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Begin by providing the following information then click NEXT.

Please note, all fields marked with a \* are required.

### Council Information

Council Name: \*

Select Country: \*

Select State / Territory \*

Select Yes if a Tribal Council: \*

Select Type of Area Served: \*

Locations in Your State

\*Location(s) You Selected

## Contact Information

Please input the following information to register your Citizen Corps Council and to establish a user account. Once you fill in the required information, your submission will be reviewed by the State Citizen Corps Council coordinator.

First Name: \*

Last Name: \*

Title: \*

Organization: \*

Street Address: \*

Street Address Cont.:

City: \*

Select Country: \*

State: \*

Postal Code: \*  -

Phone Number: \*  Phone Extension:

Email: \*

Confirm Email: \*

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One or more approved or pending Councils report that they operate within the area you have selected. While you may continue with completing your Council Registration, we recommend that you contact your State Citizen Corps Program Manager and the Council(s) listed below to discuss coordinating your efforts. Click on any Council in the list to get their contact information.

Click the "Continue With Registration" button below to continue your submission.

### State Citizen Corps Program Manager

Contact:  
Address:

Phone:  
Email:

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## Establish New User Password

You are required to establish a password for the system.

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A password must be different than the current password

A password must contain at least one digit or one of the following

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### Contact Information

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#### POINT OF CONTACT INFORMATION

Please note: this information will be publicly available on the Citizen Corps web site

First Name: \*

Last Name: \*

Title:

Street Address: \*

Street Address Cont.:

City: \*

Select Country: \*

State: \*

Postal Code: \*  -

Phone Number: \*  Ext:

Fax Number:  Ext:

Email:

UserName:

#### COUNCIL CONTACT INFO

Please provide the name, address, and contact information for your Citizen Corps Council that will be listed on the National Citizen Corps Website.

If you are the Council point of contact and the information you entered to create your account is the contact information to be posted on the website, you can automatically fill in these fields by clicking on the Auto-Populate Council Contact Info button.

[Auto-Populate Council Contact Info](#)

Council Name: \*

Street Address: \*

Street Address Cont.:

City: \*

Select Country: \*

State: \*

Postal Code: \*  -

Phone Number: \*  Ext:

Council Email: \*

Confirm Email: \*

Council Web Site:

Social Media Site:

Additional Social Media Site:

#### LOCAL SPONSORING ORGANIZATION

It is critical that community resilience efforts be linked to local government. To be approved for posting to the National website, your Citizen Corps Council must have the support of the local elected leadership for your Council's jurisdiction (this could be the Mayor, City/Town Manager, County Commissioner) or the Emergency Management Director for your area.

Please note: This person may be contacted to confirm sponsorship, but only the organization's name will be posted publicly on the National Citizen Corps Website

[Auto-Populate Sponsoring Organization](#)

First Name: \*

Last Name: \*

Title:

Organization: \*

Street Address: \*

Street Address Cont.:

City: \*

Select Country: \*

State: \*

Postal Code: \*  -

Phone Number: \*  Ext:

Email: \*

Confirm Email: \*

## Assign Council Jurisdiction

Please note: this information will be publicly available on the Citizen Corps web site.

Select Country: \* UNITED STATES

Select State \* Maryland

Select Yes if a Tribal Council: \* No

Select Type of Area Served: \* County

Locations in Your State  
ALLEGANY  
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**Please correct the following errors:**

- Please answer the following question: Please check at least one participating organization within the Public Sector section. If there are no selections on Elected Leadership, Emergency Responders, or Government/Government-sponsored Organizations, then "The public sector is not yet represented on the Council" must be selected.
- Please answer the following question: Please check at least one participating organization within the Private Sector section. If there are no selections on Private Sector, then "The private sector is not yet represented on the Council" must be selected.
- Please answer the following question: Please check at least one participating organization within the Voluntary and Community Sector section. If there are no selections on Voluntary Response Organizations, Other Civic Organizations/Private Non-Profit Representatives, Faith or Interfaith-based Organizations, or Philanthropic Organizations, then "The voluntary and community sector is not yet represented on the Council" must be selected.
- Please answer the following question: Please check each of the preparedness actions that your community has provided as a result of a Council supported activity and indicate whether this included public education materials and/or training/demonstrations.
- Please answer the following question: For which of the hazards below does your Council support public education materials and/or training?
- Please answer the following question: In which of the following locations has your Council supported the distribution of public education materials and/or training/demonstrations?
- Please answer the following question: For which targeted populations has your Council support tailored public education materials and/or training?
- Please answer the following question: For which types of response actions has your Council supported the distribution of public education materials and/or training/demonstrations?
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In addition to posting contact information for your Citizen Corps Council, information about your Council membership and your community's preparedness activities will be posted on the National Citizen Corps Website. Although your Council may not yet be able to answer each of the questions below, we hope they will serve as a guide for future planning or goal setting. Please be sure to update your Council's activities when changes occur.

### DATE ESTABLISHED

Council was started

\* Month:

\* Year:

### COUNCIL MEMBERSHIP

The purpose of a community preparedness council, referred to here as the Citizen Corps Council, is to foster collaboration between government and civic leaders from all sectors to develop goals and strategies for community resilience tailored to specific community vulnerabilities and population. The membership of the Council should therefore reflect the population composition, the hazard profile, and the infrastructure of the community.

