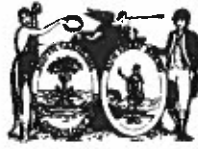


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TO: County Directors, SERT Primaries
FROM: Kim Stenson *KS*
DATE: June 24, 2020
SUBJECT: Training Guidance for Pandemics

1. As we move forward in a COVID-19 environment, emergency management training will remain of utmost importance. The classroom and methods of course delivery are being reevaluated and redefined. Many of our course deliveries have group activities as part of the course requirements, which are vital in the successful completion of course material. The delivery of course content and the completion of course objectives will remain the primary training goal. Instructors and course managers will be expected to ensure that this goal is met with all course deliveries.

2. To retain successful completion of course objectives while operating in the COVID-19 environment, the SCEMD training section has reviewed the CDC and SCDHEC guidance and has developed the attached guidelines and procedures for conducting training during this pandemic. Please review and feel free to let us know if you have any questions or concerns. Point of contact for this guidance is Louis Walter, lwalter@emd.sc.gov 803-737-8849.

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