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Title Federal yellow book - who's who in federal departments and agencies  
Editor/Affil. Connizzo, Nicholas M.  
Publisher Washington, DC : Leadership Directories, Inc.  
Publication Date Spring 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 02666012  
Subjects DIRECTORIES; FEDERAL EMPLOYEES; FEDERAL GOVERNMENT  
Call Number JK 6 .F45 SPRING 2008  
Availability Not available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104766 c.1: DESK REFERENCE [status: NON-CIRCULATING]  
Description 1450 p.  
Item Type BOOK  
Vol. of Journal 63  
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Title Congressional yellow book: who's who in Congress, including committees and key staff  
Editor/Affil. Claflin, Ericka J.  
Publisher Washington, DC : Leadership Directories, Inc.  
Publication Date Summer 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 03838743  
Subjects CONGRESS; DIRECTORIES; FEDERAL EMPLOYEES  
Call Number JK 1010 .C749 SUMMER 2008  
Availability Not available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104784 c.1: DESK REFERENCE-ASK AT CIRCULATION DESK [status: NON-CIRCULATING]  
Description 1565 p.  
Item Type BOOK  
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Title Back to work: how people are recovering their livelihoods 12 months after the tsunami  
Corporate Author Oxfam International  
Publisher Oxford, England : The Organization  
Pub.Year/Beg.Dat 2005  
Publication Date December 20, 2005  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 70071947  
Subjects TSUNAMIS; INDIAN OCEAN; POVERTY; RECOVERY; FARMERS; FISHERIES  
Biblio Notes December 26, 2004  
Call Number 41759  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104371 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 24 p.

Item Type REPORT  
Series Data Oxfam briefing paper. No. 84  
URL www.oxfam.org/en/files/bp84\_tsunami\_livelihoods/download  
(148.8kb)

Title Central America after Hurricane Mitch: will the donors  
deliver?  
Corporate Author Oxfam International  
Publisher Oxford, England : The Organization  
Publication Date December 3, 1998  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 228765271  
Subjects HURRICANES; MITCH; CENTRAL AMERICA; INTERNATIONAL  
RELIEF; BANKS  
Call Number 41773  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104375 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 12 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Series Data Oxfam international briefing paper  
URL www.oxfam.org.uk/resources/policy/conflict\_disasters/dow  
nloads/CENTRALA.rtf (70.3kb)

Title Pocket reference for chemical, biological, and  
radiologic agents  
Alternate Title Brady's pocket reference for chemical, biological, and  
radiologic agents  
Author/Affil. Bastin, John P.  
Publisher Upper Saddle River, NJ : Pearson Prentice Hall  
Publication Date 2005  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 56192803  
Identifier ISBN: 9780131190016  
Identifier ISBN: 0-13-119001-6  
Subjects CHEMICAL WARFARE; BIOLOGICAL WARFARE; NUCLEAR WARFARE;  
DECONTAMINATION; TRIAGE; DIAGNOSES; TREATMENT  
Call Number RC 88.9 .T47 B326 2005  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104435 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 144 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title The age of speed: learning to thrive in a  
more-faster-now world  
Author/Affil. Poscente, Vince  
Editor/Affil. LaBorde, Meg  
Editor/Affil. Bishop, Lari  
Editor/Affil. Nelsen, Erin  
Publisher Austin, TX : Bard Press  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 173261779  
Identifier ISBN: 978-1-885167-67-5  
Identifier LCCN: 2007928384

Subjects EFFICIENCY; CAREER DEVELOPMENT; SELF IMAGE  
Call Number BF 637.8 .P855 2008  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
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Description 238 p.  
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Title A perfect mess: the hidden benefits of disorder - how  
crammed closets, cluttered offices, and on-the-fly  
planning make the world a better place  
Author/Affil. Abrahamson, Eric  
Author/Affil. Freedman, David H.  
Publisher New York, NY : Back Bay Books  
Publication Date 2007  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 191730763  
Identifier ISBN: 978-0-316-01399-4  
Identifier LCCN: 2006012712  
Edition 1st ed.  
Subjects CREATIVITY; MODELS; STRESS; VALUES  
Call Number H 61 .A159 2007  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104424 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 341 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title Man's search for ultimate meaning  
Author/Affil. Frankl, Viktor E.  
Publisher New York, NY : Perseus Books Group  
Publication Date 2000  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 44999318  
Identifier ISBN: 978-0-7382-0354-6  
Identifier ISBN: 0-7382-0354-8  
Subjects PSYCHOLOGY; RELIGION; ETHICS; PERSONALITY  
Call Number BF 608 .F831 2000  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104416 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 191 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title The 4-hour workweek: escape 9-5, live anywhere, and  
join the new rich  
Author/Affil. Ferriss, Timothy  
Publisher New York, NY : Random House, Inc.  
Publication Date 2007  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 76262350  
Identifier ISBN: 978-0-307-35313-9  
Identifier LCCN: 2006038178  
Edition 1st ed.  
Subjects JOB SATISFACTION; NEEDS ASSESSMENT; EFFICIENCY;  
MOTIVATION  
Call Number HD 69 .F394 2007

Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104426 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 308 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title Disaster planning for the clinical practice  
Author/Affil. Baum, Neil  
Author/Affil. McDaniel, John W.  
Publisher Sudbury, MA : Jones and Bartlett Publishers  
Publication Date 2009  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 212399930  
Identifier ISBN: 978-0-7637-5073-2  
Identifier ISBN: 0-7637-5073-5  
Identifier LCCN: 2008008857  
Subjects HEALTH CARE; DISASTER PLANNING; COMPUTERS; RECORDS;  
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Call Number R 728 .B347 2009  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104431 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 250 p. + 1 compact disc  
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Title What got you here won't get you there: how successful  
people become even more successful!  
Author/Affil. Goldsmith, Marshall  
Author/Affil. Reiter, Mark  
Publisher New York, NY : Hyperion  
Publication Date 2007  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 77569262  
Identifier ISBN: 978-1-4013-0130-9  
Identifier ISBN: 1-4013-0130-4  
Edition 1st ed.  
Subjects CAREER DEVELOPMENT; BUSINESS; MOTIVATION; HUMAN  
BEHAVIOR  
Call Number HF 5386 .G624 2007  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104425 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 248 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title Incidents that define process safety  
Author/Affil. Atherton, John  
Author/Affil. Gil, Frederic  
Corporate Author American Institute of Chemical Engineers. Center for  
Chemical Process Safety  
Publisher Hoboken, NJ : John Wiley & Sons, Inc.  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 191090283  
Identifier ISBN: 978-0-470-12204-4  
Identifier LCCN: 2008001409  
Subjects PROCESS SAFETY MANAGEMENT; INDUSTRIAL SAFETY; HAZARD

ANALYSIS; RISK EVALUATION; CASE STUDIES  
Call Number TP 155.5 .A868 2008  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104430 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 347 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title HIPAA for health care professionals  
Author/Affil. Krager, Dan  
Author/Affil. Krager, Carole H.  
Publisher Clifton Park, NY : Delmar, Cengage Learning  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 172984001  
Identifier ISBN: 978-1-4180-8053-2  
Identifier ISBN: 1-4180-8053-5  
Identifier LCCN: 2007943956  
Edition 1st ed.  
Subjects HIPAA; HEALTH CARE; LAWS; INSURANCE; CONFIDENTIALITY  
Call Number KF 3826 .K89 2008  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104427 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 182 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title Emergency vehicle operations  
Alternate Title Brady emergency vehicle operations  
Author/Affil. Lindsey, Jeffrey  
Author/Affil. Patrick, Richard  
Publisher Upper Saddle River, NJ : Pearson Prentice Hall  
Publication Date 2007  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 70660383  
Identifier ISBN: 0-13-118155-6  
Identifier LCCN: 2006049452  
Subjects EMERGENCY VEHICLES; DRIVING; LAWS; PROCEDURES;  
COMMUNICATIONS; MAINTENANCE; SCENE SAFETY  
Call Number TL 152.5 .L752 2007  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104429 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 300 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title EMT complete: a basic worktext  
Author/Affil. Limmer, Daniel D.  
Author/Affil. Le Baudour, Christopher J.  
Editor/Affil. Dickinson, Edward T.  
Publisher Upper Saddle River, NJ : Pearson Prentice Hall  
Publication Date 2007  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 65425892  
Identifier ISBN: 9780131192652  
Identifier ISBN: 0-13-119265-5  
Identifier LCCN: 2006010707

Subjects EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIANS; EDUCATION  
Call Number RC 86.92 .E53 L732 2007  
Availability Not available on Interlibrary Loan  
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Description 1362 p. + 1 compact disk  
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Title Touching history: the untold story of the drama that unfolded in the skies over America on 9/11  
Author/Affil. Spencer, Lynn  
Publisher New York, NY : Free Press  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 191865449  
Identifier ISBN: 978-1-4165-5925-2  
Identifier ISBN: 1-4165-5925-6  
Identifier LCCN: 2008004266  
Subjects TERRORISM; SEPTEMBER 11, 2001; AIR TRAFFIC CONTROL; EMERGENCY COMMUNICATIONS; RADAR; FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION; NATIONAL SECURITY

