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Welcome to the **May 2017** issue of the Aware Prepare Update. This monthly electronic newsletter is your guide to upcoming trainings related to preparedness. These trainings may be provided in one or more of the following formats, including: live webcasts, webinars and in person training; archived webcasts, webinars and on demand eLearning.

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Regional Training Center (RTC) Calendar – May 2017

Regional Training Centers provide training to strengthen emergency planning and response efforts of Health Emergency Preparedness Coalition (HEPC) partners

Date	Training	RTC Sponsor	Contact Information
May 1 & 3, 2017	HAZMAT for Health Care – Stony Brook University Hospital, Stony Brook, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/MARO-HEPC-Calendar.aspx	Stony Brook University Hospital	Connie Kraft, RN, MSN, CEN, RTC Coordinator, Stony Brook University Hospital 631 444-9074 (office) 631 404-6204 (cell) Connie.Cincotta-Kraft@stonybrookmedicine.edu
May 2 & 3, 2017	Emergency Nurse Pediatric Course (ENPC) - North Ambulance Volunteer Corp, N. Syracuse, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/WRHEPC-	Finger Lakes	Anne M. D'Angelo, RN, MS RTC Coordinator, University of Rochester Medical Center 585 758-7642 (office) anne_dangelo@urmc.rochester.edu
May 4, 2017	Trauma Nursing Core Course (TNCC) – Nyack Hospital, Nyack, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/MARO-HEPC-Calendar.aspx	Stony Brook University Hospital	Connie Kraft, RN, MSN, CEN, RTC Coordinator, Stony Brook University Hospital 631 444-9074 (office) 631 404-6204 (cell) Connie.Cincotta-Kraft@stonybrookmedicine.edu
May 4 & 11, 2017	Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS) - Phelps Memorial Hospital Center, Sleepy Hollow, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/MARO-HEPC-	Stony Brook University Hospital	Connie Kraft, RN, MSN, CEN, RTC Coordinator, Stony Brook University Hospital 631 444-9074 (office) 631 404-6204 (cell) Connie.Cincotta-Kraft@stonybrookmedicine.edu
May 8, 2017	Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) - Phelps Memorial Hospital Center, Sleepy Hollow, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/MARO-HEPC-	Stony Brook University Hospital	Connie Kraft, RN, MSN, CEN, RTC Coordinator, Stony Brook University Hospital 631 444-9074 (office) 631 404-6204 (cell) Connie.Cincotta-Kraft@stonybrookmedicine.edu

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May 10, 2017	eFINDS 3.0 Train the Trainer (HPP #6) - Our Lady of Consolation, West Islip, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/MARO-HEPC-Calendar.aspx	Stony Brook University Hospital	Connie Kraft, RN, MSN, CEN, RTC Coordinator, Stony Brook University Hospital 631 444-9074 (office) 631 404-6204 (cell) Connie.Cincotta-Kraft@stonybrookmedicine.edu
May 15, 2017	Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS) - http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/MARO-HEPC-Calendar.aspx	Stony Brook University Hospital	Connie Kraft, RN, MSN, CEN, RTC Coordinator, Stony Brook University Hospital 631 444-9074 (office) 631 404-6204 (cell) Connie.Cincotta-Kraft@stonybrookmedicine.edu
May 17 & 18, 2017	Emergency Nurse Pediatric Course (ENPC) - Erie County Fire Training Center, Cheektowaga, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/WRHEPC-Calendar.aspx	Finger Lakes	Anne M. D'Angelo, RN, MS RTC Coordinator, University of Rochester Medical Center 585 758-7642 (office) anne_dangelo@urmc.rochester.edu
May 17 & 18, 2017	Trauma Nursing Core Course (TNCC) – WAVES Ambulance, Camillus, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/WRHEPC-Calendar.aspx	Finger Lakes	Anne M. D'Angelo, RN, MS RTC Coordinator, University of Rochester Medical Center 585 758-7642 (office) anne_dangelo@urmc.rochester.edu
May 18 & 19, 2017	Trauma Care After Resuscitation (TCAR) - Stony Brook University Hospital, Stony Brook, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/MARO-HEPC-Calendar.aspx	Stony Brook University Hospital	Connie Kraft, RN, MSN, CEN, RTC Coordinator, Stony Brook University Hospital 631 444-9074 (office) 631 404-6204 (cell) Connie.Cincotta-Kraft@stonybrookmedicine.edu
May 19, 2017	Advanced Burn Life Support (ABLS) – Upstate Medical University, Syracuse, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/WRHEPC-Calendar.aspx	Finger Lakes	Anne M. D'Angelo, RN, MS RTC Coordinator, University of Rochester Medical Center 585 758-7642 (office) anne_dangelo@urmc.rochester.edu
May 22, 2017	eFINDS 3.0 Train the Trainer (HPP #6) – LIJ Valley Stream, Valley Stream, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/MARO-HEPC-Calendar.aspx	Stony Brook University Hospital	Connie Kraft, RN, MSN, CEN, RTC Coordinator, Stony Brook University Hospital 631 444-9074 (office) 631 404-6204 (cell) Connie.Cincotta-Kraft@stonybrookmedicine.edu

