

Day 1 - Wednesday, March 25, 2020

7:00a – 8:30a	Attendee Check In with Coffee and Refreshments – Exhibit Hall Opens at 8:00a
Opening & Plenary Sessions	
8:30a – 12:00p	<p>Opening Ceremonies Tim Smith, Chief Meteorologist, Channel 5 News</p> <p>Presentation of Colors McAllen Fire Honor Guard</p> <p>National Anthem Rebecca Arizmendi</p> <p>Invocation Jim Darling, Mayor of the City of McAllen</p> <p>Opening Welcome Honorable Richard F. Cortez, Hidalgo County Judge Eduardo Olivarez, Director, Health & Human Service</p> <p>John R. O'Valle District Coordinator, Field Response Section Texas Division of Emergency Management</p> <p>State Commissioner of Health John Hellerstedt, MD, Commissioner - Texas Dept. of State Health Services</p> <p>Guest of Honor ADM Brett P. Giroir, MD, Assistant Secretary for Health at the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)</p> <p>Guest Speakers Brian Hastings, Chief Patrol Agent RGV US Customs & Border Protection Alexander Eastman, MD, US Dept. of Homeland Security, Washington, D.C.</p>
12:00p - 1:30p	Lunch - On Your Own

Special Session - Grand Ballroom – McAllen Convention Center	
1:30p - 3:30p	Chief Tony Lopez & Chief Ricardo Saldana - DADS Regulatory Meeting

Breakout Sessions – McAllen Convention Center						
	101 A	101 BC	102 A	102 BC	103 B	103 CD
1:30p - 2:30p	<p>Bill Long & Tony Crites</p> <p>The Importance of Culture - Foundation for the Future</p> <p><i>TEEX</i></p>	<p>Richard De Los Santos, Jane M. Broussard, Leah Griffin, Davonna Koebrick</p> <p>Agroterrorism Threats & Response</p> <p><i>TX Dept. of Agriculture</i></p>	<p>Captain Edward Gaynor</p> <p>Coast Guard Emergency Response Priorities</p> <p><i>US Coast Guard</i></p>	<p>Pablo Mendez</p> <p>Emergency Notifications & Timely Warnings</p> <p><i>UTRGV</i></p>	<p>Nathanael Flores</p> <p>Strengthening Social Media Outreach for Disasters</p> <p><i>Texas Southmost College</i></p>	<p>Dr. Alexander Eastman</p> <p>Responder Health & Safety & HHS Priorities</p> <p><i>Dept. of Homeland Security</i></p>
2:30p - 3:00p	Break - Exhibit Hall					

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	101 A	101 BC	102 A	102 BC	103 B	103 CD
3:00p - 4:00p	Sam Miller TDEM Operations Technology for 2020 <i>TDEM</i>	Michael Roberts Hazardous Materials North and South bound <i>USDOT/PHMSA</i>	John Montemayor, III Human Trafficking in Schools <i>McAllen ISD PD</i>	Latasha Allen Epis In Disaster Response <i>USPHS</i>	Hildebrando Mireles, III Emergency Response to Opiate Use Disorders <i>TTBH</i>	Warren Weidler TX-TF1: Texans Helping Texans <i>TX-TF1</i>

Day 1 - Special Trainings & Meetings

Ballroom C		Ballroom D	Boardroom 1	Boardroom 2
8:15a - 9:15a	Hidalgo County VIP DA's Meeting Invitation only		RESERVED	TEEX
9:25a - 10:25a			RESERVED	
10:25a - 10:50a	Break			
10:50a - 11:50a	Hidalgo County VIP DA's Meeting Invitation only		RESERVED	TEEX
12:00p - 1:30p	Lunch - On Your Own			
1:30p - 2:30p	Mike Bricker Animal Control Training Seminar <i>P.A.W.S</i>	Rene Parrao Health & Wellness <i>Hidalgo County</i>	RESERVED	TEEX
2:40p - 3:40p		Mark Vega Water Quality & Threats to It <i>McAllen Public Utility</i>	RESERVED	

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Grand Ballroom – Immunizations Summit

