

Aware Prepare Update



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July 2026

Welcome to the **July 2026** issue of the Aware Prepare (AP) Update. The AP is your monthly guide to upcoming trainings and select resources related to preparedness, readiness, and response. Training is available in a variety of formats, including live webcasts, webinars and in-person training as well as on-demand and self-directed *eLearning* available through the NYS Department of Health's (NYSDOH's) Learning Management System (LMS; www.NYlearnsPH.com). Check back each month to find new events and previously live content available on demand.

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ICYMI: Select NYS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH PRESS RELEASES

June 18, 2026

- [Governor Hochul Announces \\$74 Million to Make Local Water Infrastructure Projects Affordable Across New York State](#)

June 17, 2026

- [New York State Department of Health Urges New Yorkers To Prevent Exposure to Rabies During Summer Months](#)

June 12, 2026

- [New York State Department of Health Calls on New Yorkers to Donate Blood Amid Statewide Blood Emergency](#)

June 10, 2026

- [Governor Hochul Makes \\$425 Million in Grants Available to Affordably Modernize Local Water and Sewer Systems](#)

June 9, 2026

- [Governor Hochul Urges New Yorkers to Prepare for Multiple Days of Extreme Heat](#)

June 4, 2026

- [New York State Department of Health Announces Screening of More Than One Million Medicaid Members by New York Social Care Network Program](#)

June 3, 2026

- [New York State Announces Affordability Investments to Help Keep New Yorkers Cool During Extreme Heat](#)
- [New York State Department of Health, Environmental Facilities Corporation and Village of Attica Announce Start of \\$19 Million Water Treatment Plant Improvement Project](#)
- [New York State Department of Health Announces Proposed Reporting Requirements for Physicians Taking Action Under Medical Aid in Dying](#)

June 1, 2026

- [State Health Commissioner Dr. James McDonald Announces Return of Two New Yorkers From the National Quarantine Unit in Nebraska](#)
- [New York State Department of Health to Celebrate Pride Month in June at Events Across New York State](#)
- [Media Advisory - New York State Advisory Council on Drinking Water Quality To Meet June 15](#)

May 29, 2026

- [DEP Marks Centennial of NYC's Catskill Water Supply with Completion of \\$568 Million Upgrade to Historic Gilboa Dam](#)
- [Update from Health Commissioner Dr. James McDonald on New York Residents Returning from the MV Hondius Cruise Ship](#)

For a full listing of all NYSDOH Press Releases from 2026, visit: health.ny.gov/press/releases/2026/. Visit <https://www.governor.ny.gov/news> for a full list of press releases and statements from Governor Hochul.

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NYS TRAINING SPOTLIGHT:

NEW! On Demand Soon Professional Development for the Public Health Workforce Series-
Part 3: Pivoting Your Career, Leveraging Public Health Skills Across Sectors

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Recorded June 16, 2026

Enroll in LMS to be notified when On Demand: [Reg2PHTC-20260616](#)

NEW! On Demand Soon Professional Development for the Public Health Workforce Series-
Part 2: Navigating Change in the Public Health Field, Strategies for Resiliency

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Recorded May 21, 2026

Enroll in LMS to be notified when On Demand: [Reg2PHTC-20260521](#)

On Demand Professional Development for the Public Health Workforce Series- Part 1: Job
Search Strategies for Today's Market

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Recorded April 21, 2026

Enroll in LMS to be notified when On Demand: [Reg2PHTC-20260421](#)

NEW! On Demand Soon Log-in2Learn: Grant Writing Basics & Strategic Funding Research for
Public Health Sustainability

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Recorded June 2, 2026

Enroll in LMS to be notified when On Demand: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202606](#)

On Demand Login2-Learn: Toward a Parent Supportive Workplace: Maternal Health, Balance,
& Structural Change

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Tuesday, April 7, 2026, 12-1pm

Enroll in LMS: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202604](#)

OnDemand Public Health Live: Clarity in a Confusing Time: Where to Go for Immunization
Guidance

Sponsored by UAlbany College of Integrated Health Sciences Center for Public Health Continuing
Education (CPHCE)

Wednesday, March 19, 2026, 12-1pm

Enroll in LMS: [UACIHS-PHL202603](#)

OnDemand March Login2-Learn: The Foundations and Future of U.S Public Health Law

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Tuesday, March 3, 2026, 12-1pm

Enroll in LMS: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202603](#)

New and Upcoming Live Events Note: *Some items are marked with **NEW!** generally indicating that the promotion is new to this edition of the Aware Prepare Update. Titles of events are hyperlinked, click to learn more and register.

