

**WORKSHOP SESSION SUMMARY**  
**POST-CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS**  
**2018 National Trainers' Exchange**

**1. Session Title and Presenter's Contact Information:**

Workshop title: Conducting Monthly Drills for Emergency Responders

Presenter (s) Name: Scott Tobey

Presenter Organization: Midwest Consortium, ERS International

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**2. Workshop Summary:**

*ERSI has developed a space-learning initiative for emergency response refresher training. This initiative instituted monthly drills throughout the year to strengthen and frequently refresh necessary skills that were previously covered only once a year. Instructions and video drill templates were developed for use at Ford plants by Emergency Response Team members.*

**3. Methods:**

*Facilitated discussion that addressed problems in implementing monthly drills, as well as solutions for overcoming obstacles.*

**4. Main Points/ Key Points Raised from Participants:**

- a. Types of drills offered
- b. Implementation Barriers
- c. Problem Solving (One Stop Shopping; Easy Access; Direct Assistance in Implementation; Tools for Facilitated vs. Self-Guided Drills)

**5. References:**

[www.ersintl.org](http://www.ersintl.org) (Programs. Monthly Drills)

**6. Workshop Handouts/ Resources:**

*No handouts; Power Point presentation attached*