8:00a-5:00a

Breakout Sessions

101 A

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8:15a - 9:15a	Lidia Fonseca & Brooke Velarde Including People with Disabilities in Emergency Preparedness: Using Effective Communication <i>VAIL</i>	John David Franz Drones in 20/20: A Clear View From Above <i>SOARD Solutions</i>	David A. Hanawa & Dr. Miguel Trevino Operation Iron Horse: Chlorine Railcar Leak <i>Cameron Co. LEPC</i>	Dr. Steven Hinojosa & Cynthia Gutierrez Public Health Response to a Mumps Outbreak <i>HCHSD</i>	Barry Goldsmith & John O'Valle Improved Weather Threat Communication to Better Inform Risk Assessments <i>NOAA/TDEM</i>	Irma Chapa Strategic Communication During a Crisis <i>USCBP</i>
9:25a - 10:25a	Danny Ramirez Stop the Bleed <i>City of Pharr</i>	Ricardo Garcia Critical Incident Active Shooter Response <i>HCSO</i>	Dr. William Donner When Warnings Fail: Understanding Public Percep. Of Sev. Weather Risks <i>UTRGV</i>	Christa Lopez & Heather Lagrone Building Resilient Communities through Long-Term Recovery and Mitigation <i>Texas General Land Office</i>	Kathy Stone Load & Tie Down Training <i>Includes Outside Demonstration</i> <i>TEEX</i>	Maryann Denner The Evolution of Texas Prison Gangs into Criminal Organizations <i>HCJJD</i>
10:25a - 10:50a	Break					
10:50a - 11:50a	Denise Starkey Are You Prepared? Increasing Immunizations Among First Responders <i>DSHS</i>	Dr. Norma Villanueva PTSD & Peer Support <i>Nueva Luz Foundation</i>	Perry Gonzalez & Rene Alvarez Your Local Emergency Planning Committee (LEPC) <i>Hidalgo Co. LEPC</i>	Olivia Hemby Getting Your Ducks In A Row <i>Texas Animal Health Comm.</i>	Dr. Jungseok Ho Valley Coastal Disaster Resilient System <i>UTRGV</i>	Col. Sean Crandall Civil Air Patrol Pre and Post Disaster Assistance <i>TX Wing Civil Air Patrol</i>
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1:30p - 2:30p	Tony Crites The Importance of Culture - Foundation for the Future, Pt.2 <i>TEEX</i>	Gerardo Castillo & Dilia Camacho Post-Disaster Debris Removal 101 <i>AshBritt Environmental</i>	Frank Chavero, Michelle Havelka & Carolyn Wood Emergency Response: Flood and Sewer Contamination <i>TCEQ</i>	Garrett Hagood 21st Century Cybersecurity Threats <i>CBRAC/HPP</i>	Richard Gonzalez Texas 811 GPS & Digging <i>CPN Pipeline Co.</i>	Judy Lucio Disaster Summary Outline (DSO) and Damage Assessment - How they Work Together <i>TDEM</i>
2:40p - 3:40p	Estela Rodriguez Shields of Christ HCSO	Valerie Blanton Debris Management Process <i>TDEM</i>	Cesar Rodriguez & Chris Lash Illegal Dumping Campaign <i>City of McAllen</i>	Jeff Johnston & Elvira Alonzo Texas Public Works Emergency Response Teams <i>City of McAllen</i>	Dr. John Ronnau, Justin Wendel & Jorge Rodriguez Medical Disaster & Emergency Response <i>USDA/UTRGV AHEC</i>	Lt. Richard Stubbs CERT & Volunteer Response <i>Weslaco CERT</i>

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8:15a - 9:15a	RGV Sector Office of Incident Management & United States CBP Invitation only	Dr. Ronald Tyler & Capt. James Dunks Texas Rabies Control Act & Dangerous Wild Animals <i>DSHS, R-11/TX P&W</i>	RESERVED	TEEX
9:25a - 10:25a			COBINAS Bi-National Meeting	
10:25a - 10:50a	Break			
10:50a - 11:50a	RGV Sector Office of Incident Management & United States CBP Invitation only	Dr. Thomas deMaar Texas Rabies Control Act & Dangerous Wild Animals (con't) <i>Gladys Porter Zoo</i>	COBINAS Bi-National Meeting	TEEX
12:00p - 1:30p	Lunch - On Your Own			
1:30p - 2:30p	RGV Sector Office of Incident Management & United States CBP Invitation only	Amy Ruiz & Martin Ramirez Vector Task Force Meeting <i>HCHHSD</i>	Xochitl Mora Media Tabletop Exercise <i>City of McAllen</i>	TEEX
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