



National Exercise Schedule (NEXS)



OVERVIEW

The National Exercise Schedule (NEXS) is a compilation of all national-level, Federal, State, local, territory, and tribal exercises. The NEXS serves as a management tool and reference document for exercise planning. It provides information on exercises including date, location, scenario, scope, and participants. The new NEXS web-based application is the Nation's comprehensive tool that facilitates scheduling, de-confliction, and synchronization of all exercises in a centralized location.

PURPOSE

The purpose of the NEXS is to provide visibility of upcoming exercises to leadership, exercise planners, and exercise schedulers. The web-based application allows users to schedule exercises online, in addition to de-conflicting and synchronizing with exercises that are similar in date and location, scope, scenario, or participants. Exercise synchronization, the coordination and possible linking or combining of exercises, facilitates better allocation of resources and limits potential exercise fatigue.

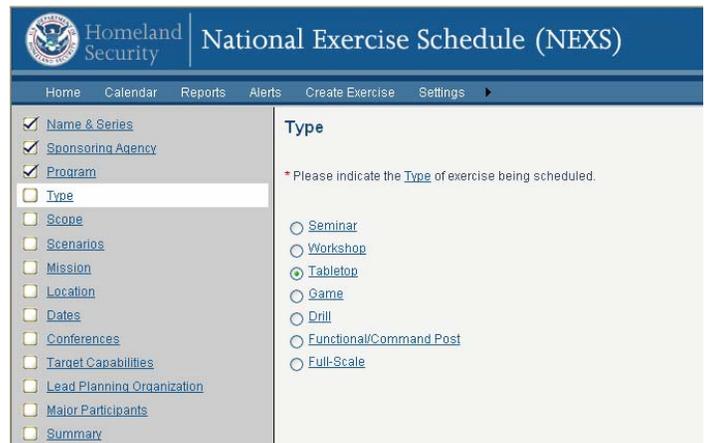
WHAT EXERCISES SHOULD BE PLACED ON THE NEXS?

All national-level, Federal, State, local, territory, and tribal exercises. Each department or agency's projected exercise forecast should be reflected in the NEXS. Any exercise involving multiple jurisdictions or disciplines should be posted to the NEXS so that other departments and agencies can de-conflict or synchronize their exercises and planning meetings.

HOW CAN I OBTAIN ACCESS TO THE NEXS?

Access is available through the Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program (HSEEP) website at <https://hseep.dhs.gov>.

To obtain NEXS *viewing* access, contact support@hseep.net. NEXS *scheduling* access is limited to State, territory, and Federal Exercise Administrative Authorities (EAAs) or their designated exercise schedulers. If you feel you should have access to the NEXS for the purpose of scheduling exercises, please send a request to NEXS@dhs.gov.



Resources:

HSEEP Website
<http://hseep.dhs.gov>

DHS Website
<http://www.dhs.gov>

Questions?
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