

# University of Missouri-Kansas City Emergency Operations Plan

## Executive Summary

The University of Missouri-Kansas City Emergency Operations Plan (UMKC EOP) is an integrated response and management plan based on the National Incident Management System (NIMS). The EOP addresses administrative procedures necessary for optimum and coordinated response to campus emergencies. The UMKC EOP outlines roles, responsibilities and the working relationships between campus departments and external agencies throughout the four phases of emergency management: 1) mitigation, 2) preparation, 3) response and 4) recovery.

A significant strength in the EOP is that each emergency support function annex of the plan was developed by the key UMKC personnel who will play a major role in a UMKC-specific event.

The UMKC EOP is reviewed, comprehensively, on an annual basis each March. Ongoing tabletop mock crisis exercises for individual units and all-inclusive, campus-wide mock crisis exercises serve to 1) support ongoing training and preparation and 2) identify areas for improvements and/or enhancements. Changes to the plan will be made, as necessary, throughout the year.

In addition to the Basic Plan section, which provides an overview of UMKC's approach to emergency management, the EOP includes the following emergency support function annexes:

1. Communications
2. Environmental Health and Safety
3. Public Works and Utilities
4. Fire
5. Mass Care and Sheltering
6. Finance and Resource Management
7. Health, Mental Health and Medical Services
8. Technology Systems
9. Law Enforcement, Safety and Security
10. Damage Assessment and Recovery
11. Evacuation and Transportation
12. Pandemic Influenza