
The Joint Commission and Joint Commission Resources
Environment of Care Base Camp
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Tuesday, March 17, 2020

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

8:00 – 9:30 am Overview of the Joint Commission Survey and Accreditation Process

- SAFER model

9:30 – 9:45 am Break

9:45 – 12:00 pm Safety and Security

- Safety Management
- Security Management

Activity: Risk Assessment

12:00 – 1:00 pm Lunch

1:00 – 2:30 pm Hazardous Materials Management

- Identifying Hazardous Materials & Waste
- Managing Hazardous Material & Waste

2:30 – 2:45 pm Break

2:45 – 4:00 pm Fire Safety

- Fire Response Plan
- Fire Drills
- Equipment Inspection, Testing, & Maintenance

4:00 pm Adjourn Day 1

Wednesday, March 18, 2020

7:00 – 8:00 am Continental Breakfast

8:00 – 9:30 am **Medical Equipment Management**

- Equipment Selection & Risk-Based Inventory
- Maintenance, Inspection, and Testing
- Incident Management

9:30 – 9:45 am Break

9:45 – 12:00 pm **Utilities Management**

- Risk-Based Inventory
- Maintenance Strategies
- Infection Control within Utility Systems
- Med-Gas & Vac Systems
- Emergency Power & Utility Failure Contingency

12:00 – 1:00 pm Lunch

1:00 – 2:00 pm **Physical Environment**
National Patient Safety Goal - Ligature
Performance Monitoring & Staff Development

Activity: Tracers for the Environment of Care

2:00 – 3:00 pm EC Update & Current EC Trends

3:00 pm Adjourn Day 2