July 2026

NEW! OEM Instructor Certification

Sponsored by DHSES

Wednesday, July 1, 2026- Thursday, July 31, 2026

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Developing Executive Leaders in Public Health (DELPH) Applications Now Open

Sponsored by ASTHO

Open House: July 7

Application Deadline: Friday, July 31st

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Building Capacity for Communicating Impact Learning Community

Sponsored by ASTHO

Application Deadline: July 2

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Pain, Bias, and Underdiagnosis: Beyond the Textbook Patient

Sponsored by NYS Vital Signs Academy

Monday, July 6, 11 AM- 12:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Psychological Preparedness for Responders

Sponsored by CDP

Tuesday, July 7, 1:00 PM- 2:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Flooding Hazards: Science & Preparedness (AWR-362)

Sponsored by NDPTC

Wednesday, July 7- Thursday, July 8, 2:00 PM- 6:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Prepared Together: Using Agreements and Partnerships to Strengthen Emergency Laboratory Capacity

Sponsored by ASTHO

Tuesday, July 7, 4pm-5pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Implicit Bias in EMS

Sponsored by NYS Vital Signs Academy

Tuesday, July 7, 6:00 PM- 7:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (I-300)

Sponsored by DHSES

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Wednesday, July 7- Thursday, July 23, 6:00 PM- 10:00 PM

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NEW! Active Shooter/Assailant: Behavioral Indicators and How to Respond

Sponsored by CDP

Thursday, July 8, 11:00 AM- 12:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! HANYS Sepsis program: Before the Door: What We Teach EMS About Sepsis and Why it Matters to Your System

Sponsored by HANYS

Wednesday, July 8, 2026, 12:00pm-1:30pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Sepsis in Dialysis: Recognition, Risk, and Response

Sponsored by ASTHO

Thursday, July 9, 2026, 1pm-2pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Mass Violence Toolkit: Preplanning, Response and Recovery

Sponsored by CDP

Thursday, July 9, 2026, 3:00 PM- 4:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Blunt and Penetrating Eye Trauma - The Do's and Don'ts

Sponsored by NYS Vital Signs EMS Academy

July 9, 2026, 6:30pm - 7:30pm

[Register Here](#)

Community Planning for Disaster Recovery

Sponsored by NDPTC

Monday, July 13, 2026, 8:30am-4:30pm

[Register Here](#)

Recruit. Retain. Repeat

Sponsored by NYS Vital Signs Academy

Monday, July 13, 2026, 10:30 AM- 11:30 AM

Password: BEMSVSA2026! OR 23678722

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Prehospital Mass Casualty Incident Operations

Sponsored by CDP

Monday, July 13, 2026, 12:00 PM- 1:30 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! MGT-330: Support That Saves: How to Build and Sustain Peer Support

Sponsored by NYSDHSES

Tuesday, July 14, 2026-Thursday, July 16, 2026, 8:00am-5:00pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Critical Incident Stress Debriefing (CISD): We Need It More Than We Know

Sponsored by CDP

Tuesday, July 14, 2026, 10:00 AM- 11:00 AM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! HHS/ASPR Project ECHO Clinical Readiness Rounds: Are We Prepared Enough? Regulations, Benchmarks, and Metrics

Sponsored by iECHO, HHS, ASPR

Tuesday, July 14, 2026, 12:00pm-1:15pm

[Register Here](#)

Workplace Violence Prevention: Another State's Perspective - Session 3 (UMass)

Sponsored by HANYS

Tuesday, July 14, 2026, 1:00 PM- 2:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Hospital Incident Command System

Sponsored by CDP

Tuesday, July 14, 2026, 1:00 PM- 3:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

Diabetic Emergencies and Glucometry Protocol Review

Sponsored by NYS Vital Signs Academy

Tuesday, July 14, 2026, 6:00 PM- 7:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

Community Resilience

Sponsored by NDPTC

Monday, July 15- Tuesday, July 16, 2026, 2:00 PM- 6:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Region 2 RESPTC Project ECHO VCoP Session: NSPS Onboarding - Selecting PPE and Waste Management

Sponsored by Region 2 RESPTC

Tuesday, July 16, 2026, 12:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! NSPS Onboarding - Selecting PPE and Waste Management

Sponsored by NSPS Region 2 RESPTC

Tuesday, July 16, 2026, 12:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! How To NOT Be Replaced by Tech and AI: EMS Educators

Sponsored by NYS Vital Signs EMS Academy

Tuesday, July 16, 2026, 6:30 PM- 7:30 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Disability Awareness

Sponsored by NYS Vital Signs EMS Academy

Monday, July 20, 2026, 12:00 PM- 1:00 PM

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NEW! The Effective Use of Social and Traditional Media During Emergencies (AWR-933-V8)

Sponsored by CDP

Monday, July 20, 2026, 12:00 PM- 1:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Zeroing in on Alzheimer's, Brain Health, and Caregiving in At-Risk Populations

Sponsored by UT Health San Antonio

Tuesday, July 21, 2026, 11:00 AM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Rescue Task Force During an Emergency Response to an Active Assailant Event (AWR-933-V17)

Sponsored by CDP

Tuesday, July 21, 2026, 11:00 AM- 12:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Protecting Healthcare Workers: Addressing the Impact of interpersonal Violence

Sponsored by HANYS

Tuesday, July 21, 2026, 12:00 PM- 1:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Hospital Preparedness & Resilience and From Fellow to Director

Sponsored by ACEP, UMass

Tuesday, July 21, 2026, 1:00 PM- 3:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Introducing SPEAR: The SHIELD Initiative's New, Easy Way to Share Your Preparedness Tools

Sponsored by SHIELD Initiative

Tuesday, July 21, 2026, 3:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Intermediate ICS for Expanding Incidents (I-300)

Sponsored by DHSES

Sunday, July 21- Tuesday, July 23, 2026, 6:00 PM- 10:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