Call Number HV 6432.7 .S745 2008  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104465 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 318 p.  
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Title Man's search for meaning  
Author/Affil. Frankl, Viktor E.  
Publisher Boston, MA : Beacon Press  
Publication Date 2006  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 68940601  
Identifier ISBN: 9780807014264  
Identifier ISBN: 0-8070-1426-5  
Edition 4th ed.  
Subjects PSYCHOLOGY; PRISONERS; HOLOCAUST; HUMAN BEHAVIOR; PSYCHIATRY

Call Number BF 608 .F83 2006  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
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Description 181 p.  
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Title Climate change: what's your business strategy?  
Author/Affil. Hoffman, Andrew J.  
Author/Affil. Woody, John G.  
Publisher Boston, MA : Harvard Business School Press  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 172980078  
Identifier ISBN: 978-1-4221-2105-4  
Identifier LCCN: 2008003054  
Subjects CLIMATES; BUSINESS; STRATEGY; ECOLOGY; GREENHOUSE EFFECT

Call Number QC 981 .C5 H699 2008  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104464 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 115 p.  
Item Type BOOK  
Series Data Memo to the CEO

Title Electrician's exam prep  
Author/Affil. Miller, Charles R.  
Corporate Author National Fire Protection Association  
Publisher Sudbury, MA : Jones and Bartlett Publishers  
Publication Date 2009  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 229449437  
Identifier ISBN: 978-0-7637-5118-0  
Identifier ISBN: 0-7637-5118-9  
Identifier LCCN: 2007051991  
Subjects ELECTRICAL CODES; ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING; TEST PROCEDURES; QUALIFICATIONS; LICENSES

Call Number TK 169 .M647 2009  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
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104469 c.3: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 436 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title Homeland security and state departments of transportation: maintaining strategic direction for protecting America's transportation system  
Author/Affil. Crossett, Joe  
Publisher s.l. : American Association of State Highway and Transportation Officials. Special Committee on Transportation Safety  
Publication Date January 2006  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 229388630  
Subjects TRANSPORTATION; STATE GOVERNMENT; NATIONAL SECURITY; STRATEGIC PLANNING

Call Number 41745  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
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Description 16 p.  
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URL [www.transportation.org/sites/security/docs/White%20Paper%20%28January%202006%29%20Homeland%20Security%20and%20State%20DOTs--Maintaining%20Strategic%20Direction%20for%20Protecting%20America%27s%20Transportation%20System.pdf](http://www.transportation.org/sites/security/docs/White%20Paper%20%28January%202006%29%20Homeland%20Security%20and%20State%20DOTs--Maintaining%20Strategic%20Direction%20for%20Protecting%20America%27s%20Transportation%20System.pdf) (164.7kb)

Title Deputy chief suffers sudden cardiac death after responding to two incidents--North Carolina  
Author/Affil. Jackson, J. Scott



Publisher Cincinnati, OH : National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

Publication Date September 5, 2007

Identifier OCLC Record No.: 43779278

Subjects MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION; FIREFIGHTER FATALITIES; VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS

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Abstract On November 29, 2006, a 38-year-old male volunteer deputy chief responded to his second fire in less than 2 hours then returned home, complaining of flank pain. Later that day, he was diagnosed with a kidney stone, admitted to the hospital for pain management, and scheduled for surgery (cystoscopy) the next morning. Just after midnight, hospital staff found him unresponsive in his bed. A code was called and despite advanced life support including external pacing, he could not be revived. No autopsy was performed. The death certificate completed by the attending physician stated the cause of death as "acute myocardial infarction" (heart attack). The NIOSH investigator agrees with the conclusions of the attending physician. It is unlikely any of the following recommendations could have prevented the deputy chief's death. However, NIOSH investigators offer these recommendations to reduce the risk of job-related heart attacks and sudden cardiac arrest among other fire fighters. (1) Provide mandatory pre-placement and annual medical evaluations to ALL fire fighters to determine their medical ability to perform duties without presenting a significant risk to the safety and health of themselves or others. (2) Ensure that fire fighters are cleared for duty by a physician who is knowledgeable about the physical demands of fire fighting, the personal protective equipment used by fire fighters, and the various components of NFPA 1582 [NFPA 2007a]. (3) Provide fire fighters with medical clearance to wear self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) as part of the fire department's medical evaluation program. (4) Phase in a mandatory wellness and fitness program for fire fighters to reduce risk factors for cardiovascular disease and improve cardiovascular capacity. (5) Perform an annual physical performance (physical ability) evaluation to ensure that fire fighters are capable of performing the essential job tasks of structural fire fighting.

Series Data Death in the line of duty

Series Data Fatality assessment and control evaluation (FACE) investigative report. No. F2007-06

URL [www.cdc.gov/niosh/fire/pdfs/face200706.pdf](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/fire/pdfs/face200706.pdf) (164.6kb)

Title Volunteer fire fighter suffers sudden cardiac death approximately 18 hours after responding to an

incident--Kentucky  
Author/Affil. Jackson, J. Scott  
Publisher Cincinnati, OH : National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health  
Publication Date September 21, 2007  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 43779278  
Subjects VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS; FIREFIGHTER FATALITIES; MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION; HEART DISEASES  
Call Number 41746  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104441 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 11 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Abstract  
On May 30, 2005, at 2203 hours, a 39-year-old male volunteer fire fighter responded, with his lights and siren operating, to a motor vehicle fire. The call was cancelled 10 minutes before he arrived on the scene. He returned home and went to work the next day. While visiting relatives after his work shift, the fire fighter experienced pain in his chest and left arm. 9-1-1 was called, and ambulance paramedics found him lying on the ground with severe chest pain. The paramedics administered oxygen and applied a cardiac monitor, but during transport to the local hospital's emergency department, he became unconscious with a rhythm of ventricular fibrillation. Despite cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and advanced life support (ALS) performed in the ambulance and the emergency department for 40 minutes, the fire fighter was pronounced dead on May 31, 2005 at 1722 hours. No autopsy was performed. The death certificate completed by the attending physician stated the cause of death as "acute myocardial infarction" (otherwise known as a heart attack) due to coronary artery disease (CAD). This fire fighter had a known history of CAD since age 32. He had two angioplasty procedures with stent placements in 1998 and 2005. The NIOSH investigator concluded that the fire fighter's heart attack was due to his underlying CAD, probably triggered by his regular job duties. However, contribution from responding to the vehicle fire 18 hours earlier cannot be ruled out. NIOSH investigators offer the following recommendations to prevent similar incidents and to address general safety and health issues: (1) Provide mandatory pre-placement and annual medical evaluations to ALL fire fighters to determine their medical ability to perform duties without presenting a significant risk to the safety and health of themselves or others. (2) Ensure that fire fighters are cleared for duty by a physician who is knowledgeable about the physical demands of fire fighting, the personal protective equipment used by firefighters, and the various components of NFPA 1582. (3) Provide fire fighters with medical clearance to wear self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA) as part of the fire department's medical evaluation program. (4) Phase in a mandatory wellness/fitness program for fire fighters to reduce risk factors for cardiovascular

disease and improve cardiovascular capacity. (5) Perform an annual physical performance (physical ability) evaluation to ensure fire fighters are physically capable of performing the essential job tasks of structural fire fighting. (6) Review EMS treatment protocols for acute myocardial infarction.

Series Data Death in the line of duty  
Series Data Fatality assessment and control evaluation (FACE) investigative report. No. F2007-14  
URL [www.cdc.gov/niosh/fire/pdfs/face200714.pdf](http://www.cdc.gov/niosh/fire/pdfs/face200714.pdf) (390.9kb)

Title Director's Inquiry Review Board report with funeral protocols: Regis Tower, 750 Adams Street, Memphis, Tennessee, April 11, 1994  
Corporate Author Director's Inquiry Review Board  
Publisher s.l. : The Board  
Publication Date n.d.  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 48022375  
Subjects HIGHRISE BUILDINGS; ARSON; FIREFIGHTER FATALITIES; FATALITIES; SMOKE INHALATION; FIRE INVESTIGATIONS  
Call Number 41731  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104378 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 1 v.  
Item Type REPORT

Title Stockton Fire Department Board of Inquiry: 26 West Mendocino, February 6, 1997  
Corporate Author Stockton Fire Department Board of Inquiry  
Publisher s.l. : The Board  
Publication Date n.d.  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 228862547  
Subjects RESIDENTIAL BUILDINGS; RESCUE OPERATIONS; STOCKTON, CA; BUILDING COLLAPSE; FIREFIGHTER FATALITIES; FATALITIES; FIRE INVESTIGATIONS  
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Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104379 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 188 p.  
Item Type REPORT

Title Ebenezer Baptist Church Board of Inquiry: findings and recommendations  
Corporate Author Ebenezer Baptist Church Board of Inquiry  
Publisher s.l. : The Board  
Publication Date May 1, 2004  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 228881120  
Subjects CHURCHES; ELECTRICAL FIRES; INVESTIGATIONS; PITTSBURGH, PA; BUILDING COLLAPSE; FIREFIGHTER FATALITIES  
Biblio Notes The tower on this historic church, built in 1874, collapsed as firefighters were extinguishing hot spots

in the vestibule area, resulting in 2 firefighter fatalities (Brace and Stefanakis) and 23 firefighter injuries. The fire occurred on March 13, 2004.

