



# Arkansas Department of Emergency Management Earthquake Program

In conjunction with NEA Baptist Hospital



## FEMA P767: Earthquake Mitigation for Hospitals

### COURSE DESCRIPTION:

Students are introduced to earthquake hazards in the healthcare settings and learn about methods that can be used to analyze and reduce the risks of damage in hospitals and other medical buildings. Such facilities have unique nonstructural components, including equipment and infrastructure systems that can become sources of injury or damage, even during smaller earthquakes. By implementing sound, cost effective mitigation measures, healthcare facilities can reduce seismic risks and ensure that, in the event of an earthquake, they can remain in operation to serve their communities.

### TARGET AUDIENCE:

Hospital facilities managers, engineers, administrators, and other hospital & long term care personnel.

### COURSE INFORMATION:

**Time:** 8:00 am – 4:30 pm CST

**Date:** Thursday, March 12, 2015

**Instructor:** Mike Griffin, P.E.

**Location:** NEA Baptist Hospital  
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Jonesboro, AR 72401

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**Materials:** Materials will be provided to attendees

**Registration:** Students are encouraged to register through Arkansas Department of Emergency Management's website:  
<http://www.adem.arkansas.gov/ADEM/Divisions/Preparedness/Training/trainingschedule.aspx>

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