**Module 1 - Background**

**EMERGENCY PLANNING AND METHODOLOGY: AN INTRODUCTION**

**Required Reading**

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