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Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104380 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 1 v.  
Item Type REPORT

Title NEA annual report 2007  
Corporate Author Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development.  
Nuclear Energy Agency  
Publisher Paris, France : The Agency  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 39729815  
Identifier ISBN: 978-92-64-99046-3  
Subjects NUCLEAR ENERGY; NUCLEAR INDUSTRIES; NUCLEAR RESEARCH;  
EUROPE

Biblio Notes The Nuclear Energy Agency (NEA) is a semi-autonomous body within the Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development (OECD), located in the Paris area in France. The objective of the agency is to assist its member countries in maintaining and further developing safe, environmentally friendly and economical use of nuclear energy for peaceful purposes.

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Description 48 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
URL [www.nea.fr/html/pub/activities/ar2007/AR2007.pdf](http://www.nea.fr/html/pub/activities/ar2007/AR2007.pdf)  
(1.8mb)

Title September 11  
Corporate Author Galatee Films  
Corporate Author STUDIOCANAL  
Publisher New York, NY : Empire Pictures Home Entertainment  
Publication Date 2002  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 169953340  
Identifier Misc. No.: 843171005234  
Identifier Misc. No.: DVD-EP-0523  
Subjects TERRORISM; SEPTEMBER 11, 2001; GRIEF; CREATIVITY  
Call Number HV 6432 .G146 2008  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104438 c.1: COMPUTER ALCOVE - 200 [status: IN]  
Description 1 digital video disk, 135 min.  
Item Type DVD  
Tbl. of Contents Each director was asked to make an 11 minute short in response to the 9/11 terrorist attacks:  
Samira Makhmalbaf - IRAN  
Claude Lelouch - FRANCE  
Youssef Chahine - EGYPT  
Danis Tanovic - BOSNIA-HERZEGOVINA

Idrissa Ouedraogo - BURKINA FASO  
Ken Loach - UNITED KINGDOM  
Alejandro Gonzalez Inarritu - MEXICO  
Amos Gitai - ISRAEL  
Mira Nair - INDIA  
Sean Penn - UNITED STATES  
Shohei Imamura - JAPAN  
The DVD includes profiles of each director  
Language English  
Language French

Title Home fires that began with upholstered furniture  
Author/Affil. Ahrens, Marty  
Publisher Quincy, MA : National Fire Protection Association.  
Fire Analysis and Research Division  
Publication Date May 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 229455184  
Identifier Misc. No.: USS56  
Subjects UPHOLSTERY; FURNITURE; RESIDENTIAL FIRES; FIRE CAUSES;  
DATA  
Call Number 41758  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104444 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 68 p.  
Item Type REPORT

Title Department of Homeland Security Information Sharing  
Strategy  
Corporate Author Department of Homeland Security  
Publisher Washington, DC : The Department  
Publication Date April 18, 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 229902488  
Subjects DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY; INFORMATION SYSTEMS;  
COMMUNICATIONS  
Call Number 41760  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104476 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 9 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Abstract The President and Congress have directed the Department  
of Homeland Security (DHS) to perform an essential and  
multi-faceted mission: prevent and protect against  
terrorist attacks; respond to both man-made and natural  
disasters; perform the law enforcement and other crucial  
functions of the Department's component agencies; and  
play a central role in augmenting the Nation's ability  
to gather, analyze and disseminate information and  
intelligence. To ensure that information and  
intelligence flow where and when they should, DHS must  
foster information sharing, consistent with law,  
regulation and policy, in each of the following ways:  
i) internally within DHS, ii) horizontally within the  
U.S. government between both law enforcement agencies

and the intelligence community, iii) vertically with State, local, territorial, tribal and private sector partners, and iv) horizontally with the law enforcement and intelligence agencies of foreign allies and appropriate international institutions. The foundation for DHS's key role with respect to information sharing has been established by statute, regulation, Executive Order and Secretarial directive. The Department has made significant contributions to the Nation's information sharing capability since its inception, but critical work remains to be done. This Information Sharing Strategy for DHS builds on that foundation and sets out DHS's strategy for achieving its information sharing objectives.

URL [www.dhs.gov/xlibrary/assets/dhs information sharing strategy.pdf](http://www.dhs.gov/xlibrary/assets/dhs_information_sharing_strategy.pdf) (121.1kb)

Title Captain suffers sudden cardiac death during physical fitness evaluation - Alabama

Author/Affil. Baldwin, Tommy N.

Publisher Cincinnati, OH : National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

Publication Date January 30, 2008

Identifier OCLC Record No.: 43779278

Subjects MYOCARDIAL INFARCTION; PHYSICAL FITNESS; TESTS

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Abstract On April 25, 2007, a 56-year-old male career Captain was participating in the Fire Department's annual "Fit Check" (physical fitness) evaluation. The Captain successfully completed the bench press, sit-ups, and sit-and-reach portions of the evaluation within the allotted time. During the aerobic capacity (3-mile walk) portion of the evaluation, he completed 6 of 12 laps around the ¼-mile track, when he suddenly collapsed. Crew members on the scene responded and found him unresponsive, not breathing, and with a weak pulse that stopped shortly thereafter. Approximately 29 minutes later, despite cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) and advanced life support administered on-scene and at the hospital, the Captain died. The death certificate and the autopsy, completed by the County Medical Examiner, listed "complications of atherosclerotic cardiovascular disease" as the immediate cause of death with "cardiomegaly" as a significant condition. NIOSH investigators offer the following recommendations to address general safety and health issues. However, it is unclear if any of these recommendations would have prevented the Captain's sudden cardiac death. (1) Provide mandatory annual medical evaluations to all fire fighters to ensure their medical ability to perform fire fighting duties without

presenting a significant risk to the safety and health of themselves or others. (2) Incorporate exercise stress tests into the Fire Department's medical evaluation program. (3) Provide fire fighters with medical evaluations and clearance to wear self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBA). (4) Provide exercise equipment in all fire stations. (5) Ensure that all members participate in the Fire Department's mandatory wellness/fitness program.

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Title Transforming the federal government to protect America from terrorism  
Corporate Author Congress. House. Select Committee on Homeland Security  
Hearing before the Select Committee on Homeland Security (sponsored by: Congress. House) (Washington, DC : July 11, 2002)  
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Title Traffic incident management systems  
Corporate Author Department of Homeland Security. Federal Emergency Management Agency. United States Fire Administration

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Abstract The U.S. Fire Administration (USFA) is committed to reducing on duty firefighter fatalities by 25 percent within 5 years and 50 percent within 10 years. It also is committed to doing research that would support that goal. The consistently high annual percentage of fatalities related to fire department response and roadway scene operations prompted the USFA to look at several aspects related to these collisions in an effort to improve responder safety.  
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Corporate Author National Research Council. Division on Engineering and Physical Sciences. Board of Infrastructure and the Constructed Environment. Division on Earth and Life Studies. Ocean Studies Board. Water Science and Technology Board. Committee on the Review of the Louisiana Coastal Protection and Restoration (LACPR) Program  
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Author/Affil. Carafano, James Jay  
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Title National disaster planning slowed by inadequate interagency process  
Author/Affil. Mayer, Matt A.  
Author/Affil. Carafano, James Jay  
Publisher Washington, DC : Heritage Foundation  
Publication Date October 24, 2007  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 230370615  
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Title Grassroots disaster response: harnessing the capacities of communities  
Author/Affil. Carafano, James Jay  
Author/Affil. Marshall, Jennifer A.  
Author/Affil. Hammond, Lauren Calco  
Publisher Washington, DC : Heritage Foundation  
Publication Date December 28, 2007  
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Title Fire fighter suffers a heart attack and dies several hours after assisting at a structure fire - Illinois  
Author/Affil. Baldwin, Tommy N.

Publisher Cincinnati, OH : National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

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Abstract  
On July 29, 2006, a 43-year-old male paid/call Fire Fighter (FF) responded to a residential fire at 1917 hours. The fire occurred on a very hot (81 degrees Fahrenheit [°F]) and humid (77% relative humidity) evening. On-scene, the FF assisted in stretching the booster hose from the engine and setting up a positive pressure ventilation fan. During fire suppression operations, the FF and two other crew members had symptoms consistent with heat strain. About 2 hours later, units returned to their fire station, and the FF returned home for the evening. Crew members called the FF at about 2130 hours to check on him, and he stated that he was feeling better. About an hour later, a crew member called the FF again, but this time the FF did not answer the telephone. The crew member asked his spouse to drive over to the FF's house and check to make sure he was alright. After ringing the doorbell and not getting any response, she entered the house and found the FF collapsed on the floor. She called 911 and began cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). An ambulance arrived at his home 14 minutes later. Paramedics attached a cardiac monitor which revealed asystole (no heart beat). The coroner was notified and pronounced the FF dead via telephone. The death certificate (completed by the coroner) and autopsy (completed by the forensic pathologist) listed "fatal cardiac arrhythmia" due to "thrombosis of a severely narrowed artery" due to "clogged artery" as the cause of death. NIOSH investigators concluded that the heat and physical stress of fire suppression probably triggered this FF's fatal heart attack. NIOSH investigators offer the following recommendations to address general safety and health issues. However, it is unclear if any of these recommendations would have prevented the FF's sudden cardiac death. (1) Institute incident scene rehabilitation (rehab) during extensive structural fires. (2) Perform pre-placement and periodic medical evaluations consistent with National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) 1582, Standard on Comprehensive Occupational Medical Program for Fire Departments. (3) Develop a structured wellness/fitness program for fire fighters to reduce risk factors for cardiovascular disease and improve cardiovascular capacity. (4) Perform an annual physical performance (physical ability) evaluation to ensure fire fighters are physically capable of performing the essential job tasks

of structural firefighting. (5) Ensure fire fighters are cleared for duty by a physician knowledgeable about the physical demands of firefighting, the personal protective equipment used by fire fighters, and the various components of NFPA 1582. (6) Provide fire fighters with medical evaluations and clearance to wear self-contained breathing apparatus (SCBAs). (7) Ensure members report any medication use to the fire department physician.

