

**Multi-Agency Radiological Laboratory Analytical Protocols (MARLAP):
New Practical Training on MARLAP Part I**
Boston, Massachusetts ~ April 8 - 10, 2008



The [Multi-Agency Radiological Laboratory Analytical Protocols \(MARLAP\): New Practical Training on MARLAP Part I](#) class is being held at the U.S. EPA - Region 1 offices located at:

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Boston, MA 02114-2023
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EPA Region 1 is a secure facility. All EPA visitors will have to register at the first floor lobby. When visitors arrive they will be asked

to sign in and present their Government issued IDs. Visitors who do not have an EPA identification card must be preregistered, and the guards' desk will have your name on an approved entry list. Identification badges will be prepared for all visitors. All visitors will be screened by security. A map of the EPA Region 1 area can be found on the next page.

**** Please be sure to bring a pocket calculator with you to the class! ****



Class times are from 8 AM to 4:45 PM on Tues., 8:15 AM to 4:45 PM on Wed. and 8 AM to 4:15 PM on Thurs. A draft agenda can be viewed here: http://www.trainex.org/moreinfo/class_attach/3378/info_flyer_web-ready.pdf. A class information flyer listing a brief description, course contact for more information, and a list of the instructors with short bios can be viewed here: http://www.trainex.org/moreinfo/class_attach/3378/agenda_web-ready.pdf

Driving directions and parking information for the EPA Region 1 offices can be found here: <http://www.epa.gov/region1/directions/index.html>

For those persons needing lodging while visiting the Boston area, there are a number of options to choose from within walking distance. Please visit this link for a list of some area hotels and their distance from the EPA Region 1 offices (links to some other area hotels can be found on the next page): http://www.trainex.org/moreinfo/class_attach/3378/boston_hotels.pdf



Boston's Logan International Airport is approximately 2.5 miles (15-20 minutes) from the area around the EPA Region 1 offices. The airport offers the services of the following rental car companies: Alamo, Avis, Budget, Dollar, Enterprise, Hertz, National and Thrifty rental car. Taxis are located outside the terminal and run from \$20 to \$25 depending on traffic.

If you choose to use Mass Transit for transportation from the airport to an area hotel, it will cost you \$1.60. Just buy a Charlie Card and load it with any amount (but at least \$1.60). Take the free Massport Bus (either 22, 33, or 55) from the terminal to the subway airport station (Blue Line). Take the Blue Line Inbound (\$1.60 if you buy the Charlie Card). Disembark at the following stop



depending upon the hotel (we advise confirming all directions with the hotel where you plan to stay):

[Omni Parker House](#) or [Nine Zero](#): Government Center Station, facing the curved building with your back toward City Hall, walk to the left on Cambridge St. (turns into Tremont)

[Holiday Inn](#): Government Center Station, facing the curved building with your back toward City Hall, walk to the right on Cambridge St.

[Bullfinch Hotel](#): or [Onyx Hotel](#): transfer at State St. station from Blue Line to Orange Line. Take the Orange Line to North Station

For more information on bus and subway schedules and fares, go to the Massachusetts Bay Transportation Authority website: <http://www.mbta.com/>.



The average temperature in Boston during April is 56 degrees. Temperatures range from the low 40s to the mid 50s. If you wish to check for an up-to-date, five-day weather forecast before leaving for the meeting, click on:

<http://weather.yahoo.com/forecast/USMA0046.html>. Bringing a coat is advisable.

EPA Region 1 and surrounding area

