



# CGR-TMS Action Bulletin



## NEW PRE-REQUISITE FOR FEDERAL ON-SCENE COORDINATOR REPRESENTATIVE (FOSCR) COURSE & IMMEDIATE VACANCIES TO BE FILLED NLT **07 December 2018**

### **Federal On-Scene Coordinator Representative (Course Code: 502272)**

The FOSCR "C" school has undergone significant revision to bring the field the most relevant training possible. One of the biggest changes is that the resident course now has a mandatory Structured on the Job Training (SOJT) prerequisite.

### **FOSCR Structured On The Job Training (SOJT) Course Roll Out**

The new SOJT course curriculum will commence on **10Dec18** for members selected to the **March, May and August 2019** FOSCR resident courses. If you enrolled for either of the listed sessions and do not receive an e-mail from MER-1 regarding the SOJT course, or if you have general questions regarding the new process, please contact MST1 Hugo Gaytan at [Hugo.A.Gaytan@uscg.mil](mailto:Hugo.A.Gaytan@uscg.mil).

### **What is SOJT?**

This is structured training, with guidance from the MER School in Yorktown, that occurs at your unit before coming to Yorktown. The SOJT includes six tasks and involves such activities as self-directed inquiry, practice with feedback, field experience, and performance assessments. The SOJT materials will be issued by the MER School at Yorktown once you are enrolled in the SOJT.

### **So, how do I begin the SOJT?**

You will automatically be enrolled to the SOJT course once you are confirmed as enrolled in a session of FOSCR. Those students will receive an email from the MER School requesting completion of a letter of designation for your coach. The coach must be a qualified FOSCR and assigned by the IMD Chief or Response Department Head. Once the MER School receives a copy of the signed designation letter, your coach will be emailed all of the course materials. The school will serve as a facilitator and auditor for your performance.

### **How long does it take to complete SOJT?**

This course has a **90-day** window for completion. If a member fails to complete this course within 90 days, the member's Department Head or Division Chief must inform the MER School of the reasons why the member was unable to complete this course on time, and the student will be disenrolled and have to reapply for the next SOJT convening.



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## Prerequisites for FOSCR

Sector/MSU Personnel: Pollution Responder (ED) Competency.

National Strike Force Personnel: Response Officer (RO) or Response Supervisor (RS) Competency.

Reservists and unit RFRS staffs or Training Officers must follow the CGR-TMS process to apply for a quota on the portal at <https://cg.portal.uscg.mil/communities/CGR-TMS/SitePages/ITP%20Home.aspx>. (NOTE: CAC access is required.)

### Quota Distribution

10 Quotas for FY19

<u>District</u>	<u># of Seats</u>
D1	2
D5	2
D7	2
D8	1
D9	1
D11	1
LANT	1

Please fill in eligible member's names and any alternates in the FY19 C-School Allocations Spreadsheet on the CGR-TMS Portal NLT **07Dec2018**.

**Note: All seats must be filled for all sessions and cannot be adjusted. Seats in each session are first come first serve.**

### Course Dates

<b>JAN</b>	<b>01/07/2019-01/18/2019</b>
<b>Seat 1</b>	D7 (Pending Approval)
<b>Seat 2</b>	Vacant
<b>Seat 3</b>	Vacant
<b>MAR</b>	<b>03/18/2019-04/05/2019</b>
<b>Seat 1</b>	Vacant
<b>MAY</b>	<b>05/06/2019-05/24/2019</b>
<b>Seat 1</b>	D8
<b>Seat 2</b>	Vacant
<b>AUG</b>	<b>08/12/2019-08/30/2019</b>
<b>Seat 1</b>	D9
<b>Seat 2</b>	Vacant
<b>Seat 3</b>	Vacant
<b>Seat 4</b>	Vacant

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