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Title Introduction to the PERI symposium: evaluating community emergency services  
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Title Health care and homeland security: crossroads of emergency response  
Corporate Author Heritage Foundation  
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fire departments and public safety  
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Title Protecting the homeland: insights from Army wargames

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Title DHS lacks evidence to conclude that foot-and-mouth  
disease research can be done safely on the U. S.  
mainland  
Corporate Author Congress. House. Committee on Energy and Commerce.  
Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations  
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Abstract DHS is proposing to move foot-and mouth disease (FMD)  
research from its current location at the Plum Island  
Animal Disease Center--located on a federally owned  
island off the northern tip of Long Island, New  
York--and potentially onto the United States mainland.  
FMD is the most highly infectious animal disease that is  
known. Nearly 100 percent of exposed animals become  
infected. A single outbreak of FMD on the U.S. mainland  
could have significant economic consequences. Concerns  
have been raised about moving FMD research off its  
island location and onto the U.S. mainland--where it  
would be in closer proximity to susceptible animal  
populations--as opposed to building a new facility on  
the island. GAO was asked to evaluate the evidence DHS  
used to support its decision that FMD work can be done

safely on the U.S. mainland, whether an island location provides any additional protection over and above that provided by modern high containment laboratories on the mainland, and the economic consequences of an FMD outbreak on the U.S. mainland. In preparing this testimony, GAO interviewed officials from DHS and USDA, talked with experts in FMD and high-containment laboratories worldwide, and reviewed studies on FMD, high-containment laboratories, and the economic consequences of FMD outbreaks. GAO also visited the Plum Island Animal Disease Center and other animal biocontainment laboratories in other countries.

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Title Hospital emergency surge capacity: not ready for the "predictable surprise"

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Abstract On March 11, 2004, on the eve of a major election in Spain, an attack on commuter trains in Madrid killed 177 instantly and injured more than 2,000. Nearly one thousand patients were transported to 15 hospitals. In less than three hours, 270 patients arrived at a single hospital in Madrid. The Centers on Disease Control and Prevention says that a terrorist bombing in the United States like the one in Madrid is a "predictable surprise." According to the CDC, the 2004 Madrid bombing is an appropriate standard for assessing whether the emergency care system in the United States is prepared to respond to a terrorist attack. At the request of Chairman Henry A. Waxman, the majority staff of the Committee conducted a survey of Level I trauma centers in seven major U.S. cities to assess whether they have the capacity to respond to the level of casualties experienced in the Madrid attack. The survey included five of the cities considered at highest risk of a terrorist strike: New York City, Los Angeles, Washington, D.C., Chicago, and Houston. It also included Denver and Minneapolis, where the 2008 Democratic and Republican conventions will be held. The Level I trauma centers surveyed are not the only providers of emergency care in the seven cities, but they are the hospitals that can provide the highest levels of injury care and would be the preferred

destinations for casualties in the event of a terrorist attack involving conventional explosives. Severely injured patients treated at Level I trauma centers have a significantly lower risk of death than patients treated at hospitals that are not trauma centers. The survey was conducted on Tuesday, March 25, 2008, at 4:30 p.m. local time in each of the seven cities. The survey was designed to determine the real-time capacity of the emergency rooms at the Level I trauma centers to absorb a sudden influx from a mass casualty event. Thirty-four of the 41 Level I trauma centers in these cities participated in the survey. The results of the survey show that none of the hospitals surveyed in the seven cities had sufficient emergency care capacity to respond to an attack generating the number of casualties that occurred in Madrid. The Level I trauma centers surveyed had no room in their emergency rooms to treat a sudden influx of victims. They had virtually no free intensive care unit beds within their hospital complex. And they did not have enough regular inpatient beds to handle the less severely injured victims. The shortage of capacity was particularly acute in Los Angeles and Washington, D.C.

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Title EPA's new assessment process will further limit the productivity and credibility of its Integrated Risk Information System

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Abstract The Environmental Protection Agency's (EPA) Integrated Risk Information System (IRIS) contains EPA's scientific position on the potential human health effects of exposure to more than 540 chemicals. Toxicity assessments in the IRIS database constitute the first two critical steps of the risk assessment process, which in turn, provides the foundation for risk management decisions. Thus, IRIS is a critical component of EPA's capacity to support scientifically sound environmental

decisions, policies, and regulations. This testimony discusses (1) highlights of GAO's March 2008 report, Chemical Assessments: Low Productivity and New Interagency Review Process Limit the Usefulness and Credibility of EPA's Integrated Risk Information System, and (2) key aspects of EPA's revised IRIS assessment process, released on April 10, 2008. For the March 2008 report, GAO reviewed and analyzed EPA data and interviewed officials at relevant agencies, including the Office of Management and Budget (OMB). For this testimony, GAO supplemented the prior audit work with a review of EPA's revised IRIS assessment process announced on April 10, 2008.

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Title Using the Oregon Deployment Process to evaluate community fire protection  
Author/Affil. Dunkel, George M.  
Evaluating Community Emergency Services (sponsored by: Public Entity Risk Institute) (September 2002)  
Publisher Fairfax, VA : Public Entity Risk Institute  
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Title Fatal training fires: fire analysis for the fire service  
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Abstract The National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) has investigated the fire conditions of two very different fire training incidents that resulted in the loss of life. One incident occurred in an acquired structure and the other occurred in a concrete training tower. In both cases, NIST conducted real scale fire experiments to gain insight into the thermal conditions that may have existed during the incidents. The results of the experiments will be presented and discussed so that future incidents of this type can be avoided. This is one of many studies by NIST to assist the fire service in the practical understanding of fire dynamics. This paper will provide a summary of each incident and a discussion of how the incidents were simulated with real scale fire experiments. In each incident, it appeared that extremely high heat conditions had occurred. The experiments examine the impact of fuel load, and the impact of the structure in terms of ventilation and heat transfer on the fire environment.

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Title Increasing resiliency to natural hazards: a strategic plan for the multi-hazards demonstration project in Southern California

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Abstract The U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) is initiating a new project designed to improve resiliency to natural hazards in southern California through the application of science to community decision making and emergency response. The Multi-Hazards Demonstration Project will assist the region's communities to reduce their risk from natural hazards by directing new and existing

research towards the community's needs, improving monitoring technology, producing innovative products, and improving dissemination of the results. The natural hazards to be investigated in this project include coastal erosion, earthquakes, floods, landslides, tsunamis, and wildfires.

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Abstract During Hurricane Katrina, the levees in New Orleans failed turning a potential crisis into a catastrophic incident. The public began to question the responsibility and requirements of the United States (US) government in responding to the total devastation of New Orleans as the media continually showed the death and destruction. The public wanted answers on how the Federal government was going to provide quick and timely assistance in evacuation, search and rescue, and distribution of supplies (food and water). To answer these questions for John Q. Public, a logical response could have been the activation of a federal agency that will stop the horrors shown on an hourly basis. The agency with the responsibility to answer these questions is Department of Homeland Security (DHS) through the direction of Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA). The FEMA design, as a coordinating agency with the ability to task and synchronize the other federal agencies, was not able to respond to the widespread devastation. The President decides once again to call on the Department of Defense (DOD) to answer the call to assist in disaster response. This study will specifically focus on the logistical responses necessary to react to a catastrophic incident

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Title Emergency response: unity of effort through a common operational picture  
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Publisher Carlisle Barracks, PA : Army War College  
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in the design and implementation of a common operational picture.

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Title Assessment of chemical detection equipment for HAZMAT responders  
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Author/Affil. Hawley, Christopher  
Author/Affil. Golly, Scott  
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commercially and/or used by the military for the detection of chemical agents. Upon the identification of applicable detection equipment, evaluation criteria were developed to help determine which equipment will benefit the civilian emergency responder. The report recommends additional detection equipment that emergency responders may require in order to meet their domestic preparedness needs.

