Public Safety News Information Sheet

What is Public Safety News?

Public Safety News, often referred to as PSN, is the monthly newsletter produced by the Montgomery County Department of Public Safety. It has been published since 2002 and is now in its 20th year in print.

Public Safety News contains important announcements from the Department of Public Safety for municipal responders, as well as training announcements, career opportunities, and other significant updates.

What are the Monthly Notices?

The Monthly Notices are formatted as a merged PDF that includes announcements for community events, training/education opportunities, fundraisers, and job offerings. Some content is provided by the Department of Public Safety, but most is received from municipalities and partner agencies. The notices are posted on the Department of Public Safety website along with PSN.

How do I receive alerts when PSN is available?

PSN and the Monthly Notices are typically made available on the department website on the last business day of each month. An email alert is sent to subscribers as soon as the newest editions are posted. The email contains a link to access the newsletter, as well as a listing of articles in the current edition. If you would like to begin receiving alerts, please contact us using the information below.

How do I access past Public Safety News or Monthly Notices?

Past editions of the Public Safety News and Monthly Notices are available on the following webpage: https://www.montcopa.org/1527/Public-Safety-News.

My organization or department has something to share. How do we do it?

The Department of Public Safety has a lot of information to share, but we are always looking for news from our municipal responders! If you have a story, training or career opportunity, or newsworthy event, please contact us using the information below.

I have some additional questions. How do I contact you?

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LETS TALK ABOUT: FIRST RESPONDER
HEALTH & WELLNESS
Montgomery County Department of Public Safety
Division of EMS & Office of the Medical Director

HOW DOES STRESS IMPACT FIRST RESPONDERS?
Ø 85% of first responders have experienced symptoms related to mental health distress.
Ø Depression and PTSD are up to 5 times more common in first responders.
Ø The COVID-19 pandemic has increased stressors that first responders experience daily.

HOW CAN WE REDUCE STRESS?
Exercise, sleep, mindfulness, and talking about what’s on your mind are all helpful in reducing stress. Mental health practitioners and trained peers may be able to confidentially help you alleviate stressors from work and life.

LOCAL RESOURCES

Montco Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM)
610-635-4350
Contact through County Dispatch
cismmontco@verizon.net
• Offers 1-1 and group setting support.
• Call for a consultation on peer support, information on additional ways CISM can be utilized, and training opportunities.

Creative Health Services
484-941-0500
info@creativehs.org
• Offers comprehensive support in mental wellness, substance abuse, and family services.
• Makes referrals to first responder specialized mental health professionals.

Montco Mobile Crisis
1-855-634-4673
• Available 24/7 with immediate support for individuals in crisis.
• Works to refer individuals to necessary care and prevent future crises.

Share the Load
1-888-731-3473
• A program run by the National Volunteer Fire Council.
• They have a help line, text based help service, and have also collected a list of many good resources for people looking for help and support.

Safe Call Now
1-206-459-3020
• A 24/7 help line staffed by first responders for first responders and their family members.
• They can assist with treatment options for responders who are suffering from mental health, substance abuse and other personal issues.

Suicide Prevention Lifeline
1-800-273-8255
• 24/7 Services anyone who needs mental health or suicide prevention assistance.
• Not first responder specific.
Veterans press 1

Crisis Text Line
TEXT 741-741
A 24/7 service that allows people in crisis to speak with a trained crisis counselor by texting “Start” or “Help”.

Copline (Law Enforcement Only)
1-800-267-5463
A confidential helpline for members of US law enforcement.

The Department of Public Safety is committed to supporting the health and wellness of all first responders.
Please let us know if you have feedback, suggestions, or concerns.

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Regional EMS Medical Director
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Department of Public Safety Training Programs
**ICS-300**

**ICS-300 Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents**

Course is designed to provide overall incident management skills rather than tactical expertise. The course will cover the implementation of the incident management process on Type 3 incidents, define a Type 3 incident, and the development of an Incident Action Plan.

**Prerequisites:** IS-100 Incident Command System, IS-200 ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents, IS-700 NIMS, An Introduction, and IS-800 National Response Framework, An Introduction

**Target Audience**

- First Responders
- Emergency Managers
- Private Sector
- Volunteer Organizations
- Schools and Universities
- Hospitals
- Healthcare Facilities
- Government Departments

**Date:**
December 1-3, 2021

**Time:**
0800 - 1500

**Montgomery County PSTC**

**Registration:**
[TrainPA](#)

**Course ID:**
1067423

Seating is Limited!
Register today!

