

Certified Disaster Recovery Engineer

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Course Title: Certified Disaster Recovery Engineer

Duration: 4 days

Class Format Options:

Instructor-led classroom
Live Online Training

Prerequisites:

- A minimum of 1 year of Information Systems or IS Management

Student Materials:

- Student Workbook

Certification Exams:

- Mile2 C)DRE – Certified Disaster Recovery Engineer

CPEs: 32 Hours

WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- IS Security Officers
- IS Managers
- Risk Managers
- DR & BCP engineers
- Information Systems Owners
- IS Control Assessors

COURSE OVERVIEW

When a business is hit by a natural disaster, cyber crime or any other disruptive tragedy, how should the organization react? What if the network infrastructure is taken down? Will the business be able to continue operations? How much will it cost if the business is down during repairs?

The answer is found in the vendor neutral **Certified Disaster Recovery Engineer** certification course. Disaster recovery and business continuity planning is the process of having a professional work with a business to prepare processes, policies and procedures to follow in the event of a disruption. The goal is to keep a business' critical operations running, which today relies heavily on its IT infrastructure.

The comprehensive **Certified Disaster Recovery Engineer** course goes beyond traditional BCP training - preparing students for industry certification in Business Continuity planning, and presenting the latest methodologies and best practices for real-world systems recovery. Students will receive a solid foundation of instruction that will enable them to create meaningful business continuity plans.

This course offers up-to-date information that has been developed by leading risk management professionals.

DR & BCP Career



All combos include:

- Online Video
- Electronic Book (Workbook/Lab guide*)
- *in all technical classes only
- Exam Prep Questions
- Exam



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The **Certified Disaster Recovery Engineer** is accredited by the NSA's CNSSI-4016 National Information Assurance Training Standards for Risk Analysis



is **ACCREDITED** by the **NSA CNSS 4011-4016**
 Is **MAPPED** to NIST/Homeland Security NICCS's Cyber Security Workforce Framework
 is **APPROVED** on the **FBI Cyber Security Certification Requirement list (Tier 1-3)**

UPON COMPLETION

Upon completion, **Certified Disaster Recovery Engineer** students will be able to establish industry acceptable DR & BCP standards with current best practices and policies. Students will also be prepared to competently take the C)DRE exam.

EXAM INFORMATION

The **Certified Disaster Recovery Engineer** exam is taken online through Mile2's Assessment and Certification System ("MACS"), which is accessible on your mile2.com account. The exam will take 2 hours and consist of 100 multiple choice questions. The cost is \$400 USD and must be purchased from Mile2.com.



COURSE CONTENT

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| I. Welcome to Disaster Recovery Training | VI. Implementation Phase |
| II. Business Impact Analysis | VII. Testing and Exercise |
| III. Risk Analysis | VIII. Maintenance and Updating |
| IV. Design & Development Phase (BCP Strategies) | IX. Pandemics |
| V. IT Recovery Strategies | X. Case Studies and Templates |

DETAILED MODULE DESCRIPTION

Module1-WelcometoDisasterRecoveryTraining

mile2 Brochure	Disaster Recovery Planning (DRP)
CDRE Agenda	Emergency Response
CDRE Agenda	BC/DR Trends
The CDRE Exam	Purpose of BC/DR Program
Introduction to	Challenges to Effective BCP
Business Continuity Planning	BCP Planning Phases
What is a Disaster?	BCP Planning Phases
What is a Critical	Where does Project Initiation
Business Function?	fit into the Process?
Business	Project Initiation Phase
Continuity Planning (BCP)	BC/DR Program Life Cycle
Importance of BCP	Summary
Importance of BCP	

Module2–BusinessImpactAnalysis

BCP Planning Model	BIA – Getting Started
BCP Planning Phases	BIA Tools
Where does BIA	Kick off Meeting
fit into the Process?	Preparing for
What is a BIA?	the BIA Interviews
BIA Scope, Goal, and Objectives	Conducting the Interviews
BIA Terminology	BIA
Maximum Tolerable Downtime	Notes on Data Collection
Recovery Time Objective	Identify Dependencies
Recovery Time Examples	Finalize Data Analysis
Recovery Point Objective	BIA Report
BIA Process- Disaster Mode Staffing	Presentation to
BIA Process - Capacity & Performance	Senior Management
Objectives	Summary

