

National Exercise Division Regional Exercise Support Program



The Regional Exercise Support Program (RESP) provides federal support to regionally-coordinated exercise initiatives across the nation. RESP facilitates Training and Exercise Planning Workshops (TEPWs) and provides logistical and administrative support to regional, tribal, state, territorial, and local exercises. Please contact your Regional Exercise Officer to learn more about program support opportunities within your region or to apply for support. Contact your Regional Exercise Manager, or email <https://hseep.dhs.gov>, to learn more about the program in general or to check the status of your application.

Exercise Support

- Delivered at regional, tribal, state, territorial, and local levels
- May include any combination of administrative, logistical, and facilitative activities necessary to support the full or partial planning process and the conduct of both discussion- and operational-based exercises
- Recipients of exercise support are responsible for developing the content (goals, objectives, recommendations, etc)
- RESP Support Teams are responsible for guiding recipients on process and content development (e.g.: facilitating meetings, developing documents and presentations, etc)



Application Process

- Requests for exercise support must be submitted in a RESP Application and coordinated with the appropriate Regional Exercise Officers
- RESP Application is available at: <https://hseep.dhs.gov>

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