Title Emergency management and tactical response operations: bridging the gap  
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Publisher Burlington, MA : Butterworth-Heinemann  
Publication Date 2008  
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 Author/Affil. Waters, Mary Jo  
 Author/Affil. Bowen, Gregory W.  
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 Corporate Author Defense Technical Information Center  
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 Publisher Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD : Chemical and Biological  
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 Description 495 p.  
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 Abstract A number of countries around the world have the  
 capability to use chemical weapons. Moreover, the  
 threat of their proliferation by third world nations is  
 ever increasing. In fact, within the past decade,  
 several examples of their use have been well-documented  
 including Iraq's use of chemical weapons on its own  
 Kurdish citizens and the recent use of the nerve gas GB  
 on the Tsukijiki subway line in Japan. The Persian Gulf  
 War further underscores the need for effective detection  
 equipment. The threat for the potential use of chemical  
 weapons resulted in the deployment of an extensive array  
 of chemical detection equipment to the Gulf region.  
 Each nation represented in the coalition deployed "their  
 own" equipment to the region, whether it was equipment  
 that was manufactured by the country or purchased from  
 other countries. This handbook serves as a compendium  
 of information pertaining to chemical warfare agent  
 detection systems and technologies being used around the  
 world. It includes U.S. and foreign military chemical  
 warfare agent detectors currently being used or procured  
 and detectors in the final stages of development for  
 military use. It also includes some commercial  
 detectors that have potential military applications or  
 that have been modified to satisfy a specific military  
 role.

Title Worldwide NBC mask handbook  
 Author/Affil. Brletich, Nancy R.  
 Author/Affil. Tracy, Mary Frances  
 Author/Affil. Dashiell, Thomas R.  
 Corporate Author Defense Technical Information Center  
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Abstract	<p>A number of countries around the world have the capability to use chemical and biological (CB) weapons. In fact, within the past decade several instances of their use in combat have been well documented. During this same time, intensive negotiations have been underway to ratify a treaty to prohibit development, production, storage, transfer, and use of chemical weapons. The completion of this comprehensive treaty is in sight with negotiations expected to be finalized in 1992. Full implementation of this treaty, however, is expected to take a number of years with destruction of existing stockpiles scheduled to require at least ten years after the treaty comes into force. A necessary part of the treaty is maintaining an adequate protective posture which includes detection and warning, medical prophylaxis and treatment, and personal protective equipment. Effective personal protective equipment that does not seriously degrade human performance is of primary importance in the event of a breach of the treaty or the use of CB weapons by non-signatories. One of the most important items of personal protective equipment is the protective mask and associated filters. These items vary widely in construction, protection factors, and human performance characteristics. This handbook results from a survey of NBC respiratory protection equipment available in current inventories of countries throughout the world and will serve as a single, authoritative source for data pertaining to this equipment. The information provided should help to:</p> <p>(1) Convey the wide variety of personal respiratory protection available; (2) Explain the features of each piece of equipment and their advantages and disadvantages; (3) Encourage an understanding of the availability and the need for continued improvements in respiratory protection; and (4) Promote transfer of new technology.</p>
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outreach - protect what you value most  
 Corporate Author Home Fire Sprinkler Coalition  
 Publisher Frankfort, IL : The Coalition  
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 Living with sprinklers, 10 min. c2006  
 Built for life, 16 min. c2005  
 Home fire time line, 5 min.  
 Water flow animation, 1 min.  
 How fire sprinklers work, 2 min.  
 On the CDROM: community education planning; overview of  
 NFPA 13D; residential sprinkler outreach tips;  
 presentation material; public relations tools; material  
 order form. c2007

Title Heeling accident on M/V Crown Princess, Atlantic Ocean  
 off Port Canaveral, Florida, July 18, 2006  
 Corporate Author National Transportation Safety Board  
 Publisher Washington, DC : The Board  
 Publication Date January 30, 2008  
 Identifier OCLC Record No.: 04368119  
 Identifier Misc. No.: 7963B  
 Identifier Misc. No.: NTSB/MAR-08/01  
 Identifier NTIS: PB2008-916401  
 Subjects MARINE ACCIDENTS; NAVIGATION; ERRORS; INJURIES  
 Call Number VK 377 .U58 08/01  
 Availability Not available on Interlibrary Loan  
 Copies 104570 c.1: REFERENCE [status: NON-CIRCULATING]  
 Description 101 p.  
 Item Type REPORT  
 Abstract This report discusses the July 18, 2006, accident on  
 the cruise ship Crown Princess in which the vessel  
 heeled at a maximum angle of about 24°, resulting in  
 injuries to 298 passengers and crewmembers. The  
 vessel's second officer, the senior watch officer on the  
 bridge, had disengaged the automatic steering mode of  
 the vessel's integrated navigation system and taken  
 manual control of the steering in an effort to  
 counteract a perceived high rate of turn to port. He  
 turned the wheel first to port and then between port and  
 starboard several times, causing the vessel to suddenly  
 heel and people to be thrown about or struck by  
 unsecured objects. The Crown Princess incurred no  
 structural damage, although unsecured interior items  
 were damaged. The Safety Board's investigation of the  
 accident identified the following safety issues:  
 actions of the captain, staff captain, and second



officer; training in the use of integrated navigation systems; reporting of heeling incidents and accidents; and emergency response following severe incidents. On the basis of its findings, the Safety Board made recommendations to the U.S. Coast Guard, to the Cruise Lines International Association, and to SAM Electronics and Sperry Marine (manufacturers of integrated navigation systems).

Series Data Marine accident report  
URL [www.nts.gov/publicctn/2008/MAR0801.pdf](http://www.nts.gov/publicctn/2008/MAR0801.pdf) (2.9mb)

Title Preparing responders to respond: the challenges to emergency preparedness in the 21st century  
Author/Affil. Carafano, James Jay  
Publisher Washington, DC : Heritage Foundation  
Publication Date November 20, 2003  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 54472744  
Subjects EMERGENCY RESPONSE; CIVIL DEFENSE; EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT  
Call Number 41822  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104579 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 7 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Series Data Heritage lectures. No. 812  
URL [www.heritage.org/Research/HomelandSecurity/upload/528471.pdf](http://www.heritage.org/Research/HomelandSecurity/upload/528471.pdf) (290.7kb)

Title Critical review on the year 2000 (Y2K) millennium bug: a chemical and biological defense community perspective  
Corporate Author Defense Technical Information Center  
Corporate Author Battelle Memorial Institute  
Publisher Aberdeen Proving Ground, MD : Chemical and Biological Defense Information Analysis Center  
Publication Date September 1998  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 231632970  
Identifier Title Number: CR-98-07  
Identifier Misc. No.: SPO900-94-D-0002  
Subjects 2000 COMPLIANCE; CHEMICAL WARFARE; BIOLOGICAL WARFARE; COMPUTERS; MACHINERY; CIVIL DEFENSE  
Biblio Notes Distribution: Unlimited; Unclassified  
Call Number 41820  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104538 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 16 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Abstract The Chemical Warfare/Chemical and Biological Defense Information Analysis Center (CBIAC) is a full service Department of Defense (DoD) Information Analysis Center (IAC) operated by Battelle Memorial Institute under contract to the Defense Technical Information Center (DTIC). The CBIAC was established on August 15, 1986 to serve as the DoD focal point for technical information related to Chemical Warfare/Chemical and Biological

Defense (CW/CBD). The CBIAC produces a variety of media products that deal with current challenges faced by the chemical and biological (CB) defense community. In partial fulfillment of this role, the CBIAC publishes from time to time Critical Reviews (CRs) of information dealing with such issues. This review summarizes information gleaned from available resources including personal interviews, reports, web sites, etc. relevant to the impact of the Year 2000 date code design flaw.

Title Public health, safety, and security for mass gatherings  
Corporate Author Congress. House. Committee on Homeland Security.  
Majority Staff  
Publisher Washington, DC : The Committee  
Publication Date May 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 228104475  
Subjects MASS GATHERINGS; PUBLIC HEALTH; PUBLIC SAFETY; NATIONAL  
SECURITY  
Call Number 41834  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104578 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 64 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Abstract Ensuring the public health, safety, and security of the  
public at mass gatherings can be especially challenging.  
These areas are interrelated and do not fall within the  
exclusive domain of the private sector. On the  
contrary, mass gatherings require that the public and  
private sectors interact with and support one another in  
complex ways. With these challenges and characteristics  
in mind, as well as his ongoing emphasis on preventing,  
detering, and preparing for terrorist attacks and other  
potential disasters before they occur, Chairman Bennie  
G. Thompson (D-MS) of the House Committee on Homeland  
Security, charged the Democratic Majority staff to: (1)  
Examine a number of different mass gathering events and  
venues; (2) Observe how the public and private  
organizations providing support at mass gatherings  
identify, meet, and overcome the challenges inherent in  
dealing with threats to events, attendees, and the  
Nation; and (3) Identify areas where additional homeland  
security resources and/or other assistance might help  
the public and private sectors as they work to ensure  
the public health, safety, and security of attendees,  
participants, support personnel, and surrounding  
communities at these events.  
URL [homeland.house.gov/SiteDocuments/20080513105623-98169.pdf](http://homeland.house.gov/SiteDocuments/20080513105623-98169.pdf)  
(568.1kb)

Title Assessing seismic collapse safety of modern reinforced  
concrete moment-frame buildings  
Author/Affil. Haselton, Curt B.  
Author/Affil. Deierlein, Gregory G.