Integrating Access & Functional Needs into Emergency Management

Sponsored by DHSES

Wednesday, July 22, 2026-Thursday, July 23, 2026, 8:00am-5:00pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Region 2 RESPTC Project ECHO VCoP: Wildfire Awareness and Preparation

Sponsored by RESPTC

Thursday, July 23, 2026, 12:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

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NEW! Command Post Operations

Sponsored by CDP

Thursday, July 23, 2026, 2:00 PM- 3:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

Trauma Nursing Core Course (TNCC)

Date: July 25-26, 2026

Location: Rochester Regional Health System, 1425 Portland Ave, Rochester NY 14621

Register HERE: [TNCC Registration Form](#)

Registration Deadline: 7/1/2026

ENA Course Director: Sue Chalupa Breese sbreese@rochester.rr.com 585-737-6359

NEW! L-105: Public Information Basics

Sponsored by NYSDHSES

Tuesday, July 28, 2026-Thursday, July 30, 2026, 8:00am-5:00pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Crisis Standards of Care and Treatment Decision Making

Sponsored by CDC

Tuesday, July 28, 2026, 10:00 AM- 11:30 AM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Mass Casualty Incident Response

Sponsored by CDP

Tuesday, July 28, 2026, 1:00 PM- 2:30 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Leading Change Workshop

Sponsored by ASTHO

July 28-29 | **Registration Deadline:** June 30

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Community Planning for Disaster Recovery (MGT-331)

Sponsored by NDPTC

Tuesday, July 28- Wednesday, July 29, 2026, 2:00 PM- 6:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Social Media Tools and Techniques

Sponsored by NDPTC

Wednesday, July 29- Thursday, July 30, 2026, 1:00 PM- 5:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Stop the Bleed

Sponsored by NYS Vital Signs Academy

Wednesday, July 29, 2026, 11:00 AM- 12:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Healthcare Facility Patient Evacuation Planning and Preparedness

Sponsored by CDP

Wednesday, July 29, 2026, 11:00 AM- 1:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

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NEW! Community Point of Distribution Operations

Sponsored by CDP

Wednesday, July 29, 2026, 2:00 PM- 3:15 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Hospital Planning for Mass Casualty Incident Surges: Natural Disasters

Sponsored by CDP

Thursday, July 30, 2026, 2:00 PM- 3:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! When Hormones Go Off the Rails (Endocrine Emergencies)

Sponsored by NYS Vital Signs Academy

Thursday, July 30, 2026, 6:00 PM- 7:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Developing Executive Leaders in Public Health (DELPH) Applications Now Open

Sponsored by ASTHO

Open House: July 7, 2026

Submission Deadline: July 31, 2026

[Register Here](#)

August 2026- December 2026

NEW! Active Shooter/Assailant: Behavioral Indicators and How to Respond

Sponsored by CDP

Tuesday, August 4, 2026, 2:00 PM- 6:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Planning for Disaster Debris Management (MGT-460)

Sponsored by NDPTC

Tuesday, August 4- Wednesday, August 5, 2026, 2:00 PM- 6:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Tactical Decontamination for Law Enforcement (AWR-933-V20)

Sponsored by CDP

Wednesday, August 5, 2026, 10:00 AM- 11:00 AM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Contact Tracing for Transmissible Infectious Disease

Sponsored by CDP

Thursday, August 6, 2026, 12:00 PM- 1:30 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Decontamination

Sponsored by DHSES

Thursday, August 6, 2026, 6:00 PM- 10:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Critical Incident Stress Debriefing (CISD): We Need It More Than We Know - Center for Domestic Preparedness

Sponsored by CDP

Thursday, August 10, 2026, 11:00 AM- 12:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Casualty Simulation Workshop

Sponsored by DHSES

Tuesday, August 11, 2026, 9:00am - 4:00pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! HHS/ASPR Project ECHO Clinical Readiness Rounds Clinical Preparedness for Complete Power Outages in Health Care Settings

Sponsored by iECHO, HHS, ASPR

Tuesday, August 11, 2026, 12:00pm-1:15pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Autism Awareness For Emergency Services (AWR-933-V19)

Sponsored by CDP

Tuesday, August 11, 2026, 2:00 PM- 3:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Special Needs Population Considerations During Emergency Response

Sponsored by CDP

Wednesday, August 12, 2026, 1:00 PM- 2:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Healthcare Facility Mass Fatality Management

Sponsored by CDP

Thursday, August 13, 2026, 12:00 PM- 1:15 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Implementing Individual Assistance

Sponsored by DHSES

Thursday, August 13, 2026, 1:00pm-2:00pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Bellevue Project ECHO VCoP Session: All Hazard - Hurricane and Tsunami Preparedness

Sponsored by Region 2 RESPTC

Thursday, August 13, 2026, 1:00 PM- 2:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Eyes in the Sky-Drones

Sponsored by CDP

Monday, August 17, 2026, 11:00 AM- 12:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Social Media Engagement Strategies (PER-343)

Sponsored by NDPTC

Wednesday, August 19- Thursday, August 20, 2026, 2:00 PM- 6:00 PM

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NEW! Medical Surge Management

Sponsored by CDP

Thursday, August 20, 2026, 1:00 PM- 3:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Early Recognition of Clinical Deterioration

Sponsored by NYS Vital Signs Academy

Tuesday, August 25, 2026, Time TBD

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Evacuation Strategies and Solutions

