



2020 Local Emergency Planning Committee LEPC Survey Results

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Demographics

- **43 known LEPCs across the state.**
- **25 LEPCs completed the survey.**
- **58% survey completion rate.**
- **Each LEPC has a Coordinator.**
- **LEPCs are supported by four regional planning Managers, Program Supervisor, Program Assistant, and the SERC.**

● Predominantly or entirely rural	10
● Mixed rural/suburban	12
● Predominantly suburban	0
● Mixed suburban/urban	3
● Predominantly or entirely urban	0





Key Finding

- **More than 60% of responses, indicate that the LEPC Chairperson is elected by the LEPC.**
- **72% of 25 responses indicate that their Hazmat plan has been reviewed or updated in the last two years via the SERC.**
- **40% of the LEPC responses reflect having Quarterly meetings.**
- **60% of the 25 responses indicate their LEPC would help coordinate a response to an emergency at a chemical facility.**



Key Findings Continued

- **44% of responses function as an all-hazards LEPC.**
- **48% of respondents have not had an opportunity to exercise their plan in the last year.**
- **76% of the respondents indicated they need assistance with submitting plans via the SERC**
- **Over a quarter of our respondents need training that support the functionality of the LEPC, such legal requirements, how to gain volunteers, how to stay active in the community, etc.**