# Videos - EDXL Suite of Standards

The Emergency Management Adoption Technical Committee (TC) – Collateral and Documents Subcommittee (SC) is considering development of a series of videos to enhance awareness of the EDXL suite of standards. Currently, one video is available on EDXL-Common Alerting Protocol (CAP)[[1]](#footnote-1). Additional videos will cover how the EDXL suite of standards work together and then focus on individual EDXL standards (DE, HAVE, and RM). As new specifications are published they will be considered by the Subcommittee for future video development.

## Approach

The following approach is recommended for the development of an introductory video on the EDXL suite of standards.

* **Identify Format and Length:** Determine if the subcommittee prefers a screen-only approach, a person with slides in a backdrop similar to current CAP video, or another approach. Recommend targeting ten minutes or less in length for this initial video.
* **Determine Primary Target Audience:** There are both Technical and non-Technical consumers of outreach materials. The video audience will need to be identified or portions targeted to various users. The overall purpose of these videos is to help facilitate education of organizations and individuals interested in learning about the Emergency Data Exchange Language (EDXL) Suite of Standards, how the standards work together, and how to go about implementing them.
* **Verify Process with Adoption TC/OASIS Staff and outline Schedule:** Determine how videos are processed with OASIS staff including review processes, naming conventions, etc. Determine any critical events that could leverage a video.
* **Prepare a Transcript:** A written transcript and accompanying set of slides/demonstrations will be developed and reviewed with the SC and Emergency Management Adoption TC as required. The initial materials for the transcript will be derived from current documentation on the EDXL suite of standards, EDXL-101 Webinars, and other public presentations. The transcript can be developed in Microsoft Word in parallel with researching available tools for the actual video production.
* **Identify/Acquire Tools:** Tools such as Camtasia and Jing should be researched further. Review the instructions Eliot provided from producing the CAP video. Consider if screen captions should be included.
* **Record Video:** The actual recording of the video(s) will be performed by one or more members of the Subcommittee. This may include captures from the OASIS website, documentation, a live demonstration showing cross-system data sharing, message samples, and/or other visuals.
* **Review Period:** Incorporate comments and produce updated video.
* **Publish Video:** Coordinate release and announcement of video (YouTube, LinkedIn, OASIS website, others)
* **Document Video Production Process.** Prepare a brief document for future reference summarizing the approach, any lessons learned, etc.

## References – Video and Webinar Library

**Title: Introduction to CAP**

Standard(s) presented: CAP

Location: Youtube

Link: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n0iKp60jjtY>

Summary: Describes how CAP serves as the base standard for all-media public warning. – By Eliot Christian

**Title: EDXL 101 Webinar**

Standard(s) presented: EDXL Overview, CAP, and EDXL-DE

Location: OASIS Website

Link: <http://www.oasis-emergency.org/edxl-101-webinar-files>

Date: 15 July 2010

Summary: Provides an overview of EDXL and explains how implementation can enhance interoperability and information sharing capabilities in the emergency management and response domains. The presentation highlights the Common Alerting Protocol (CAP) and the Distribution Element (DE) and includes specific implementation examples.

**Title: EDXL 101 Webinar**

Standard(s) presented: EDXL Overview, EDXL-HAVE and EDXL-RM

Location: OASIS Website

Link: <http://www.oasis-open.org/events/webinars/2010-10-21-edxl-rm-edxl-have-standards-review.wmv>

Date: October 21, 2010

**Title: OASIS EDXL Technical Best Practices Webinar**

Location: OASIS Website

Link: <http://www.oasis-open.org/events/webinars/2011-04-14-edxl-technical-best-practices.wmv>

Date: 14 April 2011

1. <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=n0iKp60jjtY> [↑](#footnote-ref-1)