Montgomery County
Department of Public Safety
50 Eagleville Rd.,
Eagleville, PA 19403
This course provides first responders from multiple disciplines with skills to manage the initial response to a large-scale attack in a chaotic environment during a complex coordinated attack (CCA). It aims to train responders in how to use intuitive skills such as observation, analysis, anticipation, and awareness to recognize the possibility of an attack involving multiple incidents of an extreme magnitude that inundate resources, exceed conventional tactics and strategies, and often require a joint response involving members from multiple disciplines and jurisdictions. Topics for discussion include recognizing the characteristics of a potential CCA; coordinating and integrating the response of multiple disciplines and agencies; managing resources; using information sharing and intelligence gathering to develop awareness; and solving problems using creative thinking. Participants will learn to gather and disseminate critical information accordingly in order to facilitate rapid analysis.

They will also learn to recognize and prevent potential response obstacles or risks to safety including self-deployment and over convergence of assets. Participants will apply the skills learned in Critical Decision Making for Complex Coordinated Attacks through interactive activities, facilitated discussion, and practical application in a training environment.

**Professional Disciplines:** Law Enforcement, Fire Service, EMS

The primary target audience for the Direct Delivery version of this course includes:

- Emergency responders: police, fire, and emergency medical services personnel, including those who are likely to assume command at some point during response to a complex coordinated attack.

**Date:** December 7-8, 2021

**Location:** Montgomery County Public Safety Training Campus
1175 Conshohocken Rd., Conshohocken, PA 19428

**How to Register:**
Please see next page on how to register.

All participants are required to have a FEMA SID prior to enrolling in this training. Please visit cdp.dhs.gov/femasid to register for a FEMA SID.
NCBRT Online Registration

Class Information
PER-335 Critical Decision Making for Complex Coordinated Attacks
Conshohocken, PA
Tuesday, December 7, 2021 - Wednesday, December 8, 2021, 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM EST

FEMA SID
A FEMA SID number is required for registration. You can look up your FEMA SID, or register for a new one, at the following site: https://cdp.dhs.gov/femasid.

Register
Register online at: https://train.ncbrt.lsu.edu/Student/Register?ClassID=28635
Class ID: 28635
Class Access Code: NCBRT335

Confirmation Email
Once your registration is complete, you will receive an email confirmation. This email will contain your FEMA SID and registration Confirmation Number. Make sure to have this information available to you in class! You will need this to complete the online post-test and class evaluation.

Pre-Test
As soon as you complete registration, you will see a link "Begin Class Pre-Test". Click on this link to access the class pre-test. A completed pre-test is required in order to later take the post-test and receive class credit.

In Class
The online registration site is mobile friendly and can be used by any phone, tablet, or computer with internet access. At the end of training, a post-test and class evaluation will be conducted. Bring a device to class that can access the online registration site, so you may complete your post-test and evaluation online. Your post-test will be graded immediately, and you will be able to review the answers. As soon as the post-test is passed and the class evaluation is completed, your Class Information page will update to include a link for your certificate. The certificate may be downloaded as a PDF to your device, or sent as a PDF to your email.

Assistance
If you need assistance with the online registration site, please contact the NCBRT Help Desk at help@ncbrt.lsu.edu.
Course Description:
This course will discuss how major incidents pose special management challenges. It will explore the circumstances in which an Area Command is established and describe the circumstances in which multi-agency coordination systems are established.

Prerequisites:
- IS-100
- IS-200
- IS-700
- IS-800
- ICS-300

Target Audience
- First Responders
- Emergency Managers
- Private Sector
- Volunteer Organizations
- Schools and Universities
- Hospitals
- Healthcare Facilities
- Government Departments

When: January 5-6, 2022
Time: 8:00 AM—4:00 PM
Where: TBD
Registration: TrainPA Course ID: 1062436
The Montgomery County First Responder community is invited to a **free one (1) hour** Training & Information Session

**Day time Session:**
January 6, 2022  |  1:00 pm – 2:00 pm  
Optional Q&A and Meet ‘n Greet to follow.
Public Safety Training Campus  
1175 Conshohocken Rd, Conshohocken PA

**Evening Session:**
January 25, 2022  |  6:00 pm—7:00 pm  
Optional Q&A and Meet ‘n Greet to follow.
ACCESS Services Office Suite  
4070 Butler Pike, Plymouth Meeting PA

*All first responders welcome: Additional Police-Focused content will be presented during final 15 minutes.*

**Training Highlights:** The WHO, WHAT, WHERE, and WHEN of the mental health crisis system | Overview of processes and procedures | Meet leadership of key programs and services | Opportunity for collaboration and delivering feedback directly to mental health service providers

**Presenters:**

Montgomery County Emergency Service  
*Crisis Department, 305 Ambulance, Mental Health Delegates*

Access Services  
*Montgomery County Mobile Crisis Street Outreach*

EMS Con-Credits applied for/pending.  
MPTOEC not approving new CLEE credits at this time.  
Certificates will be provided to all attendees.

