

U.S. Environmental Protection Agency CERCLA Education Center Best Practices for Site Characterization throughout the Remediation Process March 14 through 16, 2023



Schedule of Events

The Best Practices for Site Characterization throughout the Remediation Process training will be held Tuesday, March 14 through Thursday, March 16, 2023, at the EPA Region 2 office, Conference Room 27A in New York, NY. The training begins each day at 8:30 a.m. Eastern time and ends on Thursday at 3:00 p.m. Eastern time. Please plan your flights accordingly.

The EPA Region 2 building is located at: 290 Broadway New York, NY 10007 (212) 600-8900 https://www.epa.gov/aboutepa/epa-region-2



Please note: The training will be held at the EPA Region 2 building in New York, New York; a sleeping room block has been established at the Residence Inn New York Downtown Manhattan/World Trade Center Area in New York, NY.

There are several parking lots near the EPA Region 2 building, all at varying rates.

Residence Inn New York Downtown Manhattan/World Trade Center Area

170 Broadway at Maiden Lane New York, NY 10007 Phone: (212) 693-2001

For additional information about the Residence Inn New York Downtown Manhattan/World Trade Center Area, please visit <u>https://www.marriott.com/en-us/hotels/nycrl</u>.

Sleeping Room Reservations

A block of rooms has been reserved at the Residence Inn New York Downtown Manhattan/World Trade Center Area. The lodging rate is \$209 per night plus sales tax. Reservations need to be made before Friday, February 10, 2023, to receive the rate.

The rate includes complimentary wireless internet in guest rooms and a free full American and hot breakfast bar.

To make your sleeping room reservation please visit <u>https://www.marriott.com/event-reservations/reservation-link.mi?id=1671203308021&key=GRP&app=resvlink</u>.

You are responsible for cancelling your hotel reservation if you cannot attend. **The hotel requires a notice of cancellation 48 hours prior to your scheduled arrival.** If you fail to provide notice, one night's lodging and tax will be charged to your credit card.

Hotel check-in begins after 4:00 p.m. and check-out time is at 12:00 p.m.

What to Pack for the New York Area

Average temperatures in March range from 32°F at night to 50°F during the day. Please be advised that the temperatures in the training room do not reflect temperatures outside. Be sure to pack a jacket or sweater to wear while you attend the training

Dining

The hotel includes a free full American and hot breakfast bar. Restaurant options are available within walking distance.

Health, Fitness and Recreation

The hotel is equipped with a 24-hour fitness center.

Travel Information

The New York area is served by Newark Liberty International Airport (EWR), LaGuardia Airport (LGA) and John F. Kennedy International Airport (JFK). For additional information on each airport, please visit:

- EWR: <u>https://www.newarkairport.com/</u>
- LGA: <u>https://laguardiaairport.com/</u>
- JFK: <u>https://www.jfkairport.com/</u>

New York, NY, is located in the Eastern Time Zone.

Ground Transportation

The New York City Subway provides access to downtown Manhattan from LGA (via connecting bus) and JFK (via Airtrain JFK). Additional information about the New York City Subway is available at <u>https://new.mta.info/</u>. The hotel is located near the Cortlandt St and Fulton St Stops, approximately 1 minute walking.

Taxi fare from EWR to Manhattan is metered and range from \$50 to \$65, not including tolls, peak-time, surcharges or gratuity.

Taxi fare from LGA to Manhattan is metered and range from \$34 to \$44, not including tolls, peak-time, surcharges or gratuity.

Taxis at JFK Airport charge a flat fare of \$70 for trips between the airport and Manhattan, not including tolls or gratuity.

According to the hotel website, off-site overnight self-parking is currently available at the Icon Parking lot at 80 Gold Street, approximately 0.4 miles from the hotel. The current rate is \$50 for a car and \$60 for an SUV per night with no in and out privileges.

Walking Directions to EPA Region 2 from Residence Inn New York Downtown Manhattan

Approximately 0.4 miles, 10 minutes:

- On Broadway, head northeast towards Cortlandt Street.
- Follow Broadway for 0.4 miles. The Ted Weiss Federal Building will be located on your right.

Residence Inn New York Downtown Manhattan

