



Accredited Africa Training Institute for Capacity Development

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COURSE BROCHURE

Disaster Management

Custom Courses / Information Technology (IT) and Digital Skills

Unit Standard AATICD-0301 · NQF Level 5 · 10 Credits · 5 Days

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course equips learners with the knowledge and skills to effectively manage disasters and emergencies in the workplace and community. It covers the principles of disaster management, risk assessment, and the development of response and recovery plans, enabling learners to contribute to a safer environment.

Category	Custom Courses
Subfield	Information Technology (IT) and Digital Skills
Unit Standard	AATICD-0301
Accreditation	SAQA Accredited · NQF Level 5 · 10 Credits
Duration	5 days
Training Method	Online, On-Campus, In-House
Certificate	Issued via AATICD LMS – verifiable online

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Apply the principles of disaster management to identify and assess potential risks in various contexts.
- Analyze the phases of disaster management and their application in real-world scenarios.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of disaster preparedness and response plans.
- Design a basic disaster management plan for a specific context.
- Implement appropriate response and recovery procedures during and after a disaster.
- Demonstrate an understanding of the legal and regulatory framework for disaster management in South Africa.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- This course is designed for individuals responsible for health and safety in the workplace, including safety officers, emergency response team members, and managers who need to understand disaster management principles.

COURSE OUTLINE

Day 1: Foundations of Disaster Management

- Definitions: hazard, vulnerability, risk, disaster, and emergency.
- Types of disasters: natural, technological, and biological.
- The disaster management cycle: mitigation, preparedness, response, recovery.
- South African Disaster Management Act (Act 57 of 2002) and National Disaster Management Framework.
- Roles of national, provincial, and municipal structures.
- Community-based disaster management principles.

Day 2: Risk Assessment and Vulnerability Analysis

- Risk assessment process: hazard identification, risk analysis, and evaluation.
- Hazard mapping and vulnerability assessment tools.
- Community participation in risk assessment.
- Risk matrix and prioritization techniques.
- Case studies of risk assessments in South African municipalities.
- Data collection and analysis for risk assessment.

Day 3: Disaster Preparedness and Planning

- Components of a disaster preparedness plan.
- Early warning systems: types, communication, and community engagement.
- Evacuation planning and procedures.
- Emergency operations centres and incident command systems.
- Resource management and stockpiling.
- Training and exercises for preparedness.

Day 4: Disaster Response and Recovery

- Response phases: search and rescue, emergency medical care, and relief.
- Incident management and coordination.
- Roles of various response agencies (SAPS, SANDF, NGOs, etc.).
- Damage assessment and needs analysis.
- Recovery planning: restoration of services, livelihoods, and infrastructure.
- Psychological first aid and community support.

Day 5: Monitoring, Evaluation, and Continuous Improvement

- Monitoring and evaluation frameworks for disaster management.
- After-action reviews and lessons learned.
- Reporting and documentation.
- Community resilience and disaster risk reduction strategies.
- Mainstreaming disaster management into local government planning.
- Emerging trends and technology in disaster management.

ASSESSMENT & CERTIFICATION

Delegates are assessed through exercises and a final test. A mark of **50% or above** earns an **AATICD Certificate of Completion**, issued digitally with a unique verification code. This course carries **10 NQF credits** at **NQF Level 5**.

PRICING (PER DELEGATE, EX-VAT)

Delegates	Training Method	Price per Delegate	Total
1	Online	R 17,700.00	R 17,700.00
1	In-House	R 23,100.00	R 23,100.00
1	On-Campus (Pretoria)	R 26,700.00	R 26,700.00

UPCOMING SESSIONS

Start	End	Method	Venue
24 Aug 2026	28 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe
24 Aug 2026	28 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Bangkok, Thailand
31 Aug 2026	04 Sep 2026	On-Campus	Lusaka, Zambia
31 Aug 2026	04 Sep 2026	On-Campus	London, UK
07 Sep 2026	11 Sep 2026	On-Campus	Mauritius
07 Sep 2026	11 Sep 2026	On-Campus	Pretoria, South Africa
07 Sep 2026	11 Sep 2026	On-Campus	Abu Dhabi, UAE
07 Sep 2026	11 Sep 2026	On-Campus	Harare, Zimbabwe

Contact us if no suitable date is listed – on-demand sessions can be arranged for groups.

HOW TO GET A QUOTE OR APPLY

- 1. Get an instant quotation online:** visit www.aaticd.co.za, open the page for this course (Unit Standard AATICD-0301) and click **Get A Quote / Apply**. Select your training method and number of delegates – your quotation is generated immediately and emailed to you with the course brochure attached.
- 2. Apply by email:** send the course title, your preferred training method (Online, In-House or On-Campus Pretoria), the number of delegates and your preferred dates to apply@aaticd.co.za – our team will reply with a formal quotation.
- 3. Apply by phone or WhatsApp:** call +27 12 004 8389 or WhatsApp +27 65 077 6310 and we will prepare your quotation and reserve your seats.
- 4. Confirm your booking:** accept the quotation and settle the invoice. As soon as payment is confirmed your delegates are enrolled and receive their AATICD LMS login details by email, along with joining instructions for their chosen training method.

Group discounts apply automatically – the more delegates you enrol, the lower the price per delegate. No payment is required to request a quotation.

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