***To register or with questions, contact Anna Trout (atrout@montcopa.org, 610-278-5663)***

This training is hosted in partnership with Montgomery County Departments of Public Safety and Health & Human Services, Montgomery County Ambulance Association, and Montgomery County Police Chiefs Association. For more information about local first responder and Mental Health Crisis collaboration opportunities please contact Anna Trout (atrout@montcopa.org) in the Montgomery County Office of Mental Health.
FIRE INSPECTOR 2
NFPA 1031 FIRE INSPECTOR 2 CERTIFICATION COURSE

Offered Evenings and Weekends
at the
Montgomery County Public Safety Training Campus

Prerequisites:
*Must submit prerequisite certificates with pre-registration form**
*Age 18 and up; Fire Inspector 1 Professional Certification ***Hazardous Material Awareness Certification
*Required Equipment: Computer with audio/video capability and internet access

When: March 29, 31  April 2, 5, 7, 9, 12, 14, 2022
Time: Weeknights 6:45pm to 10:45pm
Weekends 8:15 am - 4:15 pm
Where: Montgomery County PSTC—in Person

Registration: Email Ed O’Hanlon at eohanlon@montcopia.org
Cost: $150.00
Course presented by Bucks County Community College
2022 SOUTHEASTERN PENNSYLVANIA LAW ENFORCEMENT CONFERENCE

Thursday, April 7, 2022
8:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Registration opens at 7:30 AM

Normandy Farm Hotel & Conference Center
1401 Morris Road
Blue Bell, PA 19422

Topics: Foreign and domestic terrorism, social media exploitation, the surge of violent crime and civil unrest, protecting critical infrastructure, cybersecurity, drug overdose surveillance, and intelligence sharing.

Register: https://bit.ly/2Xk8sSb
SAVE THE DATE

EDITS
Emergency Disaster Incident Training Symposium
Eastern Montco Emergency Management Group & Montgomery County Department of Public Safety

October 4 & 5, 2022
Normandy Farm Hotel & Conference Center
Registration opens Fall 2021
General Announcements and Information
Elemental Mercury Collection Program

Introduction

The Pennsylvania Department of Environmental Protection’s (DEP) mercury collection program accepts elemental mercury and mercury containing devices, such as barometers and switches, from private citizens, schools, and not-for-profit organizations. Elemental mercury is the pure liquid (silver) form of mercury, not mercury compounds or solutions such as mercuric chloride or methyl chloride.

Businesses or for-profit organizations looking for information on mercury recycling and disposal should contact the appropriate Regional Waste Management Program at a DEP Regional Office for follow-up.

DEP staff will not collect mercury thermostats. Residents who want to properly dispose of mercury thermostats should visit the Thermostat Recycling Corporation’s website at www.thermostat-recycle.org to search for a nearby collection location.

Safe Packaging Tips

DEP staff will only accept mercury for collection if it’s in a sound, sealed, and safe condition and if the quantity to be collected doesn’t require special transportation arrangements. To safely package mercury, follow these tips:

- Elemental mercury should be in a container designed for liquids such as a plastic bottle, reusable plastic food container, or glass jar with a tight-fitting lid.
- Unsound, unsealed, or broken mercury containing devices should be taped shut.
- Place the sealed container(s) of elemental mercury and/or mercury-containing devices into another sealable container such as an empty coffee can, reusable plastic food container, or jar with a tight-fitting lid.
- Refrain from transferring or pouring elemental mercury directly from one container into another container.
- Store the container in a cool, secure place away from occupied areas of your residence or building.
- Take digital photos of mercury containers to share with collection program responders.

Contact and Schedule

First, contact a local household hazardous waste collection program, if available in your home county. If there is no local program or the program does not collect mercury, contact your DEP Regional Office to arrange an appointment for pick-up. Do not transport mercury to a DEP office location.

Mercury Spills

Mercury is a heavy metal with unique chemical and physical properties that can exist as a liquid, vapor, or within a compound (e.g. methyl mercury). Exposure to mercury can negatively affect breathing and cause corrosive skin burns, birth defects, and central nervous system damage.

Mercury spills rarely present an imminent hazard unless the spill occurs in an area with extremely poor ventilation. The main exposure route of mercury is through vapor inhalation. If metallic mercury is not cleaned up adequately, the tiny droplets remaining in surface cracks and crevices may yield toxic vapors for years.

Plan ahead if you have mercury containing devices on your property by purchasing a mercury spill kit from a laboratory equipment supplier. Trusted links with specific guidance on small spill cleanup and a list of spill kit suppliers are provided below.