Regional Training Center (RTC)

Calendar – May 2017cont'd

May 22 & 23, 2017	Certified Hospital Emergency Coordinator Course (CHEC) Basic Course- North Area Volunteer Ambulance Corps., N. Syracuse, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/WRHEPC-Calendar.aspx	Finger Lakes	Anne M. D'Angelo, RN, MS RTC Coordinator, University of Rochester Medical Center 585 758-7642 (office) anne_dangelo@urmc.rochester.edu
May 24, 2017	Certified Hospital Emergency Coordinator Course (CHEC) Advanced Course - North Area Volunteer Ambulance Corps., N. Syracuse, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/WRHEPC-Calendar.aspx	Finger Lakes	Anne M. D'Angelo, RN, MS RTC Coordinator, University of Rochester Medical Center 585 758-7642 (office) anne_dangelo@urmc.rochester.edu
May 31, 2017	eFINDS 3.0 Train the Trainer (HPP #6) – Corning Hospital, Corning, NY http://www.urmc.rochester.edu/emergency-preparedness/Calendar/WRHEPC-Calendar.aspx	Finger Lakes	Anne M. D'Angelo, RN, MS RTC Coordinator, University of Rochester Medical Center 585 758-7642 (office) anne_dangelo@urmc.rochester.edu
Ongoing	Core Disaster Life Support Course (eCDLS) ONLINE	Finger Lakes	Anne M. D'Angelo, RN, MS RTC Coordinator, University of Rochester Medical Center 585 758-7642 (office) anne_dangelo@urmc.rochester.edu
Ongoing	ABLS Now Online	Albany Medical Center Finger Lakes Stony Brook	Christopher Smith, BS, EMT-P RTC Coordinator, Albany Medical Center Albany, NY 12208 518 262-1070 (office) SmithC12@mail.amc.edu

LIVE WEBCAST

2017 Active Shooter Preparedness Update for Hospitals

Wednesday, May 10, 2017

1-2pm

Provider: Everbridge Care Conserve

[To view the live webinar, please register here](#)

Speaker: **Steve Crimando, MA, BCETS, CHS-V**, Principal, Behavioral Science Applications

According to the American Hospital Association, 95% of hospitals have active shooter policies in place. However, just in the past few months, security and law enforcement professionals have improved safety and response plans – it might be time to review and update your plans.

Join us for the **2017 Active Shooter Preparedness Update for Hospitals**. In this webinar, Steve Crimando will explore numerous topics to better prepare hospitals and healthcare organizations for an active shooter emergency, such as:

- The evolving threat posed by active shooters
- The effect of the opioid epidemic on preparedness plans
- The special concerns associated with healthcare and hospital settings
- Recommendations for preparedness, response and recovery

We look forward to your questions, we are expecting a very active Q&A session after Steve gives his presentation.

CTI-100**Introduction to the Health Commerce System Portal**

May 9, 2017 9-10am
June 7, 2017 10-11am
July 6, 2017 11am-12pm
August 11, 2017 9-10am

Provider: NYSDOH Commerce Training Institute

Average Completion Time: 1 hr
Continuing Education credits: No
Enroll in LMS Course: [CTI-100](#)

The redesigned Health Commerce System (HCS) became available in March, 2010. The HIN and HPN were recreated as the Health Commerce System portal, or HCS. There is no longer a separation between the HPN and HIN.

Objectives:

- Identify the major elements of the HCS architecture
- Identify the features of the HCS
- Demonstrate strategies to customize the portal for your own use.

CTI-120**Integrated Data Reporting in HERDS v.3**

May 15, 2017 10-11am
June 13, 2017 11am-12pm
July 12, 2017 1-2pm
August 10, 2017 2-3pm

Provider: NYSDOH Commerce Training Institute

Webinar: Yes

Average Completion Time: 1 hr
Continuing Education credits: No
Enroll in LMS Course: [CTI-120](#)

This course provides a solid foundation for adult care facilities, home health agencies, hospices, hospitals, LHCSAs, nursing homes and extension clinics to report data using the HERDS v.3 application.

