

#### Guided Pathway to Success (GPS)

Suggested schedules map your path to completion.

**Full-time student:** Follow the green semester blocks in order.

**Part-time student:** Follow the blue course sequence at your own pace.

Built to provide specialized instruction and credentials, Emergency Management Letters of Recognition are designed to be completed via a single, intensive online module course.

Students are encouraged to contact an advisor to determine which module course best meets their specific goals and interests. Contact the Emergency Management Office at [EmergMgt@frederick.edu](mailto:EmergMgt@frederick.edu) or 301.624.2854 or for assistance.

Completion of pre-requisite listed FEM coursework (via FEMA Independent Study (IS) courses and [emstudy.com](http://emstudy.com) credit conversion) is necessary before enrolling in the associated module course. Module courses are requirements; completion of listed FEMA IS courses will not result by itself in a letter of recognition.

## 1 Requirement Sequence

<b>1</b>	<b>FEM 205</b>	Fundamentals of Management and Support Coordination of Federal Disaster Operations	1 credit
<b>2</b>	<b>FEM 131*</b>	Principles of Emergency Management	1 credit
<b>3</b>	<b>Select One Module**</b>	<b>Module 7 (EM 165), Module 8 (EM 167), Module 9 (EM 169), Module 10 (EM 171), Module 13 (EM 177), Module 14 (EM 179), Module 15 (EM 181), Module 16 (EM183), Module 18 (EM 187) , or Module 19 (EM 189)</b>	4-5 credits

**FEM 205 (IS-822, 2000), and FEM 131 (IS-230.d) are pre-requisites for all modules.**

\*\* Modules allow students to focus their studies on a specific area of Emergency Management. Students must complete the FEM pre-requisite coursework for their chosen module, and convert that coursework to FCC credit before enrolling in the 5-week FCC online module course.

**Module 7 (EM 165) Animals in Disasters Pre-requisites:**

FEM 109 – Animals in Disaster: Awareness and Preparedness, Module A (IS-10.a)

FEM 110 – Animals in Disaster: Community Planning, Module B (IS-11.a)

FEM 138 – Livestock in Disasters (IS-111.a)

FEM 215 – Disaster Medical Coordination, Monitoring, and Surveillance (IS-930)

**Module 8 (EM 167) Managing Volunteer and Community Response Pre-requisites:**

FEM 119 – The Role of Voluntary Organizations in Emergency Management (IS-288.a)

FEM 135 – Developing and Managing Volunteers (IS-244.b)

FEM 213 – Introduction to Community Emergency Response Teams (CERT) (IS-317)

FEM 215 – Disaster Medical Coordination, Monitoring, and Surveillance (IS-930)

**Module 9 (EM 169) Continuity of Operations Planning Pre-requisites:**

FEM 103 – Community Disaster Exercise (IS-120.a and IS-130)

FEM 150 – Incident Command System (IS-100.c and IS-200.b)

FEM 173 – Continuity of Operations Planning (IS-454, IS-546.a, IS-547.a, and IS-551)

FEM 176 – COOP for Pandemics Exercise (IS-520 and IS-522)

**Module 10 (EM 171) Mitigation Pre-requisites:**

FEM 104 – Building for the Earthquakes of Tomorrow: Complying with Executive Order 12699 (IS-8.a)

FEM 157 – Introduction to Hazard Mitigation ( IS-212.b, IS-393.b, IS-2700)

FEM 186 – Hazard Mitigation and Disaster Workforce Basics (IS-319, IS-320, IS-321, IS-322, and IS-323)

FEM 187 – Local Mitigation Plan Review (IS-328)

**Module 13 (EM 177) Emergency Management Education Planner Pre-requisites:**

FEM 103 – Community Disaster Exercise (IS-120.a and IS-130)

FEM 140 – Emergency Planning (IS-235.c, IS-2002)

FEM 150 – Incident Command System (IS-100.c and IS-200.b)

FEM 156 – Multi-Hazard Emergency Planning for Schools (IS-362.a)

FEM 196 – Preparing for Mass Casualty Incidents: A Guide for Schools, Higher Education, and Houses of Worship (IS-360)

**Module 14 (EM 179) Public Information Officer Pre-requisites:**

FEM 134 – Effective Communication (IS-242.b)

FEM 151 – National Incident Management System (NIMS) (IS-700.b, IS-702.a, and IS-703.a)

FEM 171 – Coordinating Information & Resource Sharing for Emergency Management (IS-29, IS-42, and IS-706) FEM 202 – External Affairs Program Liaison (IS-794)

**Module 15 (EM 181): Community Preparedness Planner Pre-requisites:**

FEM 140 – Emergency Planning (IS-235.c, IS-2002)

FEM 180 – Planning for Vulnerable Populations (IS-366.a)

FEM 181 – Integrated Public and Private Partnership Planning (IS-15.b, IS-660, IS-662)

FEM 221 – Cultural Competence in Disaster: Before, During, and After (IS-20, IS-21, IS-368, IS-505)

**Module 16 (EM 183): Critical Infrastructure Strategist Pre-requisites**

FEM 181 – Integrated Public and Private Partnership Planning (IS-15.b, IS-660, IS-662)

FEM 188 – Critical Infrastructure Protection (IS-830, IS-860.c, IS-913.a, and IS-921.a)

FEM 194 – Critical Infrastructure Security: Theft and Diversion – What You Can Do (IS-916)

FEM 195 – Protecting Critical Infrastructure Against Insider Threats (IS-915)

**Module 18 (EM 187) Disaster Construction Issues Pre-requisites:**

FEM 104 – Building for Earthquakes of Tomorrow: Complying with Executive Order – 12699 (IS-8.a)

FEM 105 – Engineering Principles and Practices for Retrofitting Flood Prone Structures (IS-279)

FEM 130 – Introduction to Residential Coastal Construction (IS-386)

FEM 144 – Coordinating Environmental and Historic Preservation Compliance (IS-253.a)

**Module 19 (EM 189) Hazardous Materials and Radiological Risks Pre-requisites:**

FEM 115 – Radiological Emergency Management (IS-3)

FEM 116 – Introduction to Hazardous Materials (IS-5.a)

FEM 146 – Introduction to Radiological Preparedness (REP) Exercise Evaluation (IS-331)

FEM 207 – Radiological Accident Assessment Concepts (IS-303)

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