Typically, you can clean up a mercury spill of less than one gram, or about the amount contained in a single thermometer, on your own if you follow proper safety guidelines. Mercury spills more than one gram should be cleaned by a trained professional. Contact your local county emergency management agency and the 24-hour DEP emergency response hotline at: 1-800-541-2050 for further guidance, if a spill larger than one gram occurs or if in doubt. If someone has inhaled mercury vapors, call a Poison Control Center or 911 immediately.

Additional Resources

- United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA): What to Do if a Mercury Thermometer Breaks
- EPA: Recommendations for When a Compact Fluorescent Light Bulb or Other Mercury-Containing Bulb Breaks
- EPA: What to Do if You Spill More Mercury Than the Amount in a Thermometer
- New York State Department of Health: Cleaning Up a Small Mercury Spill
DEP Regional Office Contacts

Pennsylvania Poison Control Centers

Pittsburgh Poison Center
University of Pittsburgh Medical Center
200 Lothrop Street
Pittsburgh, PA 15213
1-800-222-1222

Poison Control Center at the Children’s Hospital of Philadelphia
34th & Civic Center Boulevard
Philadelphia, PA 19104
1-800-222-1222

Mercury Spill Kit Suppliers
Please note that the list of contacts below is provided as a resource and does not signify endorsement of these businesses by the Commonwealth.

Krackeler Scientific  800-334-7725
Lab Safety Supply  800-356-0783
Cole-Parmer  800-323-4340

For schools and businesses only:
Fisher Scientific  800-766-7000
Mallinckrodt/Baker  800-582-2537
Sigma Aldrich  800-325-3010
VWR Scientific  800-932-5000

For schools only:
Flinn Scientific  800-452-1261

For more information, visit www.dep.pa.gov.
DATE: July 5, 2021

SUBJECT: Interim Policy Revised: Extension to Certification Expiration Dates

TO: Test Site Coordinators

FROM: Tracie Young-Brungard
Manager, Certification Program

Due to the inability for our testing system to operate at normal capacity during the Public Health Emergency, we are enacting an interim policy to address the temporary suspension on Policies 4.5 Written Exam and 4.7 Skills Exam requiring certification testing to be completed within one (1) year of the date of the original test.

Candidates whose initial expiration dates were between March 1, 2020 and Dec 31, 2020 will be extended until December 31, 2021.

Those with initial expiration dates between January 1, 2021 and September 31, 2021 will be extended until December 31, 2021.

This policy will take effect the date of this memo and will expire December 31, 2021

This memo will supersede FTS Memo 2020-08, 2020-16, 2021-06

Please do not hesitate to contact the certification staff with any questions or concerns. Email and work cell remains the best means of communication.

Thank you,
Gladwyne Fire Company, of Lower Merion Township, is a progressive combination department that runs a diverse area of Montgomery County. First due to rolling greens and historic homes, Gladwyne responds to mutual aid calls across all of Lower Merion, into busy areas of Conshohocken, Plymouth, Upper Merion, Norristown, and Delaware County. Gladwyne features a PEMA Level II deployable swift water rescue team, large interstate response area to I76 and I476, with aggressive training and incident cultures.

Amenities:
• Private dorm room with bed, dressers, desk, and TV.
• High Speed internet with in room ethernet and cable hook up
• Access to desktops and private work areas with printers
• Full shared kitchen and outdoor grilling area.
• Two large lounges with gaming systems and large TVs
• Large washer and dryer
• Large bathroom with shower and private stalls
• Fitness room and gym reimbursement
• Secure off street parking

Qualifications:
• FireFighter 1 (Pro-board or IFSAC)
• HazMat Ops With Current Refresher
• Water Rescue and Vehicle Rescue Operation (or ability to obtain)
• EMT Preferred

Questions?
• Facebook “Gladwyne Volunteer Fire Company”
• Call 610-642-9586
• www.Gladwynefire.org
Are you interested in gaining valuable experience as a live-in firefighter? If so, The La Mott Fire Company wants you! The La Mott Fire Company is located in Cheltenham Township, Montgomery County, PA which is located just 5 miles from Center City, Philadelphia. We protect a very diverse and wide range of property within our first due including GreenLeaf at Cheltenham, Lynnewood Gardens Apartments, various residential neighborhoods, apartment complexes, commercial establishments and much more. Our location provides easy access to center city Philadelphia (and multiple colleges and universities) via public transportation.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS
- 18 years of age
- FIRE FIGHTER I (NFPA 1001) certified
- FIRST AID & CPR
- HAZMAT OPERATIONS LEVEL certification (current)

~300 CALLS ANNUALLY - RENT FREE APARTMENTS - WEEKLY TRAINING - PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

IF INTERESTED, PLEASE SEND RESUMES TO APPLY@LAMOTTFIRE.COM (PLEASE DO NOT SEND CERTS)
Frequently Asked Questions about NARCAN® (naloxone HCl) Nasal Spray

Shelf-Life Extension and Updated Storage Conditions

What is NARCAN® Nasal Spray?
- NARCAN® Nasal Spray is a prescription medicine used for the treatment of a known or suspected opioid overdose emergency with signs of breathing problems and severe sleepiness or not being able to respond.
- NARCAN® Nasal Spray is to be given right away and does not take the place of emergency medical care.

