

RISK ASSESSMENT - UNDERSTANDING THE CHIEF OFFICER'S ROLE

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This program will focus on the safety concerns at large-scale emergencies. The incident scene is a dynamic site that at times requires significant risk due to life-saving challenges. Every responder must be aware of the hazards and understand the potential risks. Responsible decision-making is not just for the Command and General Staff. All Sector Supervisors must accurately assess their work environment and share vital information.

The training tips will focus on case study reviews, firefighting procedures, size-up factors, protective equipment, new technology and operational considerations for command officers. Special emphasis will be placed on specific steps that can be taken by chief officers to reduce the risk of occupational injuries.