While every Council's membership will be different, all Councils should have representation from each of the following sectors of the community: the public sector, the private sector, and the voluntary and community sector.



Please select all the organizations that participate in your Council.

### THE PUBLIC SECTOR \*

#### Elected Leadership

Mayor, City/Town Manager, County/Parish Elected Leader

#### Emergency Responders

- Emergency Management
  - Law Enforcement
  - Fire Service
  - Emergency Medical Services
  - Public Health Service
  - Hospitals and Health Care Facilities
  - Emergency Communications (e.g. Alerts/Warning Systems, PSAP / 911 Call Centers)
  - Hazard Materials Coordinator
  - Public Works
  - Public Utilities
- Other:

#### Government / Government-Sponsored Organizations

- Public School System / School Board
  - Community College / Public Universities
  - Land-grant Institution Extension Agent (Extension Disaster Education Network)
  - Transportation
  - Ports and Waterways
  - Agriculture
  - Animal Control
  - Prisons / Correctional Facilities
  - Uniformed Armed Forces / National Guard
  - Human Services Agencies (e.g. aging, disability, low income)
  - Public Housing
  - Building Codes and Permits
  - Veterans Affairs
  - Post Office
  - Internal Revenue Service
  - Surveyor's Office
  - Weather Service / NOAA
  - Local Emergency Planning Committees
  - Community Emergency Response Teams
  - Medical Reserve Corps
  - Volunteers in Police Service
  - Fire Corps
  - Neighborhood Watch and other Watch Programs
  - AmeriCorps / Senior Corps / Learn and Serve / VISTA
- Other:

The public sector is not yet represented on the Council

### THE PRIVATE SECTOR \*

#### Private Sector

- Privately Owned Critical Infrastructure (e.g. power, transportation)
  - Entertainment / Sports Venues
  - Shopping Centers / Malls
  - Private Schools / Universities
  - Private Hospitals / Assisted Living Facilities
  - Private Security Firms
  - Insurance
  - Banking / Mortgage Institutions
  - Hotel / Tourism
  - Media
  - Legal
- Other:
- The private sector is not yet represented on the Council

### THE VOLUNTARY AND COMMUNITY SECTOR \*

#### Voluntary Response Organizations

- American Red Cross
  - Voluntary/Community Organizations Active in Disaster (VOAD / COAD)
  - American Radio Relay League (ARRL) / Amateur Radio Emergency Service (ARES) / Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services (RACES) / Military Auxiliary Radio System (MARS)
  - Salvation Army
- Other:

#### Other Civic Organizations / Private Non-Profit Representatives

- Civic Organizations (Rotary, American Legion, VFW)
  - Volunteer Center
  - Chamber of Commerce / Jaycees
  - Neighborhood / Community / Homeowners Associations
  - Parent Teacher Associations
  - 211 Service
  - Humane Society / Animal Advocacy
  - Youth-Based Organizations
  - Youth Representative(s)
  - Language / Cultural Organizations
  - Advocacy / Service Organizations for People with Disabilities and Others Who Also Have Access and Functional Needs
  - Advocacy / Service Organizations for Older Adults
  - Advocacy / Service Organizations for Low Income Issues
- Other:

#### Faith or Interfaith-Based Organizations

- Faith or Interfaith-Based Organizations
  - Places of Worship
- Other:

#### Philanthropic Organizations

- United Way
  - Community Foundation
- Other:
- The voluntary and community sector is not yet represented on the Council

## PREPARING THE PUBLIC AND ORGANIZATIONS IN THE COMMUNITY

Educating and involving the public is a critical element of community resilience. Please provide information on what your community is doing to elevate the knowledge, skills, and participation of community residents to prepare for community threats and hazards.

For each section below, please indicate whether this includes public education materials (e.g., handouts, publications, advertising, PSAs, websites) and/or training/demonstrations.

### Preparedness Actions \*

For which of the following preparedness actions does your Council support education and/or training? Select all that apply.

Preparedness Actions	Public Education Materials	Training/Demonstrations
Local alerts/warnings	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Protective measures for no-notice hazards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Family Emergency Plan	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Emergency supplies in multiple locations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
First Aid	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
CPR / AED	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Local information on evacuating	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Local information on sheltering	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Guidance on practicing response (drills)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mitigation measures for property	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prevention measures (crime/terrorism)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Prevention measures (public health)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cyber safety measures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other: <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
None of the above	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Hazard Types \*

For which of the hazards below does your Council support public education and/or training? Select all that apply.

Hazard Types	Public Education Materials	Training/Demonstrations
All-hazards	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Crime	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Explosions	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hazardous Materials	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Household Emergencies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Natural Disasters	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Nuclear / Radiological Events	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Public Health	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Terrorism	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other: <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
None of the above	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Locations \*

In which of the following locations has your Council supported the distribution of public education materials and/or training/demonstrations? Select all that apply.

Locations	Public Education Materials	Training/Demonstrations
Neighborhoods	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Schools	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Places of Worship	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Workplace	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Civic / Non-profit Organizations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community events	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other: <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
None of the above	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Targeted Populations \***

For which targeted populations has your Council support tailored public education materials and/or training? Select all that apply.