Get emergency medical help right away after giving the first dose of NARCAN® Nasal Spray, even if the person wakes up.

Please see Important Safety Information below

Who should not use NARCAN® Nasal Spray?
Do not use NARCAN® Nasal Spray if you are allergic to naloxone hydrochloride or any of the ingredients in NARCAN® Nasal Spray.

What is the new shelf life of NARCAN® Nasal Spray?
NARCAN® expiration will now be changed from 24 to 36 months.

Will current, on-market NARCAN® Nasal Spray’s expiration be extended an additional 12 months?
The FDA has approved the 36-month shelf life after completing a comprehensive review of data which included all versions of NARCAN®. Since this study was conducted using all versions of NARCAN®, any product previously released with a 24-month shelf life can now be extended for an additional 12 months.

What are the updated storage conditions for NARCAN® Nasal Spray?
Current Label: Store NARCAN® Nasal Spray in the blister and cartons provided.
Store at controlled room temperature 68°F to 77 °F (20°C to 25°C).
Excursions permitted between 41°F to 104°F (5°C to 40°C).
Do not freeze or expose to excessive heat above 104°F (40°C). Protect from light. NARCAN® Nasal Spray freezes at temperatures below 5°F (-15°C). If this happens, the device will not spray. Leave the device at room temperature for 15 minutes to thaw the medicine before use.

New Label: Store NARCAN® Nasal Spray in the blister and cartons provided.
Store below 77°F (25°C). Excursions permitted up to 104°F (40°C).
Do not freeze or expose to excessive heat above 104°F (40°C). Protect from light.
NARCAN® Nasal Spray freezes at temperatures below 5°F (-15°C). If this happens, the device will not spray. If NARCAN® Nasal Spray is frozen and is needed in an emergency, do NOT wait for NARCAN® Nasal Spray to thaw. Get emergency medical help right away. However, NARCAN® Nasal Spray may be thawed by allowing it to sit at room temperature for 15 minutes, and it may still be used if it has been thawed after being previously frozen.

Important Safety information for NARCAN® Nasal Spray

What is the most important information I should know about NARCAN® Nasal Spray?
NARCAN® Nasal Spray is used to temporarily reverse the effects of opioid medicines. The medicine in NARCAN® Nasal Spray has no effect in people who are not taking opioid medicines. Always carry NARCAN® Nasal Spray with you in case of an opioid overdose.

1. Use NARCAN® Nasal Spray right away if you or your caregiver think signs or symptoms of an opioid overdose are present, even if you are not sure, because an opioid overdose can cause severe injury or death. Signs and symptoms of an opioid overdose may include:
   - unusual sleepiness and you are not able to awaken the person with a loud voice or by rubbing firmly on the middle of their chest (sternum)
   - breathing problems including slow or shallow breathing in someone difficult to awaken or who looks like they are not breathing
• the black circle in the center of the colored part of the eye (pupil) is very small, sometimes called "pinpoint pupils," in someone difficult to awaken

2. Family members, caregivers, or other people who may have to use NARCAN® Nasal Spray in an opioid overdose should know where NARCAN® Nasal Spray is stored and how to give NARCAN® Nasal Spray before an opioid overdose happens.

3. **Get emergency medical help right away after giving the first dose of NARCAN® Nasal Spray.** Rescue breathing or CPR (cardiopulmonary resuscitation) may be given while waiting for emergency medical help.

4. The signs and symptoms of an opioid overdose can return after NARCAN® Nasal Spray is given. If this happens, give another dose after 2 to 3 minutes using a new NARCAN® Nasal Spray device and watch the person closely until emergency help is received.

**What should I tell my healthcare provider before using NARCAN® Nasal Spray?**

Before using NARCAN® Nasal Spray, tell your healthcare provider about all of your medical conditions, including if you:

• have heart problems
• are pregnant or plan to become pregnant. Use of NARCAN® Nasal Spray may cause withdrawal symptoms in your unborn baby. Your unborn baby should be examined by a healthcare provider right away after you use NARCAN® Nasal Spray.
• are breastfeeding or plan to breastfeed. It is not known if NARCAN® Nasal Spray passes into your breast milk.

