

**Spatial Metadata and Clearinghouse Training
NYC Agency Metadata User Working Group (MUWG)
“Clearinghouse” Workshop
Provided by the
Center for International Earth Science Information Network (CIESIN)
&
New York City (NYC) Department of Health and Mental Hygiene
(DOHMH)**

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12:00 am – 2:00 pm
125 Worth Street – Room 315 (3rd Floor)
New York, New York**

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Agenda

- ❖ **FGDC Metadata Status** – Michael Funaro of the Environmental Data Exchange Network (EDEN) and Chris Goranson will report on the status of FGDC metadata activity in DOHMH; other NYC agency FGDC activity
- ❖ **FGDC Metadata** – *Creating/utilizing metadata templates in ArcCatalog*; Problems in metadata creation and maintenance; FGDC training sessions within agencies to sustain momentum for creation and maintenance
- ❖ **Data Holdings to Share** – Status of existing datasets WITH metadata for sharing; Set-up agreement for distributing data on agency website, DOITT website, CIESIN website; bottlenecks/problems in setting-up data access (online, offline); existing datasets *not-available* for sharing, but could be pursued based on needs/scenarios; datasets on-the-horizon for sharing.
- ❖ **NYC Agency Data/Metadata Status** – DOT presentation on data/metadata activities
- ❖ **NYC Emergency Management Meeting July 2006** – report from agency(s)
- ❖ **Closing Remarks** - Next steps