Publisher Berkeley, CA : Pacific Earthquake Engineering Research Center  
Publication Date February 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 221677595  
Subjects REINFORCED CONCRETE; SEISMIC HAZARDS; BUILDING COLLAPSE; RISK EVALUATION  
Call Number 41821  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104580 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 302 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Series Data Peer report. No. 2007/08  
URL [peer.berkeley.edu/publications/peer\\_reports/reports\\_2007/web\\_PEER708\\_HASELTONdeierlein.pdf](http://peer.berkeley.edu/publications/peer_reports/reports_2007/web_PEER708_HASELTONdeierlein.pdf) (3.1mb)

Title Hurricane Charley in Florida: observations, recommendations, and technical guidance  
Corporate Author Department of Homeland Security. Federal Emergency Management Agency. Mitigation Assessment Team  
Publisher Washington, DC : The Agency  
Publication Date April 2005  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 63128691  
Identifier Title Number: FEMA 488  
Subjects HURRICANES; CHARLEY; FLORIDA; BUILDING CODES; DAMAGE ASSESSMENT  
Call Number 41823  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104567 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 318 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Abstract Hurricane Charley made landfall on Friday, August 13, 2004, at Mangrove Point, just southwest of Punta Gorda, Florida. The hurricane crossed the barrier islands of Cayo Costa and Gasparilla with wind speed estimates from the National Hurricane Center (NHC) of 150 miles per hour (mph) measured as 1-minute sustained wind speeds (over open water). In its Tropical Cyclone Report, Hurricane Charley, 9-14 August 2004 (NHC, October 2004), the NHC categorized the storm at landfall as a Category 4 hurricane as measured by the Saffir-Simpson Hurricane Scale. The storm traveled the width of the state from west coast to east coast in approximately 7 1/2 hours. It struck the Orlando International Airport with wind speeds of nearly 105 miles per hour (mph), and went back out over open water near Daytona Beach. On August 19, 2004, the Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA's) Mitigation Division deployed a Mitigation Assessment Team (MAT) to Florida to assess damages caused by Hurricane Charley. This report presents the MAT's observations, conclusions, and recommendations in response to those field investigations.  
Series Data Mitigation assessment team report  
URL [www.fema.gov/library/file?type=publishedFile&file=fema488.pdf&fileid=e4f18ad0-1e55-11db-b486-000bdba87d5b](http://www.fema.gov/library/file?type=publishedFile&file=fema488.pdf&fileid=e4f18ad0-1e55-11db-b486-000bdba87d5b) (30.7mb)

Title A national report card on women in firefighting  
Author/Affil. Hulett, Denise M.  
Author/Affil. Bendick, Marc  
Author/Affil. Thomas, Sheila Y.  
Author/Affil. Moccio, Francine  
Corporate Author Ford Foundation  
Publisher Madison, WI : International Association of Women in  
Fire & Emergency Services  
Publication Date April 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 231702480  
Subjects WOMEN FIREFIGHTERS; RECRUITMENT; CULTURE; CIVIL RIGHTS;  
PHYSICAL FITNESS; CAREER DEVELOPMENT; DATA  
Call Number 41826  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104569 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 14 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
URL [www.i-women.org/images/pdf-files/35827WSP.pdf](http://www.i-women.org/images/pdf-files/35827WSP.pdf) (883kb)

Title Occupational safety and health program manual  
Corporate Author Federal Emergency Management Agency  
Publisher Washington, DC : The Agency  
Publication Date March 1997  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 231757391  
Identifier Misc. No.: 6900.3  
Subjects OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY; OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH; FEDERAL  
EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY; MANUALS  
Call Number 41824  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104568 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 78 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Abstract The Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)  
Occupational Safety and Health Program Manual: (a)  
Describes the basic occupational safety and health (OSH)  
program elements required by the Occupational Safety and  
Health Administration (OSHA) that have been incorporated  
into the Federal Emergency Management Agency's (FEMA)  
Occupational Safety and Health Program; (b) Establishes  
uniform OSH policies, procedures, and requirements to  
ensure that each FEMA employee's employment, and place  
of employment, are free from recognized hazards that are  
causing, or are likely to cause, death or serious  
physical harm; and (c) Provides a reference document for  
identifying OSH responsibilities associated with the  
proper implementation, management, evaluation, and  
oversight of the FEMA Occupational Safety and Health  
Program.  
Series Data FEMA manual. 6900.3

Title Line of duty death investigative report: Technician I Kyle Wilson, 15474 Marsh Overlook structure fire, April 16, 2007  
Corporate Author Prince William County. Department of Fire and Rescue  
Publisher Prince William, VA : The Department  
Publication Date n.d.  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 231760146  
Subjects FIREFIGHTER FATALITIES; INVESTIGATIONS; RESIDENTIAL FIRES; WIND EFFECTS; BUILDING MATERIALS; BUILDING CONSTRUCTION  
Call Number 41825  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104553 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 382 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
URL [www.pwcgov.org/vpresentations/fnr/LODDReport.pdf](http://www.pwcgov.org/vpresentations/fnr/LODDReport.pdf) (9.2mb)

Title Euro firefighter  
Author/Affil. Grimwood, Paul  
Publisher Huddersfield, England : Jeremy Mills Publishing Limited  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 232109492  
Identifier ISBN: 978-1-906600-25-9  
Edition 1st ed.  
Subjects FIREFIGHTING OPERATIONS; INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS; FIRE SERVICE TRAINING; CULTURE; EUROPE  
Biblio Notes Publisher provided new ISBN number, 9781906600259 - the original one, 9781905217069, was for Muffin the Mule.  
Call Number TH 9540 .G861 2008  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104560 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
104561 c.2: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
104562 c.3: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 369 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title 2008 disaster housing plan  
Corporate Author Federal Emergency Management Agency  
Publisher Washington, DC : The Agency  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 232116213  
Subjects DISASTER HOUSING; FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY; PLANS  
Call Number 41843  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104599 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 6 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Abstract This 2008 Disaster Housing Plan describes FEMA's approach to working with Federal partners, States, territories, local communities, and individual disaster victims to meet disaster housing needs during the 2008

hurricane season. This Plan is based on key concepts that are further defined in the National Disaster Housing Strategy.

URL [www.fema.gov/pdf/media/2008/dhp\\_08.pdf](http://www.fema.gov/pdf/media/2008/dhp_08.pdf) (231.6kb)

Title Guide to developing a food defense plan for warehouse and distribution centers

Corporate Author Department of Agriculture. Food Safety and Inspection Service

Publisher Washington, DC : The Department

Publication Date January 2008

Identifier OCLC Record No.: 232118323

Subjects FOOD; SAFETY; TERRORISM; PLANNING; WAREHOUSES; SUPPLIES

Call Number 41842

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Copies 104601 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]

Description 15 p.

Item Type REPORT

Abstract Food defense is putting measures in place that reduce the chances of the food supply from becoming intentionally contaminated using a variety of chemicals, biological agents or other harmful substances by people who want to do us harm. These agents could include materials that are not naturally-occurring or substances not routinely tested for in food products. A terrorist's goal might be to kill people, disrupt our economy, or ruin your business. Intentional acts generally occur infrequently, can be difficult to detect, and are hard to predict. Food defense is not the same as food safety. Food safety addresses the accidental contamination of food products during storage and transportation and focuses on biological, chemical or physical hazards. The main types of food safety hazards are microbes, chemicals and foreign objects. Products can become contaminated through negligence and can occur during storage and transportation. Some of the information you will use to create your Food Defense Plan will already exist in your Sanitary Standard Operating Procedures (SSOPs), Hazard Analysis and Critical Control Point plan (HACCP) and other documents relating to emergency response procedures. Make sure to consult these documents for information. There is no need to "reinvent the wheel" when developing your Food Defense Plan.

URL [www.fsis.usda.gov/PDF/Guidance Document Warehouses.pdf](http://www.fsis.usda.gov/PDF/Guidance_Document_Warehouses.pdf) (156.8kb)

Title Fatal chain of errors: understanding why humans in high stress environments keep making the same mistakes

Author/Affil. Love, Patrick

Publisher s.l. : The Author

Publication Date December 10, 2001

Identifier OCLC Record No.: 232113664

Subjects STRESS; ERRORS; DECISION MAKING; SKILLS; COMMUNICATION;  
DATA; FIREFIGHTER FATALITIES; FIREFIGHTER INJURIES  
Biblio Notes CREW RESOURCE MANAGEMENT  
Call Number 41827  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104577 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 43 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
URL [www.firefighterclosecalls.com/downloads/Fatalchainoferros.doc](http://www.firefighterclosecalls.com/downloads/Fatalchainoferros.doc) (607kb)

Title Damage to engineered buildings and lifelines from wind,  
storm surge and debris in the wake of Hurricane Katrina  
Author/Affil. Mosqueda, Gilberto  
Author/Affil. Porter, Keith A.  
Publisher Buffalo, NY : Multidisciplinary Center for Earthquake  
Engineering Research  
Publication Date August 13, 2007  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 71337335  
Identifier Title Number: MCEER-07-SP03  
Identifier Misc. No.: EEC-9701471  
Subjects HURRICANES; DAMAGE; COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS; WIND EFFECTS;  
STORM SURGES; DEBRIS; STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING  
Call Number 39360 v.4  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104552 v.4 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 60 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Series Data Engineering and organizational issues before, during  
and after Hurricane Katrina. Volume 4  
Series Data MCEER special report  
URL [mceer.buffalo.edu/publications/Katrina/07-SP03web.pdf](http://mceer.buffalo.edu/publications/Katrina/07-SP03web.pdf)  
(7mb)

