Safety and Security Management in Humanitarian Operations

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Fees 650€
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About this training course

In humanitarian operations, security and safety play a central role in enabling project teams to achieve their objectives without putting themselves at risk.

This training course covers the management of security and safety in humanitarian missions. Indeed, humanitarian professionals – whether team leaders or project managers – must integrate security and safety considerations into their work in humanitarian contexts. They must also be able to assess the risks in their environment and, based on these, define strategies, processes and rules for security and safety.

Strengths of the training course

- Group work
- Case study
- Practical exercise

By attending this training, you will get

- An HPass digital badge, a quality label recognised by the humanitarian community (subject to obtaining the average)
- A Bioforce attestation of competence (subject to obtaining the average)

SKILLS TO BE COVERED

Understand and apply safety and security management in humanitarian missions.
More specifically, you will learn:

- Explain the purpose, challenges and key trends in security and safety management in humanitarian settings.
- Define the various security strategies used by NGOs in humanitarian programmes
- Identify and analyse key elements of a context and external factors that may impact the security of teams and programmes
- To analyse the safety and security risks to which an organisation is exposed in specific contexts
- Understand responsibilities relating to security management within an NGO
- Contribute to the development of standard security management tools (security plans, evacuation plans, travel procedures) and document security incidents

PROFILE

This course is for you if you are a humanitarian professional who works and manages a team in an area with significant security risks and you wish to strengthen your security management skills

Necessary material

- Have a computer equipped with standard office software (e.g. Office suite)
- Have a reliable, high-quality internet connection
- Have the necessary equipment for audio and video communication

Prerequisites: none

Bioforce training courses are accessible to people with disabilities: a designated contact person is responsible for welcoming, monitoring and supporting people with disabilities both before and during their training programme at Bioforce.

TRAINING COURSE PROGRAMME

Day -1 Self-study module prior to the training
Day 1 (morning: synchronous training with the trainer; afternoon: group, without a trainer) Fundamentals and challenges relating to safety and security risks in humanitarian missions
Day 2 (live training with the trainer): Analysis of context, stakeholders and risks – Practical case study
Day 3 (live training with the trainer): Roles, responsibilities and security plan

This training course takes place remotely over 3 days:

- We will provide you with an initial self-study module to complete prior to the session, to familiarise you with the concept of safety and security in humanitarian missions.
- You will then be supported by a trainer throughout the three-day session: they will guide you through self-directed learning modules and group work on practical case studies, and will lead live sessions.

APPLICATION

Step1: application
Click on the "Register" button at the bottom of this page, and complete the form. You will then receive an email (remember to check your Spam folder) giving you access to your Application Platform, where you can complete your application and pay your training fees (or download your training funding agreement). Get a video preview of your Application Platform
Please note:

- The application deadline is two weeks before the start of the course.
- Given the limited number of places available, we recommend that you apply as early as possible (particularly if you intend to benefit from financial support).

Step 2: registration
Once we have received payment of the training fees (or funding agreement), and subject to availability of places, you are registered! You will then receive confirmation by e-mail, including all the practical details of the training course (location, detailed schedule, etc.). Enjoy your training!

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