Tell your healthcare provider about the medicines you take, including prescription and over-the-counter medicines, drugs, vitamins, and herbal supplements.

**What are the possible side effects of NARCAN® Nasal Spray?**

**NARCAN® Nasal Spray may cause serious side effects, including:**

Sudden opioid withdrawal symptoms which can be severe. In someone who has been using opioids regularly, opioid withdrawal symptoms can happen suddenly after receiving NARCAN® Nasal Spray and may include:

• body aches
• diarrhea
• increased heart rate
• fever
• runny nose
• sneezing
• goose bumps
• sweating
• yawning
• nausea or vomiting
• nervousness
• restlessness or irritability
• shivering or trembling
• stomach cramping
• weakness
• increased blood pressure

Some patients may show aggressive behavior upon abrupt reversal of an opioid overdose. In infants under 4 weeks old who have been receiving opioids regularly, sudden opioid withdrawal may be life-threatening if not treated the right way. Signs and symptoms include: seizures, crying more than usual, and increased reflexes.

These are not all of the possible side effects of NARCAN® Nasal Spray. Call your doctor for medical advice about side effects. You may report side effects to the FDA at 1-800-FDA-1088 or [www.fda.gov/medwatch](http://www.fda.gov/medwatch).

NNS CON ISI 07/2020

Click here for full Prescribing Information
Please be advised that Rylind Construction Company, Inc. will be detouring State Route 663 (King Street), at the intersection of Manatawny Street. Rylind will be replacing the existing bridge over the Manatawny Creek (40°14'50.7"N 75°39'20.2"W or 40.247429, -75.655597) located in Pottstown, PA. Rylind will be commencing the detour on October 13, 2020 and will be completed by April 15, 2022.
PEDESTRIAN DETOUR
TRAFFIC CONTROL PLAN

1. REMOVE, INSTALL, MODIFY, AND REMOVE ALL TRAFFIC CONTROL DEVICES AS SPECIFIED IN THE TRAFFIC CONTROL PLANS.
2. FOR PEDESTRIAN DETOUR DRAWINGS FOLLOW PATA 128 OR 130 IN PUBLICATION 215 DATED JUNE 2014.
3. THE EXISTING PEDESTRIAN CROSSWALKS PROVIDED ON THE PROJECT SITE WILL BE ALTERED FROM LANE THROUGH THE WORK AREA. THE PEDESTRIAN DETOUR ROUTE SHOWN IS CONSISTENT WITH THAT CONDITION.
4. THE PEDESTRIAN DETOUR ROUTE LENGTH SHOWN IS 0.22 MILES (371 M).

LEGEND

- PEDESTRIAN DETOUR ROUTE
- AREAS UNDER CONSTRUCTION
External Training Programs
SOUTHEASTERN
MONTGOMERY COUNTY
TRAINING CONFERENCE

JANUARY 29TH AT THE KESWICK THEATRE

9am-4pm | DOORS OPEN at 8am

DENNIS LEGEAR
RETIRED CAPT. OAKLAND, CA
HYDRANTS TO NOZZLES

JERRY HERBST
HEAD OF TRAINING FOR ELKHART BRASS
BRASS TACKS N HARDER FACTS

STEVE ROBERTSON
LT. COLUMBUS DIVISION OF FIRE
STRETCHING FOR SUCCESS.

BOBBY ECKERT
CAPT. CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY
NAVIGATING TODAY'S FIRE SERVICE

$75 TO ATTEND INCLUDES LIGHT BREAKFAST DRINKS AND LUNCH
Career Opportunities
Now Hiring

Paramedic

THE COMMUNITY

Cheltenham Township is first-class township, governed by a board of seven commissioners, one representing each of the Township's Wards, and guided by a Home Rule Charter. Its diverse population of over 37,000 enjoys the benefits of a suburban community with close proximity to Philadelphia, multiple business districts, two historic districts, and 25 park areas across 9 square miles.

A Township that was created in 1682 as part of Philadelphia County, Cheltenham is proud of its diversity and history and will continue operating in rich traditions, while striving to continue offering municipal services that maintain and enhance quality of life and neighborhood vibrancy.

THE ORGANIZATION

Cheltenham Township Emergency Medical Service started small in 1982, and now responds to over 3,000 calls for service per year using the latest Advanced Life Support (ALS) equipment. Under the direction of the Director of Emergency Medical Services (EMS), the role of the Paramedic is integral to the health and safety of persons in the Township and surrounding communities. Paramedics will respond to calls as dispatched and also be responsible for maintaining all department equipment to be in working order.

Township Mission

It is the mission of the Township of Cheltenham to provide outstanding municipal governance and services that meet the needs of our residents and businesses in a cost-effective and professional manner.