Module 3-RiskAnalysis

BCP Planning Model	Business Process Documentation
BCP Planning Phases	Statement of Risk
Where does the Risk Analysis	ALE Annualized Loss Expectancy
fit into the Process?	Statement of Risk
Functional Requirements	Risk Control Definition
Threats to Business Process	Identifying Existing Controls
Causes of Unplanned Downtime *	Physical Controls
Risk Examples	Risk Analysis
Risk Analysis Terminology	Risk Analysis
Risk Analysis Terminology	Risk Assessment Report
Risk Analysis Activities	Compiling a Risk Assessment Report
Exposure Inventory	Risk Analysis Summary
Business Process Inventory	

Module 4-Design & Development Phase (BCP Strategies)

BCP Planning Model
BCP Planning Phases
Where does BCP Strategies fit into the Process?
Strategy Process
BCP Strategies
Summary
BCP Planning Phases
Where does BIA fit into the Process?
Design & Development Phase
BCP Design
Emergency Response & Operations
Emergency Response Components

Develop ER Procedures
ER Sources for Assistance
BCP Design
BCP Design
Alternate Recovery Site
Selecting Vendors for DR/BC Services
Site Recovery & Resumption
Restoration of Primary Site
Return to Primary Site
Continuity Strategy - Insurance
Evaluate Insurance Terms
Summary

Module 5-IT Recovery Strategies

BCP Planning Model
BCP Planning Phases
Where does IT Strategy fit into the Process?
IT Recovery Strategy Process
IT Recovery Strategies
Examples of IT Recovery
Tape Backups
Tape Vault Facilities
Disk Backups
DIY Disk Backups
Backup Appliance
Data Archiving
Systems Replication
SAN Replication
Virtual Server Replication
Application Redundancy
Voice & Networking Strategies
Alternate Recovery Sites

Alternate Recovery Sites
Internal or Vendor
BC/DR Services
Selecting Vendors for BC/DR Services
Evaluating Vendors of DR/BC Resources
Critical Factors
IT Recovery
Strategies Assessment
IT Recovery Strategies
Summary
BCP Planning Phases
Where does IT Strategy fit into the Process?
DR Plan Development
DR Plan Design
Summary

Module 6-Implementation Phase

BCP Planning Model
BCP Planning Phases
Where does Implementation fit into the Process?
Implementation of BCP
Responsibility for BCP Implementation
Determine Cost Estimates
Management Approval and Funding

Install & Configure
Detailed Documentation
Implement Operational Changes
Procure Facilities & Services
BCP Planning Phases
Where does Awareness & Training fit into the Process?
Awareness & Training
Summary

Module 7-Testing and Exercise

BCP Planning Model
BCP Planning Phases

Where does Testing and Drills fit into the Process?
Testing & Exercise Phase

Testing & Drills
Progression of Testing Types
Testing Participants

Test Script Example
Testing Post-Mortem
Summary

Module8-Maintenanceand Updating

BCP Planning Model
BCP Planning Phases
Where does Maintenance
fit into the Process?
Maintenance
Policies and Procedures
Plan Maintenance

Maintenance & Schedule Budgets
Software Tools for Maintenance
Input Criteria
for Plan Maintenance
Plan Distribution & Security
Summary

Module 9-Pandemics

What is a Pandemic?
Pandemic Frequency
Quick Facts
Effects on Business
Who Should Plan for
Pandemic Influenza?
Develop a Disaster Plan
Develop a Disaster Plan

Planning Checklist
Communications
HR Travel Policies
Physical Resources
Contamination
Pandemics – Work from Home
Pandemics

Module10–CaseStudiesand Templates

Hospital Case Study
Pharmacy Case Study
BIA Worksheet
Inventory Worksheet
BCP Master Document