

## **What Do These Courses Cost?**

They are offered on a donation basis

**Our first course is FREE.** You pay nothing for this first course. Just request it and we will send you our Basic Introductory course. You will be surprised at how much you learn from this course. Read the information below on how to request your FREE course.

**How do I request the FREE course?** Send your email request to our program coordinator, Robby Jernigan, requesting our FREE course. His email address is: [robbyj@ipa.net](mailto:robbyj@ipa.net) Please include in your email: your name, city & state, along with a short paragraph explaining your background, current ministry involvement, and why you want to become a chaplain. Soon after receiving your request, we will send you, free of charge, our Basic Introductory course as an attachment to an email. After completing this course, we are in hopes that you will continue your training with us. We trust that at that point you will be willing to make a personal investment in your future training.

**What topics will be covered in the first course?** The materials in this course include: Introduction to Emergency Services (Fire Service, Law Enforcement, Emergency Medical Services and Emergency Dispatching), Introduction to Emergency Services Chaplaincy, How to Get Started, Death Notification, Overview of Critical Incident Stress Management, Psychological First Aid, Ministry to a Suicidal Subject, and more. The course will take the average student approximately 4 – 5 hours to complete.

**AFTER the free course, what does it cost to continue my training?** See explanation below on the next page.

**AFTER The FREE Course,  
What Does It Cost To Continue My Chaplain Training**

**Application Fee of \$ 20 (Refunded If Not Approved)** - - We require a \$20 application fee before applications are processed. If you live in the USA, you may send us a cashier's check, money order, or personal check by snail mail. OR, you may donate online or via PayPal. (For international applicants, only online debit or credit card donations or donations via PayPal are accepted.) The application fee is required. This will help to compensate us for the work we do in processing applications, reading salvation testimonies, getting references, etc. This application fee will be collected up-front and will be refunded to any student who is not approved for further study. For more details, click on the homepage tab "I Want To Take An Online Course."

**Required Additional Donation After Application is Approved** - - When your application is processed and you are approved as a student, we require an additional donation to access our Basic and Intermediate courses. We need students to make a financial investment in the training they are receiving. Please be generous. The donation is NOT per course; it is for access to ALL of our Basic and Intermediate level courses, along with our NIMS courses. There are six basic courses, eight intermediate courses and four NIMS courses. Our NIMS "courses" simply point the student to the FREE online FEMA courses. See "List of Courses and Descriptions."

**Required Minimum Donation for our Basic, Intermediate and NIMS courses is \$75**

The value of each course is probably worth more than that. With a total of over 60 hours of training available to you, you are getting quite a bargain. Again, we do not want the cost to be prohibitive so we continue to keep it as low as possible. Once you see the quality of the training and the service we provide, and have benefited from your free course, we trust you will make a generous donation to help us keep this training available for those coming after you. Please pray and give as the Lord directs.

**Additional Required Donation for our Advanced courses is \$70**

We plan to make available nine advanced level chaplain training courses in our online chaplain training program. These courses will introduce the student to a higher level of chaplaincy skills. They are in-depth courses which include as abundance of resources and references, along with practical application for chaplaincy ministry.

**Are there any other funding options?** Yes. Most of our funding comes from continuing monthly missions support. If your church were to formally make a monthly missions pledge in support of our ministry, the pastor or anyone he/she designates (and we approve) can take our basic and intermediate courses without any additional donation. The minimum church pledge is \$ 20 per month. Continuing monthly giving would be a blessing to us for years to come. Access to our basic and intermediate courses will be given upon receipt of the church pledge and first month's offering.

**How can my church make a missions pledge?** It is quite easy. Have your pastor or church secretary send an email to [robbyj@ipa.net](mailto:robbyj@ipa.net) Have them indicate in the email that the church is making a monthly missions pledge to Chaplain Robby Jernigan. Include in the email the name of the church, the address (city, state, and zip), phone number and the amount of their monthly pledge. It is as simple as that. We will communicate that information to the Assemblies of God Division of U.S. Missions, and it will be processed and receipted monthly. Your church will receive a Faith Promise Certificate with our picture and the monthly giving amount for display

**As an individual, how do I make the donation?** There are a variety of ways your donation can be sent. 1) You may make your debit or credit card donation through the Assemblies of God U.S. Missions Department in Springfield, MO (we can send you specific instructions on how to do that), 2) You can mail us a bank cashier's check, 3) You can mail us a money order (Western Union, etc.), and 4) You can mail a personal check. [Make donation out to: Chaplain Robby Jernigan, P O Box 701, Marshfield, MO 65706] OR 5) You can send your donation through PayPal to [robbyj@ipa.net](mailto:robbyj@ipa.net)  
**Options 2, 3, and 4 are not available to international applicants.**

**Internet Fraud and Scams - -** We understand that the Internet is a place where fraud and scams take place. All we can do is assure you that we are people of personal and financial integrity. If you have any questions, you can contact the Assemblies of God National Chaplaincy Department at 417-862-2781.