

Florida Workshop: UFST Team Leaders & Task Specialists

Task Specialist Prerequisites:

Individuals selected for this workshop will have to meet prerequisites that include:

- State agency employee (or FEMA, state ICS staff); may be full, part-time or temporary status.
- ISA Certified Arborist (FEMA, state ICS staff waived).
- ICS Courses
 - Task Specialists (Arborist Crew Member)
 1. IS-100 Introduction to Incident Command System
 2. IS-200 Basic Incident Command System for Single Resources and Initial Action Incident
- Familiarity with urban tree risk assessment:
 - Photographic Guide to the Evaluation of Hazard Trees in Urban Areas
 - Urban Tree Risk Management (NA-TP-03-03)

Summary of ICS Training

ICS 100.a: Introduction to ICS

ICS 200.a: Basic ICS for Single Resources and Initial Action Incident

Team Leader Prerequisites:

Individuals selected for this workshop will have to meet prerequisites that include:

- All Task Specialist prerequisites (i.e. UFST Task Specialist rated)
- UFST disaster response as Task Specialist
- (Preferred) ICS Team Leader experience (any discipline)
- ICS Courses
 - Team Leaders
 1. L-280 Followership to Leadership

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General Agenda for the Week

- Monday & Tuesday: Team Leader (TL) Workshop
 - TL attendees **arrive by 2pm on Monday** in Brooksville, FL
 - UFST – General Review
 1. Role of State U&CF Coordinator
 2. Community Liaison
 - Crew Dynamics
 1. Safety
 2. Equipment
 3. Scheduling
 - Protocol Review
 1. SDAP
 2. Risk
 - Checklists
 - Basic GPS use (review)
 - Handling Data
 - Reporting
 - TL Workshop **ends at 5Pm on Tuesday**
 - TL Attendees asked to stay to assist with Task Specialist training if possible.

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- Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, & Friday: Task Specialist (TS) Workshop
 - TS attendees **arrive by 5pm on Tuesday** in Brooksville, FL
 - UFST Overview
 - UFST Protocols
 - Storm Damage Assessment Protocol (SDAP)
 - Classroom
 - Field Exercise
 - Urban Tree Risk Assessment
 - Photographic Guide to the Evaluation of Hazard Trees in Urban Areas
 - Classroom
 - Field Exercise
 - Tree Risk Protocol & FEMA Debris
 - Classroom
 - Field Exercise
 - Data Collection
 - Paper
 - Electronic (GPS data collector)
 - Final: UFST TS Qualification
 - Field Exercise
 - Workshop Evaluation
 - Final Questions/Discussion
 - UFST Attendees & Instructors **leave Brooksville at 12:30 on Friday**