

Washington FSDO FAAS Team presents:

# **The Hidden Hazards of Small Aircraft Crashes to First Responders**

On average, there are several small airplane accidents every day – and not just around airports.

Over the last twenty years, small airplanes have changed tremendously and include features that could injure or kill a firefighter/EMT providing rescue.

The hazards contained in small airplane crashes are not obvious, even to ARFF trained personnel.

These hazards can include:

Rocket powered ballistic parachutes,

Airbags contained within the seat belts,

Design materials (composites, titanium, etc.) and systems (oxygen, fuel, electrical systems, deicing etc.) unique in aircraft design

May be carrying medical samples, organs, toxic chemicals, weapons

Unique egress systems

And many more!

During this in-person seminar, first responders will be provided situational awareness information on the hazards discussed above. Following the presentation, we will have several aircraft on static display with pilots available to provide hands-on familiarization.

## Event Details

**Sat, May 21, 2022 - 13:00 EST**

**Chantilly Air Jet Center**

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**Directions:** This seminar will be held at the Chantilly Jet Center in their hangar and on their ramp. Registrants will be sent a strip map with directions and volunteers will be on hand to escort attendees to the appropriate area.

This event is being advertised directly to local First Responders. No SPANS emails will be sent. WINGS credit will be provided to any first responder that holds an FAA pilot certificate.

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