Targeted Populations	Public Education Materials	Training/Demonstrations
General public	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Older adults	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Youth	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Pet Owners	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Diverse Language and Cultures	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Economic Factors / Low Income	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People with Disabilities and Others Who Also Have Access and Functional Needs	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
People with Transportation Dependencies	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other: <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
None of the above	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Response Actions \***

For which types of response actions has your Council supported the distribution of public education materials and/or training/demonstrations? Select all that apply.

Response Actions	Public Education Materials	Training/Demonstrations
Building evacuations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community evacuations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sealing a room (aerosol protections)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sheltering in place (staying where you are)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Community sheltering (mass care shelters)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Continuity of Operations	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other: <input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
None of the above	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

**\* What types of outreach has your Council supported to increase personal preparedness? Select all that apply.**

- Website
  - Social media
  - Printed materials (brochures, flyers)
  - Posters/Displays
  - Radio announcements
  - Television announcements
  - Automated text alerts
  - Reverse 9-1-1
  - Talking points for community leaders
  - Community events
- Other:
- None of the above

\* Does your Council Participate in National Preparedness Month?

## VOLUNTEER SERVICE

If there is a website for people in the area to sign up for local volunteer opportunities, please provide a link:

**\* Which of the following volunteer programs does your Council support? Select all that apply.**

- Community Emergency Response Team (CERT)
- Fire Corps
- Medical Reserve Corps
- Neighborhood Watch
- Volunteers in Police Service
- None of the above

### Other Programs \*

Please identify other programs or specialized areas in which volunteers can participate. Select all that apply and include program name if appropriate.

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Program Type	Program Name
<input type="checkbox"/> Preparedness Education/Outreach Volunteer:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Preparedness Education for Youth:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> First Aid / CPR / AED Training:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Management:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Fire Service:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Law Enforcement:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Public Health and Medical Services:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Search and Rescue Volunteer:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Language and Cultural Outreach Volunteer:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Pet/Animal Needs Volunteer:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> IT / Communications Volunteer:	<input type="text"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Emergency Transportation Services:	<input type="text"/>
Other: <input type="text"/>	
<input type="checkbox"/> None of the above	

\* Approximately how many volunteers participated in Council supported activities community-wide in calendar year 2013?

Do not know

\* Approximately how many Council supported volunteer service hours were completed in calendar year 2013?

Do not know

\* Does your Council support programs that train volunteers for disaster response or recovery roles?

Please Select ▼

\* Do disaster volunteers receive training in the Incident Command System?

Please Select ▼

\* Have volunteers from your jurisdiction helped to respond to disasters in your area?

Please Select ▼

\* Have volunteers from your jurisdiction helped to respond to disasters outside of your area?

Please Select ▼

\* Does your jurisdiction include volunteers in response roles when emergency operations plans are practiced or exercised?

Please Select ▼

## AWARDS AND RECOGNITION

\* Does your Council use the Presidential Volunteer Service Award to honor volunteers?

Please Select ▼

\* Does your Citizen Corps Council celebrate the contributions of volunteers and community leaders with other types of awards and/or recognition ceremonies?

Please Select ▼

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- Please answer the following question: What is the participation of the local elected leader (e.g. Mayor, County Commissioner)?
- Please answer the following question: What is the participation of the local Emergency Manager?
- Please answer the following question: The Council Point of Contact posted on the public website is:
- Please answer the following question: Approximately what percentage of the Council Point of Contact's time is devoted to Council activities?
- Please answer the following question: Does your Council have formal organizational documents?
- Please answer the following question: Is your Council registered as a 501c3 organization or is it associated with a 501c3 organization?
- Please answer the following question: Please estimate the percentage of funding your Council receives from the following sources for its annual budget.
- Provided funding percentages do not add up to 100%.
- Please answer the following question: Please indicate which of the following plans have been discussed, reviewed, or revised by your Council within the past two years:
- Please answer the following question: Transportation question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Communications question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Public Works and Engineering question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Firefighting question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Emergency Management question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Mass Care, Emergency Assistance, Housing, and Human Services question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Logistics Management and Resource Support question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Public Health and Medical Services question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Search and Rescue question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Oil and Hazardous Materials Response question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Agriculture and Natural Resources question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Energy question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Public Safety and Security question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Long-Term Community Recovery question in Emergency Support Functions section.

- Please answer the following question: External Affairs question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Volunteer and Donations Management question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Private Sector question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Traffic Management question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Military and National Guard question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: Animal Protection question in Emergency Support Functions section.
- Please answer the following question: How has your jurisdiction exercised your Emergency Operations Plan?
- Please answer the following question: If your jurisdiction has exercised your Emergency Operations Plan, did community members participate in the exercise?
- Please answer the following question: If your jurisdiction has exercised your Emergency Operations Plan, when was the last exercise or actual event?
- Please answer the following question: If your jurisdiction has exercised your Emergency Operations Plan, was the plan revised as a result of the exercise or event?
- Please answer the following question: Does your Council support a community database or electronic listing of volunteers from your jurisdiction?
- Please answer the following question: Does your community conduct background checks on participants in volunteer programs or response efforts?
- Please answer the following question: Does your community track skills and credentials of volunteers?
- Please answer the following question: Has your jurisdiction ever used volunteer contributions as a soft match requirement for a grant?
- Please answer the following question: How are legal protections provided for volunteers?
- Please answer the following question: How does your Council evaluate the impact / success of its efforts?
- You selected 0 options for the following question which requires that at least 3 options be selected unless an answer such as 'Do not know' or 'None of the above' is selected: What are the top three factors contributing to the success of your Council's efforts?
- You selected 0 options for the following question which requires that at least 3 options be selected unless an answer such as 'Do not know' or 'None of the above' is selected: What are the top three obstacles to the success of your Council's efforts?
- You selected 0 options for the following question which requires that at least 3 options be selected unless an answer such as 'Do not know' or 'None of the above' is selected: What are the three areas in which your Council could most use assistance?
- Please answer the following question: The Council's activities have had a positive impact on the safety and resiliency of my community.
- Please answer the following question: Have your Congressional representatives ever participated in a community preparedness event or activity in your area?

