

# INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY



The Indiana Department of Homeland Security is pleased to introduce the Integrated Preparedness Planning Workshop (IPPW), formerly known as the Training and Exercise Planning Workshop (TEPW).

The IPPW establishes the strategy and structure for an exercise program, in addition to broader preparedness efforts, while also setting the foundation for the planning, conduct and evaluation of individual exercises ([HSEEP 2020](#)). When identifying stakeholders to include, the whole community approach was considered including but not limited to county EMAs, as well as state and federal partners.

Recognizing that many of our partners and stakeholders have been working non-traditional hours in response to COVID-19, IDHS will be hosting **two virtual IPPWs** via Microsoft Teams to better accommodate your needs. Please mark your calendars for:

**Wednesday, Oct. 14, 2020 (time TBD)**

**or**

**Thursday, Oct. 15, 2020 (time TBD)**

Both sessions will be identical and therefore you do not need to attend both. A formal invitation with registration details will be sent out in the coming weeks. The exercise team hopes you can attend!

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For more information, contact [Exercise@dhs.in.gov](mailto:Exercise@dhs.in.gov).