



# Community Emergency Response Team Training

Classes start **Saturday, May 7, 2022**

**SIGN UP NOW FOR FREE CERT TRAINING IN HAWTHORNE!**

Tri-City CERT (**Hawthorne, Gardena and Lawndale**) and the **Los Angeles County Fire Department** are proud to present the Department's Community Emergency Response Training (CERT) program, developed in accordance with standards set by the Federal Emergency Management Agency, hosted by the City of Hawthorne.

After a major disaster, first responders may be inundated with emergency requests and demands. Residents may have to rely on each other for immediate first aid and life-sustaining needs. The Department's CERT program provides basic training in safety and life-saving skills.

The course curriculum covers the following modules:

<b>Sat. May 7, 2022</b> <b>9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Sat., May 14, 2022</b> <b>9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.</b>	<b>Sat., May 21, 2022</b> <b>9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.</b>
1. Disaster Preparedness 2. Fire Safety & Utility Controls 3. Disaster Medical Ops 1	4. Disaster Medical Ops 2 5. Disaster Psychology 6. Terrorism & CERT	7. Light Search & Rescue Ops 8. CERT Organization 9. Course Review, Final Exam & Disaster Simulation

This training will be held over **THREE** consecutive Saturdays\*:

**Saturdays, May 7, 14, and 21, 2022**  
**9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**

### **Hawthorne Memorial Center**

3901 W. El Segundo Blvd., Hawthorne, CA 90250

Register by e-mail to [CERT@cityofhawthorne.org](mailto:CERT@cityofhawthorne.org) or Cindy Matsuda, Gardena CERT Program Manager, at [tricitycert@gmail.com](mailto:tricitycert@gmail.com) or by phone at (310) 528-8730 (text preferred).

*Please include your name, address, phone (cell & home), and e-mail address.*

Class size is limited. Sign up today to reserve your seat!

**For everyone's health and safety, all attendees must show proof of vaccination or a negative COVID test result within 72 hours of each class.**

For information about CERT, please visit <https://www.fire.lacounty.gov> or <https://tricitycert.org>

*\*Students must complete all hours of the course to receive a certificate of completion. If you miss any units, you can make them up anywhere CERT is taught to receive your certificate.*