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Please note: answers to the following questions will NOT be posted on the public website, but will be posted on the password protected portal - accessible only to other Citizen Corps Councils and Partners. This data will help us all better understand how community preparedness and resilience efforts are being implemented around the country and will help with growing and expanding these efforts.

### COUNCIL ADMINISTRATION

\* How often does your council meet?

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**\* Does your Council have formal organizational documents? Select all that apply.**

- Charter
- Executive Order
- By-laws
- Other:

Other:

Do not know

\* Is your Council registered as a 501c3 organization or is it associated with a 501c3 organization?

How much funding did your Citizen Corps program receive over the past year?

\* Please estimate the percentage of funding your Council receives from the following sources for its annual budget.

- Homeland Security funding through the State  %
- Other federal funding through State  %
- Direct Federal funding  %
- State government funding  %
- Local government funding  %
- Private Sector donations  %
- Foundations or Philanthropic Organizations  %
- General Fundraising  %
- Other  %

- None
- Do not know

### Collaborative Planning

\* Please indicate which of the following plans have been discussed, reviewed, or revised by your Council within the past two years:

- Community Vulnerability / Risk Assessments
- Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan
- Emergency Operations Plan
- Mitigation Plan
- Homeland Security Strategy
- Continuity of Operations Plan
- Alerts and Warnings Systems
- Evacuation Plan
- Shelter Plan
- Exercise Plan

Other:

Do not know

## Emergency Support Functions

Please indicate which Emergency Support Functions in the jurisdiction's Emergency Operations Plan formally include local non-governmental resources, including equipment and/or human resources. For information on Emergency Support Functions please visit: <http://www.fema.gov/emergency/nrf/>

* Transportation	Please Select ▾
* Communications	Please Select ▾
* Public Works and Engineering	Please Select ▾
* Firefighting	Please Select ▾
* Emergency Management	Please Select ▾
* Mass Care, Emergency Assistance, Housing, and Human Services	Please Select ▾
* Logistics Management and Resource Support	Please Select ▾
* Public Health and Medical Services	Please Select ▾
* Search and Rescue	Please Select ▾
* Oil and Hazardous Materials Response	Please Select ▾
* Agriculture and Natural Resources	Please Select ▾
* Energy	Please Select ▾
* Public Safety and Security	Please Select ▾
* Long-Term Community Recovery	Please Select ▾
* External Affairs	Please Select ▾
* Volunteer and Donations Management	Please Select ▾
* Private Sector	Please Select ▾
* Traffic Management	Please Select ▾
* Military and National Guard	Please Select ▾
* Animal Protection	Please Select ▾
* Other	Please Select ▾

\* How has your jurisdiction exercised your Emergency Operations Plan? Select all that apply.

- Table-top exercise
- Full scale exercise
- Drill
- Actual response
- Have not exercised the plan
- Do not know

\* If your jurisdiction has exercised your Emergency Operations Plan, when was the last exercise or actual event?

- Within the past 12 months
- 1-2 years ago
- Over 2 years ago
- Do not know
- Not applicable

\* If your jurisdiction has exercised your Emergency Operations Plan, did community members participate in the exercise?

Please Select ▾

\* If your jurisdiction has exercised your Emergency Operations Plan, was the plan revised as a result of the exercise or event?

Please Select ▾



## Volunteer Service

\* Does your Council support a community database or electronic listing of volunteers from your jurisdiction?

\* If you have a database of volunteers, do you track their willingness to deploy outside of the local jurisdiction?

\* Does your community conduct background checks on participants in volunteer programs or response efforts?

\* Does your community track skills and credentials of volunteers?

\* Has your jurisdiction ever used volunteer contributions as a soft match requirement for a grant?

\* How are legal protections provided for volunteers?

- Federal Volunteer Protection Act
- State Good Samaritan Laws
- State Legislation protecting volunteer actions
- Through a Local Agency
- Not provided

Other:

Do not know

## Evaluation and Assessment

\* How does your Council evaluate the impact / success of its efforts? Select all that apply. \* What are the top three factors contributing to the success of your Council's efforts?

- Conduct surveys
- Track data collected from existing sources, e.g. crime reports
- Completed training and certification by individuals and organizations
- Number of volunteers
- Number of volunteer hours
- Anecdotal feedback from government/community leaders
- Assess performance in exercises

Response capabilities in an actual event, e.g. evacuation times, numbers sheltered, number of volunteers

Other:

- None of the above
- Do not know

\* What are the top three obstacles to the success of your Council's efforts?