It is the Township’s vision to celebrate our vibrant, diverse, and historic community, to enhance and maintain quality of life, and to achieve economic and environmental sustainability by promoting actions and opportunities consistent with good stewardship of our natural and financial resources.
THE POSITION

Essential duties and responsibilities for this position are as follows:

- Provide advanced life support (ALS) to patients in emergency situations.
- Handle first-aid equipment, vehicle controls, and victim(s).
- Completes equipment and vehicle checks and maintenance to maintain vehicle readiness.
- Charting and documentation of all patient contacts.
- Performs housekeeping functions as assigned to maintain a clean and healthy condition of the building and garage areas.
- Performs other related functions as required and assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS

- High School Diploma or equivalent
- Valid PA Driver’s License
- Understand and follow verbal instruction
- React calmly and rationally in emergency situations
- 911 experience preferred, not required
- Ability to make decisions quickly
- State Certified EVOC Course
- Work closely with others
- Must have Montgomery County Medical Command Status or obtain in three (3) months
- Certified PA Emergency Medical Technician - Paramedic Certification
- Certified in Red Cross or Heart Association CPR Basic Life Support
- Current ACLS & PALS, NIMS 100 & 700

PHYSICAL DEMANDS

- Work rotating shifts, including weekends and holidays, plus on call as needed
- Possess good eye-hand coordination
- Stand; walk; climb; balance; bend; crouch; kneel; reach at all levels; sit; crawl; lift; carry, push, and pull up to 200 lbs.
- Able to frequently perform fine manipulation
- Possess visual acuity (near, mid, far field of vision, color vision, visual accommodation, and depth perception, frequently)
- Able to withstand exposure to weather, high noise levels, exhaust fumes, and bio-hazards, occasionally

EQUIPMENT

- Ambulance
- Stretcher
- Cardiac Monitor with 12 Lead, Defibrillation, and Pacing Capabilities
- Splinting Material, Bandages, Saline, Scissors
- Pulse Oximeter, Stethoscope, Blood Pressure Cuff
- Bag Valve Mask, Oxygen, Hot/Cold Packs
- PA Radio, Telecommunication Equipment, Office Implements, Mobile Data Terminal
Compensation and Benefits

The starting salary range for this position is competitive, depending on qualifications and experience. The Township offers a full range of employment benefits, including medical, dental, and vision plans, additional life and health insurance options, and paid vacation and sick time. Township residency is not required to apply for this position, but the hired candidate must reside in one of 20 approved surrounding municipalities approved by the Township Personnel Code, which include the City of Philadelphia and an approximately ten mile radius around the Township.

Application Process

This position will be open until filled.

Qualified candidates please submit cover letter and resume:
- Via email to rzienkowski@cheltenham-township.org, or
- By U.S. mail to:
  Robert Zienkowski, Township Manager
  Cheltenham Township Administration Building
  8230 Old York Rd.
  Elkins Park, PA 19027.

Cheltenham Township is an Equal Opportunity Employer. In compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, the township will provide reasonable accommodations to qualified individuals with disabilities and encourages both prospective and current employees to discuss potential accommodations with the employer.
MONTGOMERY COUNTY, PA

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JOB LOCATION
Montgomery County Correctional Facility
Lower Providence Township
60 Eagleville Road, Eagleville PA, 19403

HOW TO APPLY

ONLINE: www.montcopa.org/mccfjobapplication

IN PERSON: Montgomery County Department of Human Resources, One Montgomery Plaza
425 Swede Street, 7th Floor
Norristown, PA 19401

Email completed applications to Barry Martin at bmartin2@montcopa.org or return to the Human Resources Office at the address above.

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The Great Valley Ambulance Squad of West Chester is seeking EMT’s, Drivers & Dispatchers to join our team!

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Interested applicants should send their resume, a letter of interest and copy of your certifications to Jon Price at JPrice@greatvalleyems.com & Mark Hagerty at MHagerty@greatvalleyems.com

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Community Events and Fundraisers
PLYMOUTH AMBULANCE

12th Annual
Operation Christmas Kids
Toy Run

Saturday December 18th, 2021

Refreshments at Station 308 from 09:30-12:30
Portraits with Santa
Procession leaves at 1:00 pm

Benefitting Bryn Mawr Hospital &
St. Christopher’s Hospital for Children

Bring new, un-wrapped toys for donation

Any questions contact:
Kristen Kovacs
KKovacs@medic308.org
610-277-2776 x. 141

FOLLOW US ON facebook
**CRANBERRY SAUCE NEEDED!** With rising costs and supply chain issues, we could use some help providing each of our meal recipient families a can of cranberry sauce with their Thanksgiving and Christmas meals.

