

Texas Department of State Health Services
Public Health Region 2/3
Radiation Preparedness and Response
Workshop

Date: March 19, 2026

Time: 8:30AM-4:00PM

Location: Ruthe Jackson Center
311 S. Carrier Parkway
Grand Prairie, TX 75052

AGENDA

- **Welcome/ Introductions**
Al Gonzales, DSHS PHR 2/3 PHEPR Section
- **Module 1-Radiation Overview**
Forest Weston/ Rae Walker, DSHS Radiation Section
- **Module 2- Texas Radiation Control Program**
Rick Croy, DSHS Radiation Section Deputy Director
- **Module 3- State ESF-8 Resources**
 - Sgt Mark Freeman, 6th WMD Civil Support Team (TXANG) Operations NCOIC
 - Chris Patterson, TX EMTF RRU Radiation Response Unit (RRU)/ STRAC
 - Sgt. Brad Gibson and Cpl. Casey Jones, Texas DPS, Radiation/Nuclear Detection Unit
- **Module 4- Federal Resources**
Rae Walker, DSHS Radiation Section/ George Brozowski, EPA
- **Module 5- Community Planning**
Clint Taylor, DSHS Radiation Section
- **Module 6- Putting a Plan Together/Discussion**
Al Gonzales, DSHS PHR 2/3 PHEPR Section
- **Closing**



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