- Insufficient Funding
- Lack of Council membership involvement
- Lack of public interest
- Lack of staff support
- Lack of local government support
- Infrequent and/or irregular meetings
- Lack of Council leadership
- Insufficient state government support

Other:

- Do not know

- Council leadership
- Council membership
- Staff support
- Regularly scheduled meetings
- Local government support
- State government support
- Funding
- Public interest

Other:

- Do not know

\* What are the three areas in which your Council could most use assistance?

- Outreach and communicating with the public
- Conducting drills and exercises
- Data management
- Developing/reviewing local emergency response plans
- Determining the level of risk in your jurisdiction
- Integrating homeland security into emergency plans
- Coordination with state and federal agencies

Other:

- Do not know

\* Please provide any additional information on your Council's success, challenges, and needs. This section is limited to 500 characters.

\* Rate the following statement: The Council's activities have had a positive impact on the safety and resiliency of my community.

- Strongly Agree
- Agree
- Neither Agree nor Disagree
- Disagree
- Strongly Disagree

## Congressional Involvement

\* Have your Congressional representatives ever participated in a community preparedness event or activity in your area?

Please Select

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All fields marked with a red asterisk (\*) are required.

Thank you for your commitment to collaborative community preparedness. By registering your Council, you are joining a nationwide network of communities dedicated to building stronger, safer, more resilient nation. By posting information on the National Citizen Corps Website, you will be able to highlight information about your efforts to achieve community resilience, your state and federal partners will be able to share relevant information with you, and interested individuals in your jurisdiction will be able to contact you to get involved.

Please note, this section of the website is for Council representatives to register a new Council or to update their Council Profile information. If you are not an official representative of a Council, but are interested in participating in individual and community preparedness efforts, please contact your nearest local or state Council, which can be located by entering your zip code in the [Citizen Corps Council search function](#).

If you experience any difficulties registering or updating your Council information, please send an email to [citizencorps@dhs.gov](mailto:citizencorps@dhs.gov). Thank you.

### Ready For Submission

Please take a moment to ensure your entries are correct. If you need to update anything, simply click the correct tab above to edit the information.

After submitting this form, this information will be sent to your State Citizen Corps Program Manager for review. Once your information is approved by the State, your information will be posted on the publically assessable national Citizen Corps website and on the password protected Citizen Corps portal.

If you do not wish to proceed with this process, please do NOT submit the request for approval.

Please be sure to keep the information about your community preparedness efforts current. With your password, you may update this information at any time. At a minimum, we strongly recommend that you update your Profile twice a year.

Thank you again for your interest in Citizen Corps!

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## COUNCIL INFORMATION

### General

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## Your new Council request has been submitted!

Congratulations! Your new Citizen Corps Council request has been submitted to the appropriate authority.

Your request has been sent to:

Contact:

Address:

City:

Phone:

Email:

At this point, you may no longer update your submission until it is either approved or denied by the listed authority. Please take a moment to review the submission sent to the approval authority for accuracy (presented below). If you find a mistake, please contact them directly with the appropriate corrections.

Additionally, please check back regularly, or contact the state representative directly for further information on the status of your request. Once approved or denied, you will receive an e-mail notifying you of that decision.

Thank you for your submission.

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## Community Emergency Response Team (CERT): Program Registration

Thank you for your support of the CERT Program and your commitment to strengthen collaboration between community members and emergency responders.

THIS PAGE IS TO REGISTER OFFICIAL CERT PROGRAMS ONLY, not to register individuals or individual teams sponsored by a local CERT Program. To be an official CERT Program, the program must:

1. Be operated by a local emergency response organization such as your local Fire Department or Office of Emergency Management and endorsed by the local Citizen Corps Council if your community has one
2. Conduct the CERT Basic Training Course and a CERT exercise at least once a year
3. Have a point of contact to be posted with other program information on the national CERT website

If you represent an official CERT Program, please continue. The information about your program will be posted on the national CERT website. Your information will help individuals interested in CERT from your area to contact you. Being listed in the National CERT Registry will also allow you to share relevant information on CERT and other programs.

Your submission will be reviewed by the State CERT Manager or the Citizen Corps Program Manager before being posted. Once your CERT Program is approved, the CERT point of contact you identify below will receive a password to access your registration page and to update the posted content as needed. This point of contact will also receive an automatic reminder to update the information every six months. Thank you for keeping the information on the website about your CERT Program current.

If you have any problems with completing this form or with updating your posted information, please contact us at [cert@dhs.gov](mailto:cert@dhs.gov).

Thank you again for your commitment to the CERT Program and the effort to train community members and include them in supporting local emergency services.

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## Register / Edit CERT Program Profile

### CERT Program Information:

CERT Program Name:

Select Country: \*

Select State / Territory: \*

Select Yes if a Tribal CERT Program: \*

Select Type of Area Served: \*

Locations in Your State:

\*Location(s) You Selected:

### Contact Information

Please input the following information to register your CERT Program and to establish a user account. Once you fill in the required information, your submission will be reviewed by the

Last Name: \*

Title:

Organization: \*

Street Address: \*

Street Address Cont.:

City: \*

State / Territory: \*

Postal Code: \*  -

Select Country: \*

Phone Number: \*  Ext:

Fax Number:  Ext:

Email: \*

Confirm Email: \*



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## Overlapping CERT Programs Found

### OVERLAPPING JURISDICTIONS

One or more approved or pending CERT Programs report that they operate within the jurisdiction(s) you have selected. While you may continue with completing your CERT Program registration, we recommend that you contact your State CERT or Citizen Corps Program Manager and the local CERT Program(s) listed below to discuss coordinating your efforts. Click on any local CERT Program in the list to get their full contact information.