Title In the line of fire  
Alternate Title In the line of fire: episodes 1 - 4  
Corporate Author Firelight Productions  
Corporate Author Essential Viewing Production  
Publisher s.l. : Essential Viewing  
Publication Date 2006  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 231848741  
Subjects VOLUNTEER FIREFIGHTERS; NEW SOUTH WALES, AUSTRALIA;  
RURAL FIRE PROTECTION; AERIAL FIRE SUPPRESSION  
Biblio Notes Each episode is about 25 min.  
Call Number SD 421.3 .A8 E78 2006  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
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Description 1 digital video disk, 95 min.  
Item Type DVD

Title Arson litigation archive

Corporate Author EDM Publishers  
Publisher s.l. : The Publishers  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 231837401  
Edition 2006-2007 ed.  
Subjects ARSON; LITIGATION; CASE STUDIES  
Biblio Notes Copyright date on viewing CDROM is 2008  
Call Number TH 9180 .A7 E24 2008  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104583 c.1: COMPUTER ALCOVE - 200 [status: IN]  
Description 1 compact disk  
Item Type CDROM

Title Respirator encumbrance model  
Corporate Author Chemical and Biological Defense Information Analysis  
Center  
Publisher Gunpowder, MD : The Center  
Publication Date September 2000  
Identifier Title Number: SOAR-01-03  
Subjects RESPIRATORS; DESIGNS; COMPUTER MODELS; AIR FLOWS;  
ERGONOMICS  
Biblio Notes Version 2.1  
Biblio Notes Distribution: U. S. Government Agencies and their  
Contractors Only  
Call Number QM 535 .C517 2000  
Availability Not available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104551 c.1: COMPUTER ALCOVE - 200 [status: IN]  
Description 1 compact disk  
Item Type CDROM

Title Transatlantic homeland security: protecting society in  
the age of catastrophic terrorism  
Editor/Affil. Daalgard-Nielsen, Anja  
Editor/Affil. Hamilton, Daniel S.  
Publisher New York, NY : Routledge  
Publication Date 2006  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 57579430  
Identifier ISBN: 9780415360326  
Identifier ISBN: 0-415-36032-3  
Subjects TERRORISM; INTERNATIONAL SECURITY; NATIONAL SECURITY;  
INTELLIGENCE; LAW ENFORCEMENT  
Call Number HE 194.5 .D142 2006  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104589 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 224 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title Triangle Shirtwaist Factory fire  
Author/Affil. Lange, Brenda  
Publisher New York, NY : Chelsea House Publishers  
Publication Date 2008



Identifier OCLC Record No.: 172521682  
Identifier ISBN: 978-0-7910-9641-3  
Identifier LCCN: 2007037042  
Subjects TRAIANGLE SHIRTWAIST COMPANY; INDUSTRIAL FIRES; FIRE FATALITIES; FACTORIES; NEW YORK, NY; ESCAPE MEANS  
Call Number F 128.5 .L274 2008  
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104618 c.3: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: IN]  
Description 112 p.  
Item Type BOOK  
Series Data Great historic disasters

Title The unthinkable: who survives when disaster strikes - and why  
Author/Affil. Ripley, Amanda  
Publisher New York, NY : Crown Publishers  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 174040154  
Identifier ISBN: 978-0-307-35289-7  
Identifier LCCN: 2007040315  
Edition 1st ed.  
Subjects DISASTERS; SURVIVAL; PERSONALITY; PSYCHOLOGICAL STRESS; RISK PERCEPTION; RISK TAKING  
Call Number BF 698.8 .R589 2008  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104619 c.1: CIRCULATION - BOOKS [status: OUT]  
Description 286 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title Guidance for State Department's Antiterrorism Assistance Program is limited and State does not systematically assess outcomes  
Corporate Author Congress. House. Committee on Oversight and Government Reform. Subcommittee on National Security and Foreign Affairs  
Publisher Washington, DC : Government Accountability Office  
Publication Date June 4, 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 56474485  
Identifier Title Number: GAO-08-875T  
Subjects TERRORISM; STATE GOVERNMENT; DEPARTMENT OF STATE; TRAINING  
Biblio Notes Statement of Charles Michael Johnson, Jr., Director, International Affairs and Trade  
Call Number 41841  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
Copies 104600 c.1: DOCUMENT ROOM - ROOM 209 [status: IN]  
Description 21 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Abstract The Department of State's (State) Antiterrorism Assistance (ATA) program's objectives are to provide partner nations with counterterrorism training and

equipment, improve bilateral ties, and increase respect for human rights. State's Office of the Coordinator for Counterterrorism (S/CT) provides policy guidance and its Bureau of Diplomatic Security, Office of Antiterrorism, Assistance (DS/T/ATA), manages program operations. GAO assessed (1) State's guidance for determining ATA priorities, (2) how State coordinates ATA with other counterterrorism programs, (3) the extent State established ATA program goals and measures, and (4) State's reporting on U.S. counterterrorism assistance. This statement is based on a February 2008, GAO report titled Combating Terrorism: State Department's Antiterrorism Program Needs Improved Guidance and More Systematic Assessments of Outcomes, GAO-08-336 (Washington, D.C.: Feb. 29, 2008).

Series Data  
URL  
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Title  
Engaging citizens in measuring and reporting community conditions: a manager's guide

Author/Affil.  
Ho, Alfred T.

Publisher  
Washington, DC : IBM Center for the Business of Government

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2007

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[www.businessofgovernment.org/pdfs/HoReport.pdf](http://www.businessofgovernment.org/pdfs/HoReport.pdf) (3mb)

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The road atlas '09: large scale

Corporate Author  
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Publisher  
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264 p.

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BOOK

Title Medical aspects of biological agents  
Corporate Author Department of Defense. Chemical and Biological Defense  
Information Analysis Center  
Corporate Author Defense Technical Information Center  
Corporate Author Battelle Memorial Institute  
Publisher Fort Belvoir, VA : Chemical and Biological Defense  
Information Analysis Center  
Publication Date June 10, 2008  
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Identifier Title Number: CR-03-08  
Subjects TERRORISM; BIOLOGICAL WARFARE; MEDICINE; EPIDEMIOLOGY  
Biblio Notes Approved for public release; distribution unlimited  
Call Number RC 88.9 .T47 C517 2008  
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Item Type CDROM  
Tbl. of Contents Anthrax, bubonic plague, Crimean-Congo, Dengue Fever,  
Ebola, influenza, Japanese encephalitis, Lassa, Marburg,  
pneumonic plague, Rift Valley, SEB (staphylococcal  
enterotoxin B), smallpox, St. Louis encephalitis,  
tularemia.

Title Strengthening homeland security: reforming planning  
and resource allocation  
Author/Affil. Williams, Cindy  
Publisher Washington, DC : IBM Center for The Business of  
Government  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 232301143  
Subjects DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY; RESOURCE ALLOCATION;  
FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT; PLANNING  
Call Number 41839  
Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
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Description 55 p.  
Item Type REPORT  
Series Data 2008 presidential transition series  
URL [www.businessofgovernment.org/pdfs/CindyWilliamsReport.pdf](http://www.businessofgovernment.org/pdfs/CindyWilliamsReport.pdf)  
(1.2mb)

Title A slight epidemic: the government cover-up of black  
plague in Los Angeles - what happened and why it matters  
Author/Affil. Feldinger, Frank  
Publisher Los Angeles, CA : Silver Lake Publishing  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 191727582  
Identifier ISBN: 978-1-56343-885-1  
Edition 1st ed.  
Subjects PLAGUES; EPIDEMICS; LOS ANGELES, CA; HISTORY; PUBLIC  
HEALTH; RACE DISCRIMINATION  
Biblio Notes Bubonic/pneumonic plague, Los Angeles, CA, 1924,  
cover-up

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Availability Available on Interlibrary Loan  
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Description 212 p.  
Item Type BOOK

Title Climate change and adaptation  
Editor/Affil. Leary, Neil  
Editor/Affil. Adejuwon, James  
Editor/Affil. Barros, Vicente  
Editor/Affil. Burton, Ian  
Editor/Affil. Kulkarni, Jyoti  
Editor/Affil. Lasco, Rodel  
Corporate Author International START Secretariat  
Publisher Sterling, VA : Earthscan  
Publication Date 2008  
Identifier OCLC Record No.: 141188040  
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Subjects CLIMATES; CONSERVATION; PLANNING  
Call Number QC 981.8 .C5 L438 2008 v.1  
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Description 397 p.  
Item Type BOOK

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NATO Advanced Research Workshop on Sociological and  
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Corporate Author Congress. Senate. Committee on Environment and Public  
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Publisher Washington, DC : Government Accountability Office  
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Abstract Elevated levels of greenhouse gases in the atmosphere and the resulting effects on the earth's climate could have significant environmental and economic impacts in the United States and internationally. Potential impacts include rising sea levels and a shift in the intensity and frequency of floods and storms. Proposed responses to climate change include adapting to the possible impacts by planning and improving protective infrastructure, and reducing greenhouse gas emissions directly through regulation or the promotion of low-emissions technologies. Because most U.S. emissions stem from the combustion of fossil fuels such as coal, oil, and natural gas, much of this report centers on the effect emissions regulation could have on the economy. In this context, GAO was asked to elicit the opinions of experts on (1) actions the Congress might consider to address climate change and what is known about the potential benefits, costs, and uncertainties of these actions and (2) the key strengths and limitations of policies or actions to address climate change. GAO worked with the National Academy of Sciences to identify a panel of noted economists with expertise in analyzing the economic impacts of climate change policies and gathered their opinions through iterative, Web-based questionnaires. The findings reported here represent the views of the 18 economists who responded to both questionnaires.

