

WDTB Training Delivery Schedule FY11						As of May 2, 2011 Schedule Subject to Change
Training Deliverable	Audience	Implementation Dates	Delivery Method	Length	LMS Search Information	Notes
DLOC: Distance Learning Operations Course	NWS Interns, Hydrologists, CWSU Mets	Sept '10 - Mar '11	WBT, ILT, WES, Residence Workshops	100 hrs	DLOC	FY12 enrollment begins in July '11
AWOC Winter Weather Track	Forecasters with Winter Wx Warning Responsibilities	Sept '10 – April '11	WBT, E, WES	20 hours	AWOC Winter	2 Development Plans: AWOC Winter FY 2011 Standard, AWOC Winter FY 2011 Platinum version
Dual-Pol Radar Operations Course: Early Release	Forecasters who use the WSR-88D	Sept '10	WBT	4 hrs	Dual-Pol	20-30 min modules for Beta test sites
Dual-Pol Radar Training for NWS Partners: Early Release	WCMS/SCHs; NWS Partners who use radar data	Sept '10	WBT	1.5 hrs	No LMS access	Outreach materials for WCMS/SCHs at Beta test sites :http://www.wdtb.noaa.gov/courses/dual_pol/outreach/
Wind Farms, the WSR-88D, and Coexistence	All NWS Forecasters and HMTs	Sept '10	WBT	40 min	wind farms	Recognition of wind turbine contamination on radar products
WES 9.2	AWIPS/WES focal points	Sept '10	WES, WBT	15 min	WES 9.2	Update integrates AWIPS components released in builds OB9.2.3 through OB9.2.9
WES Simulations for CWSU Mets	All CWSU Forecasters	Dec. '10	WBT, WES	4 hrs	CWSU Operations	Virtual WES w/ six simulations; Focus on mesoscale and radar meteorology
Dual-Pol Radar Operations Course Part 1: Full Release	Forecasters who use the WSR-88D	Feb '11	WBT, WES exercises, live Webinars, Job Aids	8 hrs	Dual-Pol	Short modules of ALL products and case study WES exercises
Flash Flood Warning Best Practices	NWS Forecasters with Flash Flood Warning Responsibilities	Mar '11	WBT, WES	2 hrs	FFE	Training on how to use Flash Flood Emergency for FFWs
AWOC Core Track	Forecasters with Warning Responsibilities; Those interested in NWS Warning Process	Feb '11 – Dec '11	WBT, ILT, 4 Assignments	10 hrs	AWOC Core	No Prerequisites; Uses RCAkit
AWOC Severe Track	Forecasters with Warning Responsibilities	Mar '11 – Sept '11	WBT, ILT, WES (full sim)	14-18 hrs	AWOC Severe	DLOC Prerequisite, includes QLCS modules and full WES simulation

AWOC Facilitation Workshop	New SOOs/DOHs	May 16-21	Residence Workshop	4.5 days		1 workshop in FY11; 1 in FY12. Addresses how to facilitate workplace learning activities such as simulations, distance learning, development plans, mentoring, and instructional design
NWP Simulations	All Forecasters	3rd Qtr FY11	WES simulations	6-7 hrs	-	Supports multi-phased COMET NWP Course; Total of 7 simulations
AWIPS Migration Variance	All AWIPS-II Users	Beta release avail 1 month prior to Field OT&E and full release 1 month prior to Operational Release	WBT, WES-2	2-4 hrs	-	Variance Training (warning differences from AWIPS-I)
AWIPS Migration Focal Point	AWIPS focal points and ITOs from OT&E Sites	Avail 1 month prior to Field OT&E/Operational Release	WBT, WES-2	4-8 hrs	-	Covers how to customize warning-related components of AWIPS Migration. Avail one month prior to AWIPS-II
AWIPS-II Build Training	NWS forecasters and AWIPS application focal points	Avail in synch w/ AWIPS-II builds following initial release of AWIPS-II	WES	.5 hr	-	Monthly updates that affect warning-related capabilities
WES-II Bridge for AWIPS Migration	AWIPS focal points and ITOs from OT&E Sites	Avail 1 month prior to Field OT&E (Beta sites); 1 month prior to Operational Release (all)	WBT, WES-2, live sessions	1 hr	-	Functional diffs btwn WES and WES-2, user interface changes, case converter, how to create new cases and WESSL-2 scripts
Dual-Pol Radar Training for NWS Partners: Final Release	WCMS/SCHs; NWS Partners who use radar data	3rd Qtr	WBT, Presentation files	1.5 hrs	-	http://www.wdtb.noaa.gov/courses/dualpol/outreach/
Smart Readiness Training	NWS Staff	3rd Qtr	PDS web site	1 hr	-	Tool as part of PDS: (http://www.wdtb.noaa.gov/resources/PDS/Severe/Home.html) which can provide assessment of knowledge and skills in forecasting and warning job tasks
Integrated Warning Team: the EM Role	NWS Warning Forecasters	3rd Qtr	WBT	Up to 2 hrs	-	Intro module; Role-playing simulations of the Emergency Manager
Communicating Risks in High Impact Events	Decision Support Mets	4th Qtr	WBT	2-3 hrs	-	Training based on communication recommendations from recent service assessments

Training Available	DL = Distance Learning Module ILT = Instructor Led Training WES = Weather Event Simulator
Training Under Development	WBT = Web Based Training E = Enrollments TBD = To Be Determined