Click the "Continue with Registration" button below to continue your submission.

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## Establish New User Password

You are required to establish a password for the system.

Passwords have the following restrictions:

A password must be greater than 7 characters

A password must be different than the current password

A password must contain at least one digit or one of the following non-character values: @#\$\$%^&+\*-

⇒ Choose A Password:

⇒ Confirm Password:

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## Add CERT

All fields marked with a red asterisk (\*) are required.

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#### POINT OF CONTACT INFORMATION

This is the principal point of contact for your CERT Program. This person's name, phone number, and email address will be posted on the website so that people interested in CERT in your area can get involved. This is also the person who will receive information from state or federal partners. You may wish to create a generic email address for your program, such as AnytownCERT@town.state.us. This will allow multiple people to access the account and won't fill up an individual's email box.

Please note: This information will be publicly available on the CERT website. By submitting this form, the sender is confirming that the point of contact consents to have his or her name, phone number, and email address included in the online national CERT Registry.

First Name: \*

Middle Initial:

Last Name: \*

Title:

Organization: \*

Street Address: \*

Street Address Cont.:

City: \*

State / Territory: \*

Postal Code: \*  -

Select Country: \*

Phone Number: \*  Ext:

Fax Number:  Ext:

Email:

#### CERT PROGRAM CONTACT INFO

Please provide the name, address, and contact information for your CERT Program. If the CERT Program address is the same as your CERT Program point of contact address, you can automatically fill in these fields by clicking on "Populate from contact info".

Please note: This information will be publicly available on the CERT website.

Auto-Populate CERT Contact Info

CERT Program Name: \*

Sponsoring Organization: \*

CERT Program Street Address: \*

Street Address Cont.:

City: \*

State / Territory: \*

Postal Code: \*  -

Select Country: \*

Phone Number: \*  Ext:

Fax Number:  Ext:

CERT Web Site:

Social media site, if applicable:

Second social media site, if applicable:

#### LOCAL SPONSORING ORGANIZATION

The sponsoring official of your CERT Program is a local elected leader, or the director or head of the agency which houses the program. This is typically the fire chief, police chief, sheriff or emergency manager of the jurisdiction, but may be another official.

Please note: None of this information except the sponsoring organization's name will be publicly available on the CERT website.

Auto-Populate Sponsoring Organization

First Name: \*

Middle Initial:

Last Name: \*

Title:

Organization: \*

Street Address: \*

Street Address Cont.:

City: \*

State / Territory: \*

Postal Code: \*  -

Phone Number: \*  Ext:

Select Country: \*

Email: \*

Confirm Email: \*

## Assign CERT Jurisdiction

Since you have already provided the service area at the beginning of the registration process, we have pre-populated this page with that information. We provide this page as an opportunity to correct or expand your original selections.

Please note: This information will be publicly available on the CERT website.

Select Country: \* UNITED STATES ▼

Select State / Territory: \* District of Columbia ▼

Select Yes if a Tribal CERT Program: \* No ▼

Select Type of Area Served: \* Local ▼

Indicate if your program is a Tribal, Campus, Teen, Workplace, or Regional CERT Program (Drop-down Menu Selection).

Locations in Your State  
20001 (WASHINGTON) ▲  
20003 (WASHINGTON) ▲  
20004 (WASHINGTON) ▲  
20005 (WASHINGTON) ▼

\*Location(s) You Selected

20002 (WASHINGTON) ▲

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If a local/county/regional program, how many Campus CERTs are in your program's jurisdiction?  
If a local/county/ regional program, how many Teen CERTs are in your program's jurisdiction?  
If a local/county/ regional program, how many Workplace CERTs are in your program's jurisdiction?

Save and Continue

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**Please correct the following errors:**

- Please answer the following question: Does your CERT Program organize participants into identified teams who will work together in an incident?
- Please answer the following question: Does your CERT Program conduct background checks on participants?
- Please answer the following question: Is your local CERT Program coordinator / manager paid?
- Please answer the following question: Are your CERT Program/CERTs referenced in your jurisdiction's Emergency Operations Plan?
- Please answer the following question: Does your CERT Program have a written protocol for CERT activation in emergencies in your jurisdiction?
- Please answer the following question: Is your CERT activation procedure included in your agency's written procedures/protocols?

All fields marked with a red asterisk (\*) are required.

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Your program information last updated on Aug 12, 2015

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

CERT was started

\* Month: August

\* Year: 2015

#### GENERAL INFORMATION

\* Does your CERT Program organize participants into identified teams who will work together in an incident?

Select

\* Does your CERT Program conduct background checks on participants?

Select

\* If yes, please indicate who is checked:

Please Select

### STAFFING

\* Is your local CERT Program coordinator / manager paid or a volunteer?

Select

\* If your manager is paid, what approximate percentage of their time is allotted to CERT?

Select

### OTHER INFORMATION

\* Are your CERT Program members/teams referenced in your jurisdiction's Emergency Operations or Emergency Management Plan?

Select

\* Does your CERT Program have a written protocol for CERT activation in emergencies in your jurisdiction?

Select

\* Is your CERT activation protocol included in your agency's written procedures/protocols?

