



The CERT Sheet

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2026 CERT Advanced Trainings

First Training to Take Place February 28th.

The Southern Nevada CERT Program has scheduled advanced trainings for 2026 to help graduates of the Southern Nevada CERT program brush up on the skills they learned in the course.

Like in previous years, those who complete the Advanced Trainings will have first opportunity to register for the annual Southern Nevada CERT Exercise, which will take place Saturday, November 7th, 2026.

Register for the first three trainings below:

[Staging and Communication – February 28, 2026](#)

[Damage Assessment, Search & Rescue, Cribbing – April 25, 2026](#)

[Triage/Stop the Bleed – June 13, 2026](#)

Welcome Tamara and Dan!

The Southern Nevada CERT Program added two new instructors in January: Tamara Henderson and Dan Shinn.

Tamara has more than 14 years of experience as a paramedic and Emergency Medical Services/Basic Life Support instructor with Community Ambulance and HCA Healthcare. Dan has worked as an EMS Director and instructor for HCA Healthcare, as well as an Operations Manager for AMR/MedicWest. Please welcome Tamara and Dan to the team!



Mesquite CERT Comings and Goings

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Mesquite CERT volunteers helped set up and serve food for the Mesquite Fire Department's annual breakfast in October.



The team also provided safety and first aid at local events such as Trunk or Treat and Silver State Pickleball tournaments.



Finally, Mesquite CERT put up 1,000 American flags in honor of Veterans Day in November.



3V in the Community

CERT 3V program has been busy teaching the public about emergency preparedness.



In October, CERT 3V volunteers delivered their preparedness presentation to attendees at Diskin Elementary School.



The CERT 3V program also provided preparedness information at Las Vegas Fire & Rescue's annual pancake breakfast in October.



CERT 3V volunteers assisted with the Road Equity Alliance Project to promote pedestrian safety.



CERT 3V volunteers also had an information table set up at Sun City Summerlin, where a lucky individual won a raffle prize filled with preparedness tools and resources.



Finally, CERT 3V members spoke about preparedness at Richard Bryan Elementary School.

Learn more about the CERT 3V program at www.nvcert.org.

CERT is administered by the City of Las Vegas in coordination with the City of Henderson, the City of North Las Vegas, Boulder City, the City of Mesquite, and Clark County.

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