

# EMS LEADERSHIP ACADEMY 2010

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## Instructor Bios

### **Robert Delagi, MA, NREMT-P** Chief of Pre-Hospital Medical Operations and Program Agency Director, Suffolk County Department of Health Services Division of Emergency Medical Services

Bob Delagi is a nationally registered Paramedic, who holds a Master's Degree in Health Business and Policy Management and has faculty appointments as an Assistant Professor at Suffolk County Community College and SUNY Empire State College. Chief Delagi has 31 years of fire/rescue/EMS experience and has developed leadership and management, hazardous materials, domestic preparedness, confined space and environmental worker safety programs for both the fire and rescue services and general industry. He is the 2nd Vice Chair of the New York State EMS Council and an appointed member of the NY State Emergency Medical Advisory Committee. He also serves on various NY State and regional committees with respect to the development of EMS curricula, policies, protocols and procedures and comprehensive quality improvement programs. Bob is a member of the Suffolk County Terrorism Response Task Force and the Health Department's Bioterrorism Response Preparedness Committee. He is an Associate Member of the Pre-Hospital Care Research Forum and has conducted several research projects, published articles on a variety of emergency response issues and lectured at several National and International conferences.

### **Richard Beebe, MS.Ed, BSRN, NREMT-P**

Richard Beebe is EMS Educator, Author and National Speaker. Mr. Beebe started his EMS career in Moyers Corners, a volunteer fire department in upstate New York, in 1974, and still works today as a paramedic for Guilderland Police Department's Paramedic Unit. He received his Masters of Science in Education from the State University of NY at Albany, a Bachelors of Science in Nursing and Psychology from Russell Sage College and a Bachelors of Science in Criminal Justice from Rochester Institute of Technology. Mr. Beebe has received over a dozen New York State and national certifications as a provider, instructor or trainer.

### **Karl Klug, BS, CIC, EMT-CC** Deputy Chief of Pre-Hospital Medical Operations, Suffolk County Department of Health, Division of EMS

Karl W. Klug is the Deputy Chief of Pre-Hospital Medical Operations for the Suffolk County Department of Health's Division of Emergency Medical Services. With nearly 36 years as a volunteer firefighter and 34 years as an Emergency Medical Technician – Critical Care, Karl is an Ex-Chief of both the Patchogue Fire Department and the Patchogue Ambulance Company. In 1990, Karl was appointed as the first Deputy Fire Coordinator in Suffolk County, specializing in Mass Casualty Incident Management.

He is a New York State DOH Certified Instructor Coordinator and is an Adjunct Professor at Suffolk County Community College. He has developed emergency training programs for commercial, industrial and fire-EMS agencies and routinely lectures at local and State conferences. Karl holds a Bachelors Degree of Science in Health Administration with a minor in Community Health and is currently pursuing a Masters Degree in Public Administration with a concentration in Emergency Management.

### **Joyce Mulleedy, MS, RN, EMT, CIC-RF** Educational Services Coordinator AAREMS

Joyce Mulleedy became an EMT in 1972 and has served as a volunteer EMT and Paramedic with the Speculator Volunteer Ambulance Corps since that time. She has held many offices for the Corps and is currently its Safety Officer. As such, she is responsible for all of their health and safety programs. Joyce has been involved in EMS education since 1974 and is a CIC and Regional Faculty. She is currently Educational Services Coordinator for the Adirondack-Appalachian Regional EMS Program. In 2004, she was named NY Senate Woman of Distinction for her work in EMS education. Joyce holds a Bachelor of Science degree in Nursing and a Masters of Science degree in Emergency and Disaster Management. In addition to EMS, she has extensive experience in public health.