Select

\* How do CERT participants in your program activate? Select all that apply:

- May self-activate
- Are activated by the local CERT Program
- Are activated by agency that houses the CERT Program (for example, fire department, law enforcement agency, campus or workplace security office, emergency management agency)
- Do not know

How many active volunteers are currently rostered by the program?

How many times did your CERT program meet this year?

How many teams has your CERT program organized in your jurisdiction?

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**!** Please correct the following errors:

- Please answer the following question: Approximately how many volunteer service hours did your CERT members donate in calendar year?
- Please answer the following question: As of today's date, how many trained CERT instructors does your program have?
- Please answer the following question: Please indicate how many of your instructors received their CERT Train-the-Trainer instruction from each of the following
- Please answer the following question: Please indicate how many of your instructors received their CERT Train-the-Trainer instruction from a state sponsored course
- Please answer the following question: Please indicate how many of your instructors received their CERT Train-the-Trainer instruction from a locally sponsored course
- Please answer the following question: Please indicate how many of your instructors received their CERT Train-the-Trainer instruction from the FEMA Emergency Management Institute (EMI)
- Please answer the following question: Please indicate what types of background your CERT instructors have.
- Please answer the following question: The percentages entered in response to the question "Please estimate the percent of funding your CERT program receives from each of the following." do not add up to 100%. Please adjust your answers so that they do.
- Please answer the following question: As of today's date, on average, how many times per year does your program conduct the CERT Basic Training Course?
- Please answer the following question: Number of CERT classes that have graduated since your program started?
- Please answer the following question: Number of individuals that have completed CERT Basic Training Course since your program started?
- Please answer the following question: Local CERT Programs offer training to the general public and/or to particular groups in the community. Please check the types of groups for which your CERT Program holds classes
- Please answer the following question: Please indicate the language(s) in which your program conducts CERT training
- Please answer the following question: How many times have your CERTs responded in actual emergencies?
- Please answer the following question: Please indicate the types of emergencies/disasters to which your CERTs have responded. (Check all that apply.)
- Please answer the following question: What activities have your CERTs conducted in real emergencies?
- Please answer the following question: What kinds of non-emergency functions do your CERT members participate in?
- Please answer the following question: Does your program offer or require supplemental training in addition to the CERT Basic Training Course?

All fields marked with a red asterisk (\*) are required.

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In addition to posting a contact for your CERT Program, we would also like to include some more detailed information about your program. Your answers to the following will be posted on your program page on the CERT website.

Your program information last updated on **Aug 12, 2015**

### TRAINING

Please be sure to update these figures whenever you complete a new training.

\* As of today's date, on average, how many times per year does your program conduct the CERT Basic Training Course?

\* Number of CERT classes that have graduated since your program started?

\* Number of individuals who have completed CERT Basic Training Course since your program started?

How many participants completed the CERT Basic Training course in the past year?

### Training Options

\* Local CERT Programs offer training to the general public and/or to particular groups in the community. Please check the types of groups for which your CERT Program holds classes:

- General public / Open classes
- Specific neighborhood groups
- Businesses
- Critical infrastructure sectors (e.g., utilities, public transportation)
- Government groups
- Faith-based organizations
- Teens / Youth
- Colleges / Universities
- People with disabilities
- Military groups

Other:

Do not know

\* Please indicate the language(s) in which your program conducts CERT training:

- English
- Arabic
- Chinese
- Haitian-Creole
- Korean
- Russian
- Somali
- Spanish
- Tagalog
- Urdu
- Vietnamese

Other:

Do not know

**Supplemental Training**

\* Does your program offer or require supplemental training in addition to the CERT Basic Training Course?

Select ▼

\* If yes, please Select all that apply and indicate if any other organizations help to conduct these trainings (e.g., the American Red Cross, American Safety & Health Institute, National Safety Council, National Association for Search & Rescue, National Fire Protection Association, Amateur Radio Relay League), whether the training is offered online, and whether you require the training for your CERT members:

Apply?	Additional Training	Training Provider	Online?	Required?
<input type="checkbox"/>	CERT Animal Response I	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	CERT Animal Response II	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	IS-100.a Introduction to Incident Command System (ICS)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	IS-200.a ICS for Single Resources	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	IS-700.a National Incident Management System (NIMS), An Introduction	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	IS-800.b National Response Framework, An Introduction	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Amateur radio operation	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Animals in emergencies (training other than CERT Animal Response modules)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Community relations	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Additional CBRNE awareness	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Automatic External Defibrillation (AED)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Additional damage assessment	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Decontamination techniques	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Basic first aid	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Additional Incident Command System (ICS)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Additional National Incident Management System (NIMS)	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Mass care	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Shelter operations/management	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Additional Search & Rescue	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Wildland/Urban interface issues	<input type="text"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

- CERT Traffic and Crowd Management
- CERT Emergency Communications
- CERT Tools for Leadership Success
- Flood Response for CERT
- CERT Firefighter Rehab
- CERT Exercise Swaps
- CERT Damage Assessment
- Point of Distribution (POD) for CERT

Other:

Do not know



### Exercises

For each of the following types of emergencies, please indicate the total number of exercises in which your CERTs have participated and the total number of CERT members who participated in or supported the exercises.

This includes all categories of exercises (drills, tabletops, full scale, competitions such as "CERT rodeos," etc.), but please do NOT include participation in the "final exercise" of the CERT Basic Training Course.