Sponsored by NDPTC

Tuesday, August 25- Wednesday, August 26, 2026, 2:00- 6:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Case Tracking and Epidemiology Tools

Wednesday, August 26, 2026, 10:00 AM- 11:00 AM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Healthcare Facility Patient Evacuation Planning and Preparedness

Sponsored by CDP

Wednesday, August 26, 2026, 1:00 PM- 3:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Prehospital Mass Casualty Incident Operations

Sponsored by CDP

Thursday, August 27, 2026, 2:00 PM- 3:30 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Leveraging Tools for Conducting Damage Assessments (AWR-319)

Sponsored by NDPTC

Thursday, August 27- Friday, August 28, 2026, 2:00 PM- 6:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Partnering with Voluntary Organizations Active in Disasters (VOAD) for Disaster Response and Recovery (AWR-933-V16)

Sponsored by CDP

Monday, August 31, 2026, 12:00 PM- 1:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Overview of Gulf War Illness

Sponsored by ACOEM

Tuesday, September 1, 2026, 12:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Community Resilience

Sponsored by NDPTC

Tuesday, September 8- Wednesday, September 9, 2026, 8:00 AM- 12:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

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NEW! HHS/ASPR Project ECHO Clinical Readiness Rounds Leveraging AI and Data Analysis in Disaster Management and Emergency Response

Sponsored by iECHO, HHS, ASPR

Tuesday, September 8, 2026, 12:00pm-1:15pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Exposed: Hazards Associated with Emergency Response Providers

Sponsored by CDP

Wednesday, September 9, 2026, 2:00 PM- 3:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Healthcare Facility Management Fatality Management

Sponsored by CDP

Thursday, September 10, 2026, 10:00 AM- 11:15 AM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Foundations of Emergency Management (L-101)

*NEMBA

Sponsored by DHSES

Monday, September 14- Friday, September 18, 2026, 8:00 AM- 5:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Incident Command System Emergency Operations Center Interface (G-191)

Sponsored by DHSES

Thursday, September 17, 2026, 8:00 AM- 5:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Stopping the Spiral: Trauma Triad, TXA & Trauma in Pregnancy

Sponsored by NYS Vital Signs Academy

Thursday, September 17, 2026, 6:30pm-7:30pm

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Incident Command System Emergency Operations Center Interface (G-191)

Sponsored by DHSES

Friday, September 18, 2026, 35 Minutes

[Register Here](#)

Trauma Nursing Core Course (TNCC)

Date: September 19-20, 2026

Location: Arnot Ogden School of Nursing, L.D. Clute Building, 600 Roe Ave Elmira, NY 14905

Register Here: [TNCC Registration Form](#)

Registration Deadline: 8/19/2026

ENA Course Director: Mary Ann Teeter mamat217@aol.com 607-331-1450

NEW! ICS For Complex Incidents (I-400)

Sponsored by DHSES

Monday, September 21- Tuesday, September 22, 2026, 8:00 AM- 5:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! The Academy for Healthcare Leadership Advancement 2026

Sponsored by HANYS

Wednesday, September 23, 2026

[Register Here](#)

NEW! ICS For Complex Incidents (I-400)

Sponsored by DHSES

Tuesday, September 29- Wednesday, September 30, 2026, 8:00 AM- 5:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Winter Weather Hazards: Science and Preparedness (AWR-331)

Sponsored by NDPTC

Tuesday, September 29- Wednesday, September 30, 2026, 1:00 PM- 5:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

NEW! Evacuation Planning Strategies and Solutions (MGT-461)

Sponsored by NDPTC

Wednesday, September 30- Thursday, October 1, 2026, 2:00 PM- 5:00 PM

[Register Here](#)

New & OnDemand Content - NYLearnsPH.com

January 2026 Log-in2Learn: Data Visualization Techniques

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Recorded January 13, 2026

Enroll in LMS: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202601](#)

Public Health Emergency Preparedness and Response Plan (PHEPRP) Administrative Preparedness Section Update Optional Webinar – BPR-8 - Recorded Training Session

Enroll in LMS: [OHEP-223a](#)

2025 Health Coalition Emergency Management Seminar Trauma Management for Rural EMS and Community Hospitals

Enroll in LMS: [WRHEPC-TREACH2025-ONLINE](#)

2025-2026 Guidance to Complete ServNY Incomplete Volunteer Check and Notification Drill - BPR-7 Sponsored by NYSDOH OHEP

Enroll in LMS Course: [OHEP-521b](#)

Public Health Live! Artificial Intelligence Adoption in Public Health: Opportunities and Challenges

Sponsored by UAlbany College of Integrated Health Sciences (UACIHS) Center for Public Health Continuing Education (CPHCE)

Recorded November 19, 2025

Enroll in LMS Course: [UACIHS-PHL202511](#)

Log-in2Learn: The Intersection of Health, Privacy & Technology

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Recorded October 7, 2025

Enroll in LMS Course: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202510](#)

Log-in2Learn: Leveraging Lessons Learned to Enhance Public Health Preparedness

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

Recorded September 9, 2025

Enroll in LMS Course: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202509](#)

