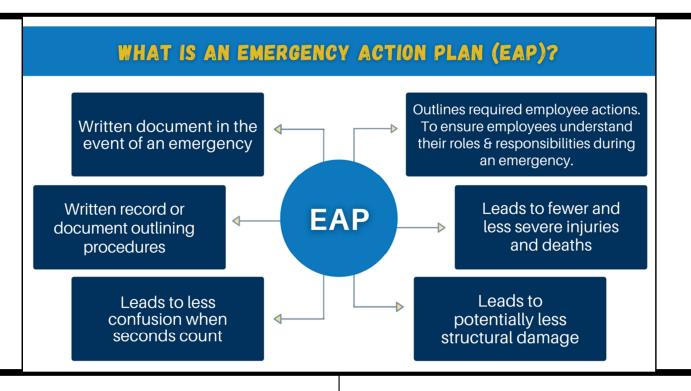


- What is an Emergency Action Plan?
- Why is it important to have an Emergency Action Plan?
- How do you create an Emergency Action Plan? (NIGC Template)
- Different types of natural disasters/man made disaster
- Emergency Evacuations vs. Shelter In Place
- Emergency Supplies: Go Kit
- Employee Training Drills
- What is an Emergency Operations Center (EOC)
- •What is an Emergency Response Team (ERT)

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#### **Key Points:**

 Understanding the definition of EAP and its applicability.





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- To do as much as possible to keep your employees safe in case of a disaster or emergency situation

#### **TO COMPLY WITH OSHA STANDARD 1910.38**

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- Employers with 10 or fewer employees may communicate plan orally.



#### How do you create an EAP?

**NIGC Emergency Action Plan Template** 

**Conduct your own Hazard Assessment** 

Distribute, collaborate and review with EAP working group. (GC, FD, TPD, Ops)

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#### **Key Points:**

- NIGC Emergency Action Plan Template (available on NIGC website
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- Conduct your own Hazard Assessment that reflect your unique set of hazards
- Distribute, collaborate and review with EAP working group: (Operations, Gaming Commission, FD, TPD

DIFFERENT TYPES OF NATURAL/MAN MADE DISASTERS

#### **NATURAL DISASTERS**

Fires Tsunamis
Floods Hurricanes
Volcanoes

**Tornadoes** 

**MAN MADE DISASTERS** 

Fires Explosions
Chemical spills Transportation Accidents

Pollution Hazzardous material exposure

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#### **Key Points:**

- Natural Disasters: Fires, floods, earthquakes, tornadoes, tsunamis, hurricanes, volcanoes
- Man Made Disasters: Fires, chemical spills, pollution, explosions, transportation accidents, hazardous material exposure

#### **Emergency Evacuations**

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#### **EMERGENCY SUPPLIES**

- Food & Water
- Medical First-Aid Supplies
- Flashlights, Blankets, Etc.
- Backboard & Blankets
- Wheel Chair



#### **Key Points:**

- Emergency Food and Water
- Medical and First-Aid Supplies
- (1st Aid Kits, AED's, cold compresses, portable oxygen)
- Flashlights, radios, batteries, glow sticks, emergency kits or backpacks
- Blankets, backboards
- Wheelchairs or other mobility devices



#### **Key Points:**

- Review EAP with every employee upon initial job assignment
- Educate and Train
- Annual vs. Quarterly Drills
- Provide annual refresher training with practice drills, practice evacuations and gatherings at assembly areas
- Non disruptive to gaming operations/patrons



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## Questions

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Thank you for attending "Introduction to Emergency Plans".

If you have any questions or comments please send them to TRAININGINFO@nigc.gov



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