Example: Your CERT Program has participated in 3 bio-terrorism exercises and 50 CERT members participated in each exercise for a total of 150 CERT exercise participants.

Note: If your CERT Program has not participated in a particular type of exercise list below then enter a zero in both Number of Exercises and Total Number of CERT Participants for that exercise to indicate such.

\* Exercises for emergency services personnel in which CERT members participated:

Type of Exercise	Number of Exercises	Total Number of CERT Participants
WMD/Terrorism	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Natural Disaster	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
Medical Emergencies / Strategic National Stockpile	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>
CERT Specific Exercises	<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>

Insert a number for how many times your CERTs responded to or supported non-emergency events and activities: \_\_\_\_

Do not know   
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#### Emergencies

\* Insert a number for how many times your CERTs responded in actual emergencies.

\* Please indicate the types of emergencies/disasters to which your CERTs have responded.

- Earthquake
- Flood
- Excessive heat
- Hurricane / Coastal storm
- Missing person search
- Landslide / Mudflow
- Pandemic
- Severe thunderstorm
- Tornado
- Tsunami
- Volcanic eruption
- Wildland / Urban interface fire
- Winter storm
- Other:
- Not applicable
- Do not know

#### Activities During Emergencies

Please indicate all activities your CERTs conducted in real emergencies. Select all that apply:

- Residential / Neighborhood checks
- Medical intervention (triage or treatment)
- Special needs evacuation
- Animal evacuation or shelter
- General evacuation
- Debris removal
- Sandbagging
- Managing / processing supplies or donations
- Traffic management / Crowd management
- Initial damage assessment
- Basic search and rescue
- Fire-related safety measures
- Utility control / Shut off
- Staffing Emergency Operating Center
- Staffing shelters
- Community relations / Distribution of emergency information to public
- Other:
- Not applicable
- Do not know

#### Non-Emergency Functions

\* Please indicate all non-emergency functions your CERT members participate in. Select all that apply:

- Hazard / Threat assessments
- Mitigation activities
- Support for emergency planning (neighborhoods, schools, community)
- Support for public safety at community events
- Emergency preparedness
- Fire safety
- Public health issues
- Crime prevention
- Terrorism awareness
- Home safety / prevention assistance to others (winterizing homes, fire safety actions, crime prevention steps, etc.)
- Other:
- Not applicable
- Do not know

#### CERT DESCRIPTION:

\* Please provide any other brief information you would like members of the community to know about your local CERT Program. For example, you may provide any local program goals, days of the week when training is typically conducted, how the program has used/plans to use CERTs in emergency and non-emergency situations, etc.

(Please do not include any charts, graphs, or other formatted text. This section is limited to 500 characters.)

## VOLUNTEER HOURS

Please estimate hours based on all CERT activities (e.g., training and exercises, emergency response, non-emergency functions, team meetings, etc.):

\* Approximately how many volunteer service hours did your CERT members donate during the calendar year 2013?

Does not apply  Do not know

How many CERT volunteers participated in CERT activities during the calendar year \_\_\_\_?

## TRAINERS

\* As of today's date, how many trained CERT instructors does your program have?

Do not know

**\* Please indicate how many of your instructors received their CERT Train-the-Trainer instruction from each of the following:**

State sponsored course

Locally sponsored course

FEMA Emergency Management Institute (EMI)

Other:

Do not know

**\* Please indicate what types of background your CERT instructors have. Select all that apply:**

Fire / Emergency medical service

Emergency management

Law enforcement

Volunteer organization

Other:

Do not know

Military

## FUNDING

**\* Please estimate the percent of funding your CERT program receives from each of the following. The total funding across all categories must be 100%.**

Federal funding  %

State funding (other than Federal grants allocated through the State)  %

Local jurisdiction funding  %

Private sector support  %

Foundation or philanthropy  %

General fundraising  %

Other:  %

How much funding did your CERT program receive over the past year?

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All fields marked with a red asterisk (\*) are required.

### Welcome First Time User!

Your new CERT request is now ready to be submitted for review by your state.

Keep in mind, once you submit the request, you may not edit the submission further until a decision has been made by your state approval authority.

Please take a moment to ensure your entries are correct. For your records, the contact portion of the information to be submitted to the approval authority is presented below. If you find a mistake, simply click the correct tab above to edit the information.

When your information is ready for submission, click the SUBMIT FOR APPROVAL button below.

Thank you again for your interest in CERT!

#### General Information:

CERT Program Name:	DC Test Program 3
Street Address:	800 K Street NW
City:	Washington
State/Territory:	DC
Postal Code:	20001
Country:	UNITED STATES
Phone Number:	(202) 788-9687
Program Web Site:	
Program Description:	N/A

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## Your new CERT request has been submitted!

Congratulations! Your request to register a new CERT Program has been submitted to the appropriate authority.

Your request has been sent to:

Contact:  
Address:

Phone:  
Email:

At this point, you may no longer update your submission until it is either approved or denied by the listed authority. For your records, the information submitted to the approval authority is presented below. If you find a mistake, please contact them directly with the appropriate corrections.

Additionally, please check back regularly, or contact the state representative directly for further information on the status of your request. Once approved or denied, you will receive an e-mail notifying you of that decision.

Thank you for your submission.

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