Check the HTC Monthly Webinar Series Webpages for previous (recorded) offerings

- [HTC BP2 \(2025-2026\) Monthly Webinar Series Webpage](#)
- [HTC BP1 \(2024-2025\) Monthly Webinar Series Webpage](#)
- [HTC BP5 \(2023-2024\) Monthly Webinar Series Webpage](#)
- [HTC BP4 \(2022-2023\) Monthly Webinar Series Webpage](#)
- [RTC BP3 \(2021-2022\) Monthly Webinar Series Webpage](#)

Emergency Management for Healthcare Leaders

Sponsored by OHEP, MARO HTC and Northwell

Recorded on July 23, 2025

Enroll in LMS Course: [OHEP-HTC-BP2-S1-072025-MARO](#) | Handouts: [HTC BP2S1](#)

Regional Emerging Special Pathogen Treatment Center (RESPTC) & H5N1 Avian Influenza Overview

Sponsored by The Office of Health Emergency Preparedness (OHEP)

Register in LMS: [OHEP-303](#) | On-demand Training

Log-in2Learn: Public Health Workforce Burnout and Resilience

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center

- **Part I: Leading for Wellbeing: Preventing Burnout and Fostering Resilience in Health Departments** - Recorded February 4, 2025
 - Enroll in LMS: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202502](#)
- **Part II: Prevention and Intervention** -- Recorded March 4, 2025
 - Enroll in LMS: [Reg2PHTC-L2L202503](#)
- **Part III: Mentoring for Retention** - Recorded May 13, 2025
 - Enroll in LMS: [Reg2PHTC-20250513](#)

1.5 Category I Continuing Education Credit for CHES/MCHES & Certified in Public Health (CPH) credit

Integrated Preparedness Plan (IPP) Training Webinar - BPR-4

Sponsored by NYSDOH OHEP

Recorded September 23, 2024

Enroll in LMS Course: [OHEP-302](#) | Email prepedap@health.ny.gov for resources, questions, etc.

2024 Western Region Health Coalition Emergency Management Seminar: Healthcare Readiness and Response to HAZMAT Events

Sponsored by WRHC

Recorded May 14, 2024

Enroll in LMS Course: [OHEP-WRHTC-WRHEMS2024-HAZMAT](#)

Psychological First Aid

Sponsored by NYSDOH OHEP

Enroll in LMS Course: [OHEP-OMH-PFA-NY](#)

Psychological First Aid (PFA) Train-the-Trainer

Sponsored by The Office of Health Emergency Preparedness (OHEP), in partnership with the NYS Office of Mental Health (OMH) and the SUNY New Paltz Institute for Disaster Mental Health (IDMH)
Register in LMS: [OHEP-561a](#) | On-demand Training

[HTC Webinar Series - BP5\(2023-2024\) PROGRAM: Sessions 1-11](#) – Enroll and complete all 11 parts to receive a program certificate on the NYSDOH LMS!

Beyond the Burnout Conversation- A Practical Workshop to Reclaim Aliveness

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center
Enroll in LMS Course: [Req2PHTC-1130676](#)

Climate Change and Food Insecurity: Actions for Health Departments

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center
Enroll in LMS Course: [Req2PHTC-1130577](#)

Climate Change and Mosquito-borne Diseases: Actions for Local Health Departments

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center
Enroll in LMS Course: [Req2PHTC-1130531](#)

Supporting Public Health Practitioners in Times of Loss and Grief

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center
Enroll in LMS Course: [Req2PHTC-1130677](#)

Log-in2Learn: Addressing the Impact of Climate Change on Food Systems

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center
Recorded June 3, 2025, 12 – 1pm
Enroll in LMS Course: [Req2PHTC-L2L202506](#)

Climate Change and Flooding Risk: How Local HDs and Communities Can Prepare

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center
Self-Paced Course | Enroll in LMS Course: [Req2PHTC-Flooding](#)

A Systems Approach to Reduce Gun Violence

Sponsored by Region 2 Public Health Training Center
Self-Paced Course | Enroll in LMS Course: [Req2PHTC-GunViolence](#)

Risk Communication: Best Practices for Communicating Effectively in High Stress Situations

Sponsored by South Central Partnership (SCP)
Enroll in LMS Course: [SCP-0244](#)

Crisis Management: Critical Thinking in Crisis Preparation

Sponsored by South Central Partnership
Self-Paced Course | Enroll in LMS Course: [SCP-0191](#)

Evidence-Based Approaches for Post-Disaster Mental Health Disorders

Sponsored by South Central Partnership
Enroll in LMS Course: [SCP-2055](#)

Additional Training of Interest - (On Demand)

NEW! [Using Qualitative Methods in Public Health Practice \(Program-No CE\)](#)

Sponsored by Sponsored by Region V Public Health Training Center | Recorded August 31, 2021

NEW! [Ebola Update & 2026 World Cup HCID Preparedness](#)

Sponsored by NETEC | Recorded on May 27, 2026

NEW! [NYSDOH Ebola Update for Hospitals and Clinics](#)

Sponsored by NYSDOH | Recorded on June 2, 2026

NEW! [2026: Western Region Health Coalition Emergency Management Seminar](#)

Sponsored by Western Region Health Emergency Preparedness Coalition | Recorded April 28, 2026

[Protecting Your Physical and Mental Health: Before, During and After a Disaster](#)

Sponsored by Region 6 South Central Public Health Training Center

Power of Communications: A 4-part series on rural health communications

Sponsored by Region V Public Health Training Center, co-sponsored with Public Health Prepared

[Session #1: Navigating Conflict and Communication Issues with Teams and Partners in Rural Settings](#) Free to enroll. CE and a certificate of completion available for \$10.

