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Le guide assistera les premiers intervenants à prendre les décisions initiales lorsqu'ils arriveront sur les lieux d'un incident mettant en cause des marchandises dangereuses; toutefois, ils ne doivent pas le considérer comme pouvant remplacer leur formation personnelle en matière d'intervention d'urgence, leur propres connaissances ou leur bon jugement. Ce guide ne peut couvrir toutes les éventualités que peut comporter un tel incident. il vise avant tout les incidents que se produisent sur les routes ou les

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voies ferroviaires. N'oubliez pas que dans les installations fixes, il peut avoir une utilité limitée.

This guide will help local communities prepare for potential accidents involving hazardous materials. Describes how to form a local planning team, find a team leader, identify and analyze hazards, identify existing response equipment and personnel, write a plan, and keep the plan up to date. Will help communities, small and large alike, to make the impact of accidents less severe. Appendices: implementing Title III; list of acronyms and recognized abbreviations; glossary; criteria for assessing state and local preparedness; bibliography. Also includes a 32-page report, "What's Happening with Hazardous Materials Emergency Response Teams," excerpts from "Energy and Transportation Network News" (April 1994).

Terrorism threats and increased school and workplace violence have always generated headlines, but in recent years, the response to these events has received heightened media scrutiny. *Critical Incident Management: A Complete Resource Guide, Second Edition* provides evidence-based, tested, and proven methodologies applicable to a host of scenarios that may be encountered in the public and private sector. Filled with tactical direction designed to prevent, contain, manage, and resolve emergencies and critical incidents efficiently and effectively, this volume explores: The phases of a critical incident response and tasks that must be implemented to stabilize the scene Leadership style and techniques required to manage a critical incident successfully The National Incident Management System (NIMS) and the Incident Command System (ICS) Guidelines for responding to hazardous materials and weapons of mass destruction incidents Critical incident stress management for responders Maintaining continuity of business and delivery of products or services in the face of a crisis Roles of high-level personnel in

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setting policy and direction for the response and recovery efforts Augmented by Seven Critical Tasks™ that have been the industry standard for emergency management and response, the book guides readers through every aspect of a critical incident: from taking initial scene command, to managing resources, to resolution, and finally to recovery and mitigation from the incident. The authors' company, BowMac Educational Services, Inc., presently conducts five courses certified by the Department of Homeland Security. These hands-on "Simulation Based" Courses will prepare your personnel to handle any unexpected scenario. For additional information contact: 585-624-9500 or johnmcnall@bowmac.com.

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information fast.

This handbook has been prepared as a working reference for the safety officer, the environmental engineer, and the consultant. For the safety officer, this handbook provides detailed guidelines and instructions in preparing Right-to-Know Reporting Audits, establishing programs and training employees on hazard awareness, and developing and implementing emergency response programs in the workplace and at off-site operations. For the environmental engineer, this handbook provides extensive technical data on toxic chemical properties and detailed instructional aid on how to properly prepare toxic chemical release inventory reporting. For the environmental consultant, an extensive overview of corrective action technologies is provided. Developed jointly by the governments of Canada, the U.S. & Mexico for use by fire fighters, police, & other emergency services personnel who may be the first to arrive at the scene of a transportation incident involving dangerous goods. It is primarily a guide to aid first responders in quickly identifying the specific or generic hazards of the material(s) involved in the incident, & protecting themselves & the general public during the initial response phase of the incident. It is not intended to provide information on the physical or chemical properties of dangerous goods. Comprehensive!

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This is the full color copy. A black and white copy is available for less. This copy is FULL COLOR. A Guidebook for First Responders During the Initial Phase of a Dangerous Goods/Hazardous Materials Transportation Incident. THIS DOCUMENT SHOULD NOT BE USED TO DETERMINE COMPLIANCE WITH THE DANGEROUS GOODS REGULATIONS OR TO CREATE WORKER SAFETY DOCUMENTS FOR SPECIFIC CHEMICALS.

The ERG is primarily applicable for hazardous materials transported by highway and railway, but also is applicable for materials transported by air or waterway, as well as by pipeline. It was first issued by the US Department of Transportation in 1973, but later became a joint publication of the Department of Transportation (US DOT), Transport Canada (TC), and the Secretariat of Communications and Transportation (SCT) of Mexico, with collaboration with the Chemistry Information Center for Emergencies (CIQUIME) of Argentina. The ERG is issued every 4 years, with editions

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now being published in Spanish (Guía de Respuesta en Caso de Emergencia). In 1996 it was published as the North American Emergency Response Guidebook, but by the next publication in 2000 "North American" was removed due to its use by several South American countries). The ERG "is primarily a guide to aid first responders in quickly identifying the specific or generic hazards of the material(s) involved in the incident, and protecting themselves and the general public during the initial response phase of the incident" and should only be used for the "initial response phase" (about the first thirty minutes) of an incident . It is divided into six color-coded sections (white [uncolored], yellow, blue, orange, green, and a second white [uncolored]). The ERG includes over 170 "Guides" (found in the Orange Section) that identify the primary hazards associated with the applicable general category of hazardous material and general guidance on how to respond to incidents involving that general category of hazardous material. The primary purpose of ERG is to direct the emergency responders to the most appropriate of these guides, based on the incident. The ERG also provides guidance regarding recommended evacuation distances, if applicable, in the Green Section.

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"This Guide presents comprehensive, step-by-step guidance on assessing hazardous materials emergency response needs at state, regional, and local levels; matching state, regional, and local capabilities with potential emergencies involving different types of hazardous materials; and assessing how quickly resources can be brought to bear in an emergency. The methodology described in the Guide is designed to be scalable, allowing the implementation results to be aggregated at the local level up through regional, state, and national levels. Also, the Guide is designed to connect as many components as possible to already-established standards, guidelines, regulations, and laws, so that the Guide will remain current as these underlying components are updated. In addition, the Guide discusses appropriate means for maintaining currency of the information over time. The Guide and accompanying spreadsheet tool (on the attached CD-ROM), which

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leads planners through the assessment process, will be most useful for local jurisdictions that have limited resources and expertise in hazardous materials emergency response planning."--pub. desc.

This guide provides general information and advice to persons handling dangerous chemical goods in emergency situations. The guide includes a chart of placards and labels used in Canada, the international classification system, the five steps to emergency response, alphabetical and numerical indices, and rail car and road trailer identification charts. Guidelines are given for both identified and unidentified substances. Potential hazards, actions necessary for public safety, and the emergency response are included for each class of substances.

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goods. However, it should not be considered a substitute for emergency response training, knowledge or sound judgement. Includes a table of placards with initials. The guide is divided into three sections: describes potential hazards that the material may display in terms of fire/explosion and health effects upon exposure; outlines suggested public safety measures based on the situation at hand, provides general information regarding immediate isolation of the site, the recommended type of protective clothing and respiratory protection, and suggested evacuation distances for small and large spills and for fire situations. Finally, it covers response actions and first aid, outlines special precautions for incidents which involve fire, spill or chemical exposure, and several recommendations are listed under each part which will further assist in the decision making process. Information on first aid is general guidance prior to seeking medical care. Developed jointly by the governments of Canada, the U.S. and Mexico for use by fire fighters, police, and other emergency services personnel who may be the first to arrive at the scene of a transportation incident involving dangerous goods. It is primarily a guide to aid first responders in quickly identifying the specific or generic hazards of the material(s) involved in the incident, and protecting themselves and the general public during the initial response phase of the incident. It is not intended to provide

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