



## KENTUCKY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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### L-0952 All-Hazards Public Information Officer - NIMS ICS AHIMT

**June 1 – 5, 2026**

**State Emergency Ops Center**

**110 Minuteman Pkwy, Frankfort, KY 40601**

**8:00a – 5:00p EST**

#### Course Description

This FEMA NIMS ICS All-Hazards Position Specific course prepares participants to serve effectively as a **Public Information Officer (PIO)** on a **Type III All-Hazards Incident Management Team (AHIMT)**. Using lecture, discussion, and scenario-based activities, students build core PIO skills for all-hazards incidents, with emphasis on initial response. Topics include information operations, developing a communications strategy, media relations (including social media), and working with Assistant PIOs. The course also addresses special incident situations, PIO safety considerations (including while escorting others), and PIO responsibilities during transition and demobilization.

#### Student Criteria

This course is open to all Emergency Management Personnel, Fire, Emergency Medical, and Law Enforcement, personnel who are assigned or expected to be assigned as PIO or Assistant PIO on an AHIMT or local IMT, or Individuals seeking training toward position qualification/credentialing as part of an IMT development program. **Prerequisites include: IS100, IS200, ICS300, ICS400, IS700, and IS800 . A copy of the course completion certificates must be provided to the below POC prior to the start of the class. You may email them to the address below.**

#### Special Notes

A **Minimum of 20** advance student registrations is required and must be received by **May 21, 2026**. A **Maximum of 30** will be accepted. You are considered accepted as a student in the class upon receipt of your application. Letters of acceptance will not be sent. Meals, lodging, and travel expenses are the responsibility of the student and will NOT be reimbursed by KYEM. The materials for this course will be in digital format. A copy of the digital manual will be emailed to you prior to the start of the class.

#### Registration

Click here to register: [https://app.logiforms.com/formdata/user\\_forms/25701\\_7726379/94169](https://app.logiforms.com/formdata/user_forms/25701_7726379/94169)  
Students will be notified if the course is canceled. For this reason, it is imperative that you provide accurate information.

#### For more information, contact:

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