- 1.5 MCHES Category I CECH (Areas of Responsibility: 7.1.2, 7.1.5, 7.2.1, 8.2.8, 9.2.2, 9.2.3)
- Up to 1.5 CPH Recertification Credits may be earned at this event

[Session #2: Navigating Conflict and Communication Issues with Partners and the Public in Rural Settings](#) Continuing Education:

Free to enroll. CE and a certificate of completion available for \$10.

- 1.0 CHES Category I CECH (Areas of Responsibility: 7.1.2, 7.1.5, 7.2.1, 7.3.2)
- Up to 1.0 CPH Recertification Credits may be earned at this event
- 1.0 contact hours of continuing education with the National Environmental Health Association (expiration 4/10/27)

[BRACE: A Public Health Model for Climate Action](#)

Sponsored by APHA and Climate Health | 2 CE Credits Available

[Health Professionals & Civic Identity in Today's World: Bridging the Gap](#)

Sponsored by Region V Public Health Training Center | Recorded May 12, 2026

[The Importance of Listening and Trusted Messengers in Public Health](#)

Sponsored by Public Health Communications Collaborative | Published April 7, 2026

[Power of Communications Series for Rural Settings \(Program\)](#)

Sponsored by Public Health Prepared | Recorded April 9, 2026

[Rural Communication & Media Relations- Building Trust Before the Crisis](#)

Sponsored by Public Health Prepared | Recorded April 9, 2026

[From Reactive to Ready- Building Your Rural Media Protocol & Crisis Playbook](#)

Sponsored by Public Health Prepared | Recorded April 30, 2026

[Identifying Trusted Public Health Information for Your Communications - Free Public Health Webinar - Public Health Communications Collaborative](#)

Sponsored by Public Health Communications Collaborative | Recorded March 11, 2026

[**New SHIELD Project to Modernize U.S. Preparedness Systems Through Innovation and Leadership**](#)

Sponsored by Johns Hopkins Center for Health Security | Published January 12, 2026

[**Infection Prevention Learning Journey**](#)

Sponsored by NETEC | Published January 5, 2026

[**EMS Biosafety Transport for Operators**](#)

Sponsored by NETEC | Published on November 4, 2026

[**Health Professions Infection Control Education Toolkit**](#) Sponsored by CDC Project Firstline

[**Media Relations Capacity Building for Public Health Communicators**](#)

Sponsored by the PHCC Academy

[**The PHCC Academy**](#)

Sponsored by Public Health Communications Collaborative

[**First Responder Preparedness**](#) | Course Bundle

Sponsored by South Central Partnership

[**Health Systems Implementing Climate Action**](#)

Sponsored by NYAM, partnered with AARP NY and SBP | Recorded September 2024

- [**Disaster Preparedness at Home**](#) was geared directly to older adults.
- [**Building Disaster Resilient Communities**](#) was meant for aging service professionals.

[**UMSPH Institute for Firearm Injury Prevention Massive Open Online Course \(MOOC\)**](#)

Presented by the University of Michigan Institute for Firearm Injury Prevention and the Firearm Safety among Children and Teens (FACTS) Consortium, the Science of Firearm Safety Among Children & Teens Massive Open Online Course covers a range of firearm injury topics.

[**New First Receiver Training**](#) - CNY HTC's 8-episode video series on first receiver decontamination

[**Dealing with Stress in Disasters: Building Psychological Resilience**](#)

Sponsored by Boston University School of Public Health | on-line course

[**Public Health Prepared Training Catalog**](#)

Sponsored by U of Michigan Center for Infectious Disease Threats & Pandemic Preparedness

[**TFAH in the Room Segment featuring Dara Lieberman, Director of Government Relations**](#)

Sponsored by TFAH | Recorded June 3, 2026

[**Voices of Trust Segment featuring Andi Lipstein Fristedt, Executive Vice President and Chief Strategy and Policy Officer, Parkinson's Foundation**](#)

Sponsored by TFAH | Recorded June 4, 2026

NYS and Other National Content Provider Resources:

[Online/Self-Study Training Opportunities - Training - Finger Lakes Training Center - URochester Medicine](#)

[Upcoming Webinar and Classroom Training - Finger Lakes Training Center - URochester Medicine](#)

[NYSDOH Ebola and Marburg Virus Information for Health Care Providers, Facilities, and Laboratories](#)

[National Emerging Special Pathogens Training and Education Center \(NETEC\) RESOURCE LIBRARY](#)

[Region 2 RESPTC at NYC Health + Hospitals/Bellevue TOOLS & RESOURCES](#)

OTHER FEDERAL and NATIONAL PROVIDER RESOURCES:

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Health Alert Network (HAN) [HAN Messages](#)

- [Ebola Disease Outbreak in the Democratic Republic of the Congo and Uganda | HAN | CDC May 19, 2026 | CDCHAN-00530](#)
- [2026 Hantavirus Outbreak: Testing for Potential Infection | HAN | CDC May 18, 2026 | CDCHAN-00529](#)
- [2026 Multi-country Hantavirus Cluster Linked to Cruise Ship May 8, 2026 | CDCHAN-00528](#)
- [Medetomidine in the U.S. Illegal Fentanyl Supply Increasing Risk for Overdose and Severe Withdrawal Syndrome April 2, 2026, | CDCHAN-00527](#)

