

The Joint Commission and Joint Commission Resources
Environment of Care Base Camp

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Tuesday, April 25, 2023

7:30am – 8:00am Registration & Breakfast

Overview of the Joint Commission Survey and Accreditation Process

- TJC Survey Process
 - Survey Reports and The SAFER Matrix
 - Post Survey Process
- 8:00am – 9:45am
- National Fire Protection Association Code References
 - Most Frequently Cited EC Standards and Elements of Performance

Knowledge Assessment
Question and Answer Session

9:45am – 10:00am Break

Environment of Care, Safety, and Security

- Management Plans
 - Safety Management
 - Security Management
- 10:00am – 12:00pm

Knowledge Assessment
Question and Answer Session

12:00pm – 12:45pm Lunch

Fire Safety

- Fire Response Plan
 - Fire Drills
 - Equipment Inspection, Testing, & Maintenance
- 12:45pm – 2:45pm

Knowledge Assessment
Question and Answer Session

2:45pm – 3:00pm Break

3:00pm – 5:00 pm	Hazardous Materials Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifying Hazardous Materials & Waste • Managing Hazardous Material & Waste
	Medical Equipment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Equipment selection and Risk Based Inventory • Inspection, Testing, and Maintenance • Incident Management
	Knowledge Assessment Final Question and Answer Session of Day 1

5:00pm **Adjourn Day 1**

Wednesday, April 26, 2023

7:30am – 8:00am **Breakfast**

8:00am – 10:00am	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Utilities Management • Risk-Based Inventory • Maintenance Strategies • Infection Control within Utility Systems
	Knowledge Assessment Question and Answer Session

10:15am – 10:30am **Break**

10:30am – 12:00pm	Utilities Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Water Management Program • Emergency Electrical Power Systems • Inspection, Testing, and Maintenance
	Knowledge Assessment Question and Answer Session

12:00pm – 12:45pm **Lunch**

12:45pm – 2:45pm	Utilities Management <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medical Gas and Vacuum Systems
	Other Physical Environment Requirements Knowledge Assessment Question and Answer Session

2:45pm – 3:00pm **Break**

3:00 pm – 5:00pm **National Patient Safety Goals**
Staff Demonstrate Competence

Monitoring and Improvement

Knowledge Assessment Question and Answer Session

5:00pm

Adjourn Day 2

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

At the conclusion of this program participants will be able to:

1. Compare your organization's current survey process for accreditation compliance to The Joint Commission's Environment of Care (EC) chapter as presented in this program.
2. Implement The Joint Commission requirements for managing compliance with the six EC programs within your organization.
3. Integrate the EC Performance Monitoring and Staff Development standards into your organization's practices.
4. Compare your organization's EC data to the EC trends and updates presented in this program.

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