

# Pre-review research - National Operational Guidance: Major incidents

**Purpose of research**

As part of the National Operational Guidance maintenance process, we want to make sure that our guidance meets your needs. Before we begin our scheduled review, we would like your opinion of the currently published Major incidents guidance.

We would also be interested to hear your views about its structure, and whether it needs to be a separate piece of guidance, as some of the content could readily be relocated to other places in the National Operational Guidance framework.

The main aim of this research is to ensure the revised guidance is as current and complete as possible, so please let us know if there are any errors or omissions that need to be addressed.

Please provide sufficient detail in your comments for us to determine what content they relate to, along with the line number of the PDF document. You may find that some of the hyperlinks do not work, especially if they point to other pieces of National Operational Guidance that have recently been updated, or to the JESIP content, as their Joint Doctrine was updated last year.

The survey will be open for four weeks, and will close at midday on 27 June 2022. This survey platform will allow you to 'Save and continue' completion of your responses. If you use this option, you will be sent an email with a link to enable you to rejoin the survey.

If you have any questions or experience any difficulties in completing the survey, please email PMO@nationalfirechiefs.org.uk

**Your details**

### **1. Please provide your contact details: \***

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### **2. What do you consider to be your main job function: \***

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|    | Operational policy |
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|    | Other emergency service |
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### **3. Are you responding as: \***

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|    | A representative of your organisation |
|    | A representative of a regional group |
|    | A representative of a functional group |
|    | An individual |
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**The current Major incidents guidance**

The questions in this survey relate to the published Major incidents guidance. For the purposes of this survey, please use the PDF version provided on the consultation webpage.

### **4. How would you rate the quality of the Major incidents guidance? \***

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|    | High quality |
|    | Neutral |
|    | Low quality |

### **5. Please provide any comments about its quality (optional)**

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**Errors or omissions**

We are aware that some of the supporting information, such as the JESIP Joint Doctrine, have been updated since the publication of the Major incidents guidance. Any links to this, or extracts from this, will be addressed as part of the review.

### **6. Are there any errors or omissions in the Major incidents guidance? \***

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|    | Yes |
|    | No |

### **7. Please provide details of any errors or omissions, starting each comment with the line number from the PDF.**

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### **8. If appropriate, please provide details of any sources of information that would inform us about the errors or omissions.**

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**Structure and potential relocation of content**

### **9. Please rank the following approach options for the revised Major incidents guidance.**

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| Retain as a standalone piece of guidance in its current format   |

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| Retain as a standalone piece of guidance, but remove content that appears elsewhere in National Operational Guidance or JESIP   |

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| Relocate content to other pieces of National Operational Guidance, such as Incident command, Operations and Search, rescue and casualty care   |

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### **10. Please provide any other suggestions about the approach that could be used for the Major incidents guidance?**

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**Additional topics**

### **11. Are there any additional topics that you think should be included in the Major incidents guidance? \***

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|    | Yes |
|    | No |

### **12. Please provide details of any additional topics for consideration.**

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### **13. If appropriate, please provide details of any sources of information that would inform us about the additional topics suggested.**

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