Series Data Climate change  
URL [www.gao.gov/new.items/d08605.pdf](http://www.gao.gov/new.items/d08605.pdf) (1.9mb)

Title Summary of covert tests and security assessments for the Senate Committee on Finance, 2003-2007  
Corporate Author Congress. Senate. Committee on Finance  
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Abstract From January 2003 to September 2007, GAO testified before the Committee on three occasions to describe security vulnerabilities that terrorists could exploit to enter the country. GAO's first two testimonies focused on covert testing at ports of entry--the air, sea, and land locations where international travelers can legally enter the United States. In its third testimony, GAO focused on limited security assessments of unmanned and unmonitored border areas between land ports of entry. GAO was asked to summarize the results

of covert testing and assessment work for these three testimonies. This report discusses the results of testing at land, sea, and air ports of entry; however, the majority of GAO's work was focused on land ports of entry. The unmanned and unmonitored border areas GAO assessed were defined as locations where the government does not maintain a manned presence 24 hours per day or where there was no apparent monitoring equipment in place. GAO assessed a nonrepresentative selection of these locations and did not attempt to evaluate all potential U.S. border security vulnerabilities. Further, GAO's work was limited in scope and cannot be projected to represent systemic weaknesses. In response to this report, DHS provided a written update on numerous border protection efforts it has taken to enhance border security since 2003. GAO did not attempt to verify the information provided by DHS, but has included the response in this report.

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Abstract

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is responsible for ensuring the safety of roughly 80 percent of the U.S. food supply, including \$417 billion worth of domestic food and \$49 billion in imported food annually.

Changing demographics and consumption patterns along with an increase in imports have presented challenges to FDA. At the same time, recent outbreaks, such as E. coli from spinach and Salmonella from tomatoes, have undermined consumer confidence in the safety of the food supply. In November 2007, FDA released its Food Protection Plan, which articulates a framework for improving food safety oversight. In January 2008, GAO expressed concerns about FDA's capacity to implement the Food Protection Plan and noted that more specific

information about the strategies and resources needed to implement the plan would facilitate congressional oversight. This testimony focuses on (1) FDA's progress in implementing the Food Protection Plan, (2) FDA's proposal to focus inspections based on risk, and (3) FDA's implementation of previously issued GAO recommendations intended to improve food safety oversight. To address these issues, GAO reviewed FDA documents, such as FDA's operations plan, and FDA data related to the plan. GAO also interviewed FDA officials regarding the progress made. GAO also analyzed FDA data on domestic and foreign food firm inspections. GAO also analyzed the status of past recommendations.

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Abstract	This document is an update of "Planning for Disaster Debris" published by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) in 1995. This document is designed for local communities (including cities, counties, tribes, etc.) who are encouraged to create disaster debris management plans. Information is included on: (1) Recommended components of a disaster debris management plan; (2) Management options for various debris streams that might be found after a natural disaster; (3) A collection of case studies that highlights how several communities prepared for and managed debris generated by recent natural disasters; and (4) Federal, state, and local resources to consult in planning for natural disasters. This document discusses the management of debris from natural disasters, such as hurricanes, earthquakes, tornadoes, volcanoes, floods, wildfires, and winter storms. It does not discuss the management of debris from deliberate or planned incidents of national significance. This document does not, however, provide all the information a planner will need to write a debris management plan. To do so, communities will need input from neighboring communities, state officials, local contractors, and a variety of local agencies. In general, only federal regulations are discussed in this document, where applicable. State and local governments may have more stringent regulatory requirements. State and local officials should be consulted to ensure compliance with those regulations. The information in this document is subject to change as federal regulations and recommendations change as new information becomes available.
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Abstract Oil leaks from aboveground tanks have contaminated soil and water, threatening human health and wildlife. To prevent damage from oil spills, the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) issued the Spill Prevention, Control, and Countermeasure (SPCC) rule in 1973. EPA's 10 regions inspect oil storage facilities to ensure compliance with the rule. EPA estimates that about 571,000 facilities are subject to this rule. Some states also regulate oil storage tanks. GAO determined (1) how EPA regions implement the SPCC program, (2) the data EPA has to implement and evaluate the program, and (3) whether some states' tank programs suggest ways for EPA to improve its program. GAO surveyed all 10 EPA regions and interviewed officials in EPA and six states selected on the basis of experts' recommendations, among other criteria.

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Title HHS needs to develop a plan that incorporates lessons from the responder health programs  
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Abstract Following the World Trade Center (WTC) attack, the Congress appropriated more than \$8 billion to the Department of Homeland Security's (DHS) Federal Emergency Management Agency for response and recovery activities. The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) received some of this funding to establish health screening and monitoring programs for responders to the disaster and later received additional appropriations to fund treatment. In total, about \$369.2 million has been appropriated or awarded for the WTC health programs. GAO previously reported on problems that these programs have had in ensuring the availability of services for all responders. GAO was asked to examine lessons from the WTC health programs that could guide future programs. GAO examined (1) lessons from the programs'

experience and (2) HHS actions or plans that incorporate the lessons. GAO interviewed WTC health program officials and other experts and reviewed DHS and HHS documents.

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establishing America's strategies to prepare, prevent,  
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United States  
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Author/Affil. Kershaw, Alex  
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Author/Affil. Greene, Paul  
Author/Affil. Kane, Dianne  
Author/Affil. Christ, Grace  
Author/Affil. Lynch, Sallie  
Author/Affil. Corrigan, Malachy  
Publisher Hoboken, NJ : John Wiley & Sons, Inc.  
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Corporate Author German Advisory Council on Global Change  
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Corporate Author Congress. Senate. Committee on Commerce, Science, and  
Transportation. Subcommittee on Surface Transportation  
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 Abstract U.S. Customs and Border Protection (CBP), within the  
 Department of Homeland Security (DHS), is responsible  
 for preventing weapons of mass destruction from entering  
 the United States in cargo containers that are shipped  
 from more than 700 foreign seaports. The Security and  
 Accountability for Every (SAFE) Port Act calls for  
 testing the feasibility of scanning 100 percent of  
 U.S.-bound cargo containers, and the Implementing  
 Recommendations of the 9/11 Commission Act (9/11 Act)  
 requires scanning 100 percent of U.S.-bound cargo  
 containers by 2012. To fulfill these requirements, CBP  
 created the Secure Freight Initiative (SFI) and has  
 initiated a pilot program at seven seaports. This  
 testimony discusses challenges related to the SFI pilot  
 program and implementation of the requirement to scan  
 100 percent of U.S.-bound container cargo. This  
 testimony is based on GAO products issued from July 2003  
 through April 2008 and ongoing work. To conduct this  
 work, GAO reviewed reports from CBP and international  
 partners on SFI and other container security programs,  
 and interviewed CBP and foreign customs officials.  
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Since 2001, Congress has provided the Department of Defense (DOD) with hundreds of billions of dollars in supplemental and annual appropriations for military operations in support of the Global War on Terrorism (GWOT). DOD's reported annual obligations for GWOT have shown a steady increase from about \$0.2 billion in fiscal year 2001 to about \$139.8 billion in fiscal year 2007. To continue GWOT operations, the President requested \$189.3 billion in appropriations for DOD in fiscal year 2008. As of May 2008, Congress has provided DOD with about \$86.8 billion of this request, including \$16.8 billion for Mine Resistant Ambush Protected vehicles. Congress has not finalized action on the remaining \$102.5 billion. In addition, the President also requested about \$66 billion in appropriations for DOD in fiscal year 2009 for GWOT, which was submitted along with DOD's annual budget request. The United States' commitments to GWOT will likely involve the continued investment of significant resources, requiring decision makers to consider difficult trade-offs as the nation faces an increasing long-range fiscal challenge. The magnitude of future costs will depend on several direct and indirect cost variables and, in some cases, decisions that have not yet been made. DOD's future costs will likely be affected by the pace and duration of operations, the types of facilities needed to support troops overseas, redeployment plans, and the amount of equipment to be repaired or replaced. DOD compiles and reports monthly and cumulative incremental obligations incurred to support GWOT in a monthly Supplemental and Cost of War Execution Report. DOD leadership uses this report, along with other information, to advise Congress on the costs of the war and to formulate future GWOT budget requests. DOD reports these obligations by appropriation, contingency operation, and military service or defense agency. The monthly cost reports are typically compiled within the 45 days after the end of the reporting month in which the obligations are incurred. DOD has prepared monthly reports on the obligations incurred for its involvement in GWOT since fiscal year 2001. Section 1221 of the National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2006 requires us to submit quarterly updates to Congress on the costs of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation Enduring Freedom based on DOD's monthly Supplemental and Cost of War Execution Reports. This report, which responds to this requirement, contains our analysis of DOD's reported obligations for military operations in support of GWOT through March 2008. Specifically, we assessed (1) DOD's cumulative appropriations and reported obligations for military operations in support of GWOT and (2) DOD's fiscal year 2008 reported obligations through March 2008, the latest data available for GWOT by military service and appropriation account.

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