

## Fact Sheet

# EmergoTrain Exercise Programme 2016

The Emergo-Train System was developed in the mid 1980's by the Centre for Research and Education in Disaster Medicine (KMC) at the University of Linköping, Sweden. It has been internationally accepted in Sweden, UK, Netherlands, Germany, Japan and by the World Health Organisation. The system is an educational tool for training and testing preparedness for major accidents and disasters, using the principle of 'learning by doing'. It involves magnetic symbols representing patients, staff and resources, movable markers indicating priority and treatment, and a large patient bank with various injuries. A protocol has been developed to identify time taken for various clinical interventions and likely outcome. Real time management of the incident is a major focus of the system.

### Who should attend

The Exercise is designed for:

- > CEOs/Silver Commanders
- > Nursing Directors/Bronze Commanders
- > All clinical staff including visiting Medical Officers
- > Hospital non-clinical support staff
- > Community Health staff
- > SA Ambulance Staff
- > Other Emergency Services staff
- > Residential Aged Care Facility staff



### 2016 Exercise Locations and Dates

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| > Pt Pirie (Yorke and Northern)         | 18th August 2016   |
| > Pt Lincoln (Eyre and Far North)       | 26th August 2016   |
| > Pt Augusta (Flinders and Upper North) | 7th September 2016 |
| > Mt Gambier (South East)               | 11th October 2016  |
| > Lyell McEwin (NALHN)                  | 21st October 2016  |
| > Murray Bridge (Riverland)             | 11th November 2016 |

## For more information

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