



Biography of Darryl Culley

Darryl Culley, President of Emergency Management & Training Inc. has 28 years of emergency service and emergency management experience starting his career as a paramedic and working into senior management with the Emergency Health Services Branch of the MOHLTC. Darryl and his team of 30 contract professionals provide consulting and training services across Canada for federal, provincial, municipal and First Nation governments / agencies as well as public and private corporations, health care facilities, colleges / universities and many others. Darryl also has provided contract management of EMS operations over the past 6 years.

DARRYL'S PRESENTATIONS ARE ON APRIL 5th & 6th AT THE CENTRE IN DRYDEN

Emergency Management for Long Term Care and Retirement Facilities

This presentation is geared for emergency planners and responders and is a comparison based on two actual fire events in Ontario. One incident where everyone was successfully evacuated "without even one ankle injury" even though fire totally destroyed the facility. The second incident resulted in 4 deaths at the scene and two subsequent deaths from injuries as well as others who were severely injured. What were the differences?

Also discussed in this session is the difference between a licensed long-term care facility and unregulated retirement facilities.

Emergency planning, training and collaborative approaches are discussed.

Debriefing an Emergency Control Group

This session focuses on the importance and steps of debriefing an Emergency Control Group following an activation.

On August 22, 2009 twenty tornados roared across Ontario. The Municipality of West Grey was struck particularly hard. A tornado killed a young child at a summer camp, injured several community members, destroyed numerous businesses and homes and had an impact on virtually everyone in the community. Following the incident Darryl was called upon to lead a debriefing of the municipal Emergency Control Group and key agencies identifying successes while building recommendations for improvements in the future.

Darryl has been working with municipal emergency control groups for many years and will reinforce the importance of an ECG debriefing, walking through key steps in conducting a debriefing when multiple government, emergency service, support agency and volunteer organizations are involved in a community crisis.