**What we need:** 14 oz cans, preferably "jellied"

**Where to drop off** - There will be bins at the following locations:

- The FEAST trailer in the parking lot of St. Robert Bellarmine Church 856 Euclid Avenue Warrington - available 24/7
- Kenney's Madison Tavern - 472 Madison Avenue Warminster - 11a-11p - bin is inside
- Monkeys Uncle 123 S Main St Doylestown - Tues-Sat 11a-6p, Sun 11a-4p, closed Mon.
- Seedlings & Sprouts Children’s Boutique - 21 E State St - 11a-5p, Tues-Sun, closed Mondays
- DTOWN TECH - 17 E Oakland Ave Doylestown, bin outside 24/7
- Manhattan Bagel Chalfont - 5 East Butler Ave Chalfont - 6a-2p drive thru or storefront
- Paragon Training PHL - 21 N York Road Hatboro - 5a-8a and 4p-7p - bin is inside the door
- Donte's Automotive 21 N York Rd Hatboro M-F, 8a-5p
- Willow Grove Baptist Food Pantry - 3600 Welsh Road Willow Grove - bin outside 24/7

Monetary donations can be made at Helpfeast.com. THANK YOU FOR YOUR SUPPORT!
Bucks-Montco Community 2021 Fall, "Opportunities, Resources & Updates!"

St. John's Lutheran Church Food Pantry - 505 North York Road - Hatboro
Hours of Operation (Drive-Thru Contactless Pickup):
Tues. & Wed. 11 am - 1 pm, Thurs. 11 am - 1 pm & 6 pm - 8 pm

Willow Grove Baptist Church Food Pantry - 3600 Welsh Road - Willow Grove
Hours of Operation (Contactless Parking Pickup):
Mon. & Sat. 11 am - 1 pm, Thurs. 6 pm - 7:30 pm & Sun. 12 pm - 1:30 pm

Warminster Food Bank - 75 Downey Drive - Warminster
Hours of Operation (Contactless Parking Pickup):
Appointment Needed in Advance - Mon. and Fri., 9:30 am - 12 pm, Wed., 9:30 am - 3 pm
(If an evening appointment/pickup is needed, please let them know)
Call (215) 323-4797, Text (215) 672-9422, Email: mail@warminsterfoodbank.org

Please let the pantries know if you have any dietary restrictions or food allergies!

Hatboro Baptist Church - 32 North York Road - Hatboro
Free Community Meals - 2nd and 4th Sat. of each month, from 4 pm - 6 pm
Drive-Thru Contactless Pickup - enter the church parking lot off of East Montgomery Avenue
Walk-Ups - are at the front entrance of the church on York Road
View the menu for each of the Saturday meals 5 days prior at: hatborobaptistchurch.com

Willow Grove Baptist Church Clothing Closet - 3600 Welsh Road - Willow Grove
Hours of Operation: Mon. & Thurs. 11 am - 1 pm, Tues. 11 am - 3 pm or by appointment (215) 659-4505

MCCC Dental Hygiene Clinic - 340 Dekalb Pike - Blue Bell Campus
Comprehensive Preventive Dental Hygiene Services - Health Science Center - Room 1400 (first floor)
Accepting New Patients (adults, children & seniors) Without Insurance
Sept. - Dec. 2021 Hours of Operation: Tues., Wed. and Fri., 8:15 am - 5:30 pm
Questions Regarding; Services/Fees/Payments/Schedules/To Request an Appointment Call (215) 641-6483

MBIT's - Middle Bucks Dental Clinic - 2740 York Road - Jamison
Accepting New Patients (18 & older) Without Insurance
Questions Regarding; Services/Fees/Payments/Schedules/To Request an Appointment Call (215) 343-2480 - ext. 282

Grocery Outlet (bargain market) - 1023 West County Line Road - Warminster
Store Hours - Mon. - Sun. 8am - 9pm
Grocery Outlet does accept EBT cards & does not accept manufacturer coupons!
Senior (55 & older with discount card - excludes milk, gift cards & tax) Day - Every Wed. - 8am - 9pm
$3.00 Off Coupon For New Email Sign-Up - warminster@groceryoutlet.com

"Donna Marie" (267) 563-1030 - Bucks-Montco Community Outreach
Thank you, as we appreciate and are grateful for the continued generosity and support from our community! At this time; we are in need of items that cannot be bought through SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) with the EBT card, in addition to monetary donation or gift cards to Giant/Grocery Outlet. Looking for ways to volunteer/give back to your community? Able/interested in donating or hosting a drive/fundraiser? We'd love to hear from you and are open to your ideas as well!

"We wish you a happy, healthy & safe fall!"