Homeland Security Certificate Program

• 5 course program
  – MGMT2050 Intro to HS
  – LEGL 2600 Legal Aspects of HS
  – ITEC 1300 Survey of Info Security
  – MGMT2506 Org Behavior
  – MGMT 2750 HS Assessment
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Current class

• 11 students in MGMT 2050.
• First classroom instruction for program.
• Class participation
  – Tests, papers and classroom discussion.
• Classes are also available online
Certificate Goals

- Provide expertise in homeland security training
- Develop and deliver course content based on current programs and practices
- Provide qualified workforce to regional employers
- Educate the local community
Why a Community College?

- Mandate to train the workforce
- Credentials
- Partner with agencies (DHS)
- Locally focused and accountable
- Proven high quality/cost effective
- Accessible, responsive, accredited
- Degree oriented
- Solid Outreach
- Customized Instruction and Programs

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Online Course Programs

Available online:
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Classroom/lab/practicum:
MGMT 2750 HS Assessment –

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Topics in the Certificate Content

• History of Emergency Management and Homeland Security
• Community Emergency Response Capabilities
• Weapons of Mass Destruction
• Risk and Vulnerability Assessment – skills and abilities
• Bomb Threat Management
• Cyber security
• Mass Casualty Awareness
• Business Continuity Training (Private Sector)
• Continuity of operations (COOP)
• National Response Plan
• Conferences, Seminars
Associations

• Workforce Development
• Networking with industry
• Office of Emergency Preparedness
• Community Colleges
• State Office of HS/EM
• DHS
• Consulting firms
• HSDEC
Future

- Expand Online Program
- Broaden student pool
- Center of Excellence for HS education
- Regional Training for the State
- National Guard Training
- Emergency Management Training
- Increase program awareness in other departments
- Seek additional grant funding
- Continue to build relationships (Technology)
- Seek additional training opportunities
- Expand Marketing efforts
- Instructor credentials and certification
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