

# OEMC TRAVEL TRIP REPORT

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## TRAVELER INFORMATION

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Section / Bureau: Operations

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Signed copy of travel request form  Copy of ITTF Approval

## TRIP INFORMATION

Event Attended: Incident Respond To Terrorist Bombings

Start Date: Oct 17,2017 End Date: Oct 20, 2017

How did this event help you enhance your knowledge, skills, and abilities for your current position.

This event will help me identify more clearly situation/conditions that can affect the daily lives of the citizen of Chicago. The training received gave me the skills and knowledge to apply "R.A.I.N" to a suspicious package incident. I will be able to Recognize, Avoid, Isolate and Notify the proper departments to mitigate the situation. These abilities enhance my current position as we interact with the public in different situations in our daily runs with the CFD companies.

How did this event benefit the Urban Area?

Some of the benefits of these trainings are to be able to identify possible sites/targets in urban areas. Chicago is one of the largest cities in the United States and has the attractions of groups that don't like our way of living or our political views. An attack on the city's iconic landmark will send a message of victory to those groups and defeat to our way of life. The training helps me assist the head of department in the preplanning for such events and the safe guard of our urban areas.