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Resources

[New CDC Study Highlights Adverse Outcomes Linked to Travel-Related Cosmetic Procedures](#)

Published: June 2

[New Interviews Highlight CDC's Response to Multi-State Rabies Transmission Investigation](#)

Scripps News recently released interviews examining a rare, multi-state rabies transmission event linked to organ and tissue donation. The interviews explore the case of a kidney transplant recipient who died from rabies more than a month after receiving a transplanted organ and the subsequent public health response. Featured in the interviews are the widow of the deceased donor, who shares her family's experience, and CDC officers including David McCormick with DHQP's Blood, Organ, and Other Tissue Safety (BOOTS) office who describe the urgent efforts undertaken to identify and notify patients in multiple states who may have received organs or tissues from the same donor

Think Ebola: Be Prepared to Safely Assess Patients for Ebola Disease

CDC is responding to an outbreak of Ebola disease affecting areas of the Democratic Republic of the Congo (DRC), South Sudan and Uganda. To date, no cases of Ebola disease have been confirmed in the United States because of this outbreak.

While the risk of spread to the United States is considered low at this time, it is possible for travelers from affected areas to enter the United States. As a precaution, CDC is working to raise awareness of this outbreak among public health departments, healthcare facilities, and healthcare providers in the United States.

Healthcare facilities and providers should review the [Think Ebola](#) factsheet and be prepared to assess and identify patients who have risk factors for Ebola disease.

Project Firstline's

EVS Micro-Learns: Essentials for Infection Control – New topics include:

- [Clean and Safe Carts for Environmental Services Micro-Learn](#)
- [Clean Hands for Environmental Services Micro-Learn](#)
- [Contact Time for Environmental Services Micro-Learn](#)

[Pertussis: Trends, Treatment, and Prevention](#) – Recorded April 7, 2026

- [Pertussis micro-learn](#)

Check out Project Firstline's [other educational materials](#) to support training on a range of infection control topics.

National Fire Academy (NFA)

May 20, 2026 --The National Fire Academy has immediate vacancies for the following resident classes:

- R0305 [Type 3 All-Hazards Incident Management Team](#) - 8/3-8/7/2026
- R0310 [Type 3 Incident Management Team/Organization - All Hazard Facilitator Development](#) - 7/6-7/10/2026, 9/14-9/18/2026
- R0312 [Command and Control of Incident Operations](#) - 9/13-9/18/2026, 9/20-9/25/2026, 9/27-10/2/2026
- R0333 [Fire Service Financial Management](#) - 8/17-8/28/2026
- R0387 [Analytical Tools for Decision-Making](#) - 8/2-8/7/2026
- R0492 [Emergency Resource Deployment Planning Standards of Coverage \(SOC\)](#) - 5/31-6/5/2026, 8/30-9/4/2026
- R0506 [Executive Planning](#) - 7/6-7/17/2026

May 29, 2026—The National Fire Academy has immediate vacancies for the following resident classes:

- R0233 [Chemical Hazard Analysis for Risk-Based Response](#) - 7/6-7/17/2026
- R0263 [Commercial Fire Sprinkler System Plans Review](#) - 7/6-7/10/2026, 9/14-9/18/2026
- R0310 [Type 3 Incident Management Team/Organization](#) - All Hazard Facilitator Development - 7/6-7/10/2026, 9/14-9/18/2026
- R0506 [Executive Planning](#) - 7/6-7/17/2026

- R0247 [Advanced Life Support Response to Hazardous Materials Incidents](#) - 7/20-7/31/2026
- R0308 [Command and Control of Fire Department Operations at Natural and Man-Made Disasters](#) - 7/20-7/31/2026, 8/17-8/28/2026
- R0387 - [Analytical Tools for Decision-Making](#) - 8/2-8/7/2026
- R0396 - [Strategic and Tactical Considerations for Fire Protection Systems](#) - 8/2-8/7/2026
- R0305 [Type 3 All-Hazards Incident Management Team](#) - 8/3-8/7/2026
- R2310 [Advanced Science of Hazardous Materials/Weapons of Mass Destruction Response](#) - 8/10-8/14/2026 (Previously R0655) **NEW 5-day format**
- R0258 [Hazardous Materials Officer and Hazardous Materials Safety Officer](#) - 8/17-8/28/2026
- R0264 [Plans Review for Fire Alarm Systems](#) - 8/23-8/27/2026, 9/20-9/24/2026
- R0243 [Hazardous Materials/Weapons of Mass Destruction Incident Command](#) - 8/30-9/4/2026
- R0393 - [Plans Review for Fire and Life Safety](#) - 8/30-9/4/2026
- R0615 - [Hazardous Materials Code Enforcement](#) - 8/30-9/4/2026

June 10-- The National Fire Academy (NFA) has immediate vacancies for the following resident classes:

- W0636 [Building Organizational Support for Community Risk Reduction](#)
- W0521 [Executive Skills Series: Exercising Leadership to Facilitate Adaptive Change](#)
- W0610 [Wildland Urban Interface Firefighting for the Structural Company Officer](#)
- W0455 [Strategy and Tactics for Initial Company Operations](#)
- W0609 [Introduction to Unified Command for All-Hazard Incidents](#)
- W0457 [Decision-Making for Initial Company Operations](#)
- W0609 [Introduction to Unified Command for All-Hazard Incidents](#)
- W0756 [Fire Investigation: Fire as a Weapon](#)
- W0762 [New Fire Chief: Contemporary Issues](#)
- W0520 [Executive Skills Series: Exercising Leadership Within Communities](#)
- W0296 [Incident Management and Leadership Fundamentals for the Company Officer](#)
- R0263 [Commercial Fire Sprinkler System Plans Review](#) - July 6-10, 2026
- P2116 [Fire Investigation: Interviewing](#) - July 6-10, 2026
- R0310 [Type 3 Incident Management Team/Organization - All Hazard Facilitator Development](#) - July 6-10, 2026
- R0312 [Command and Control of Incident Operations](#) - July 6-10, 2026
- R0233 [Chemical Hazard Analysis for Risk-Based Response](#) - July 6-17

All training is at the National Emergency Training Center in Emmitsburg, MD.
For a full list of vacancies [click here](#).

How to Apply:

- Apply using the electronic application form on the NETC Online [Admissions application](#) website.
- Obtain electronic approval from the head of your sponsoring organization.
- Do not plan to participate in a course until the Admissions office has notified you in writing.

If you need help completing your application, don't hesitate to contact our Admissions office by email at netcadmissions@fema.dhs.gov.

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NOTE: The NFA Online system is currently unavailable. This outage may persist for an extended period. We apologize for any inconvenience this may cause and appreciate your understanding. Updates will be provided as soon as the system is restored. Thank you for your patience.

The Office of Emergency Risk Communication in the Office of Communications is responsible for managing COCA Products.

For information about this update or other clinical issues, or to send your feedback, please contact us at coca@cdc.gov

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Clinician Outreach and Communication Activity [COCA Call webpage](#)

[CDC COCA Call: What Clinicians Should Know about Ebola Bundibugyo Virus](#)

Recorded May 28, 2026

[CDC COCA Call: Rabies is Still Here: Epidemiology, Outbreaks, and Costs of Prevention in the United States](#)

Recorded April 30, 2026

- [Clinician Outreach and Communication Activity](#)—resources for healthcare providers
- [Crisis & Emergency Risk Communication Training](#)—training program that draws from lessons learned during public health emergencies, and incorporates best practices from the fields of risk and crisis communication

American Journal of Public Health (AJPH)

July 2026 [American Journal of Public Health - Volume 116, Issue 7](#)

- **Ultraprocessed Foods and Corporate Influence**

June 2026 [American Journal of Public Health - Volume 116, Issue 6](#)

- **Climate Change and Health Inequities**

May 2026 [American Journal of Public Health - Volume 116, Issue 5](#)

- **250 Years of Race, Medicine, and Health in the United States**

April 2026 [American Journal of Public Health - Volume 116, Issue 4](#)

- **2025 National Policy Changes and Public Health Student Experiences**

March 2026 [American Journal of Public Health - Volume 116, Issue 3](#)

- **Abortion and Public Health in the Post-Dobbs Era**

Newsletter/Email Sign Up - To get the latest updates, misinformation alerts, and resources from national content providers.

- **Sign-up for EPIC exchange Newsletters** - Email: EPIC@cdc.gov
- [Johns Hopkins Center for Health Security - Health Security Decoded – Sign Up](#)
- [Trust for America’s Health Wellness and Prevention Digest – Sign Up](#)
- [Public Health Communications Collaborative – Sign Up on the website.](#)
- [U.S. Fire Administration \(USFA\) email notifications](#)

- [CDC Learning Connection Newsletter](#) -stay informed about quality public health trainings from CDC and partners.

For email notifications regarding educational opportunities, please subscribe to the [FLRTC-HPP listserv](#)

Podcasts & New Emergency Preparedness Survey

New York Public Health Now Podcast -<https://www.health.ny.gov/commissioner/podcasts/>
If you have an idea for topics, please let us know: PublicHealthNowPodcast@health.ny.gov

ASTHO:

- **NEW Daily!** [Public Health Review Morning Edition \(astho.org\)](#)
- [Public Health Review | ASTHO](#)

Health Affairs Publishing: A Health Podyssey Episode 265 - [The Deadly Rise of Cold-Related Illness at the Intersection of Social Inequality](#)

Public Health Prepared, Michigan Center for Infectious Disease Threats; University of Michigan School of Public Health: [Prepared. Set. Go! Podcast](#)

NETEC (National Emerging Special Pathogens Training and Education Center) Podcasts: [Coming Soon Transmission Interrupted](#)

[Podcasts - New York State Health Emergency Preparedness Coalition - URochester Medicine](#)

Feedback Wanted on Public Health Emergency Preparedness and Response Workforce Competencies

The [University of Washington's Center for Disaster Resilient Communities](#) is seeking input on updates to public health emergency preparedness and response workforce competencies. Public health emergency preparedness has evolved significantly over the last decade, including through learnings from the COVID-19 pandemic response and shifts in the workforce. This survey is led and administered by the University of Washington, informed by focus groups with practitioners and refined by an expert working group. [Learn more and participate in the survey.](#)