The course will begin with a look at how to obtain access to HERDS and how facilities will be notified when there are activities to be completed. Learners will then be provided demonstration of the new reporting platform. The session concludes with a brief overview of the pre-selected reports available from the application. This course is presented in a one hour session via WebEx Training Center.

Objectives:

- Locate and modify the person record.
- Explain the importance of the person record in relation to HERDS.
- Demonstrate the ability to review assigned roles.
- Locate and access HERDS.
- Describe the overall structure of HERDS activities.

CTI-200**Communications Directory Certification**

May 12, 2017 9-10:30am
June 12, 2017 10:30am-12pm
July 11, 2017 1-2:30pm
August 17, 2017 11am-12:30pm

Provider: NYSDOH Commerce Training Institute

Webinar: Yes

Average Completion Time: 1.5 hrs
Continuing Education credits: No
Enroll in LMS Course: [CTI-200](#)

This course provides a comprehensive review of the Health Commerce System Communications Directory, the underlying records that make up the directory, and the tools all HCS users can use to access the directory. This two hour course will begin by examining the structure of the directory and differentiating between the actual contact information records stored for each person in the directory, and the facilities and roles those records can be associated with. Once the structure of the directory has been examined learners will review and have an opportunity to practice with the applications used to access the information stored in the directory. At the conclusion of this course learners will be able to:

- List the components of the Communications Directory
- Summarize how the components are related and work together
- Summarize the HCS emergency call down procedure, describing the role the Communications Directory plays

CTI-201	
Preparing MERITS for Your Organization's Use	
June 5, 2017 10:30am-12pm August 2, 2017 1-2:30pm Provider: NYSDOH Commerce Training Institute Webinar: Yes Average Completion Time: 1.5 hrs Continuing Education credits: No Enroll in LMS Course: CTI-201	This course offers slight review of the content from CTI-101 that is why CTI-101 is a recommended prerequisite. CTI-201 Preparing MERITS for Your Organization's Use provides you with a more in depth understanding of the difference between Item Inventory and Master Inventory, how to enter a purchase order and receive order, manage the sites that you send inventory to, how to track inventory stored or shipped to another site. The course will review elements of CTI-101, such as how to issue an order, pick and ship it, as well as viewing MERITS reports.

CTI-300	
Integrated Health Alerting and Notification System (IHANS) Training & Certification	
May 17, 2017 1-4pm June 15, 2017 9am-12pm July 14, 2017 9am-12pm August 21, 2017 1-4pm Provider: NYSDOH Commerce Training Institute Webinar: Yes Average Completion Time: 3 hrs Continuing Education credits: No Enroll in LMS Course: CTI-300	This course covers all information necessary to begin the certification process for using the Integrated Health Alerting & Notification System. Participants will receive hands on practice with the tools and be offered an opportunity to complete certification. Users who wish to complete certification are strongly encourage to send an advance message to any audience they may broadcast to as part of the certification process. Typically course participants broadcast a sample notification to their HIN Coordinators (LHDs) or Directory Coordinators (NYSDOH).

CTI-502	
New York State Evacuation of Facilities in Disasters Systems (eFINDS) version 3.0	
May 26, 2017 10-11am June 19, 2017 11am-12pm July 18, 2017 1-2pm August 23, 2017 2-3pm Provider: NYSDOH Commerce Training Institute Webinar: Yes Average Completion Time: 1 hr Continuing Education credits: No Enroll in LMS Course: CTI-502	The New York State Evacuation of Facilities in Disasters Systems (eFINDS) is the patient/resident tracking application housed on the Health Commerce System (HCS). This course provides a solid foundation for registering and updating patient/resident location information during an incident or event, such as a storm, flood, non-natural incident or practice exercise/drill. Course participants will be provided a demonstration of the eFINDS application including: eFINDS Data Reporter and eFINDS Data Administrator role permissions; how to register a patient/resident with a scanner and without; use a spreadsheet to register multiple patient/residents; update patient/resident tracking information as an evacuating facility, and as a receiving facility. The session concludes with hands-on exercises.

**CAPITAL DISTRICT REGIONAL HEALTH EMERGENCY
PREPAREDNESS COALITION**

Pediatric Emergency Preparedness Training Seminar



Description:

The one day emergency preparedness training seminar will provide a broad overview of potential care needs for the pediatric patient involved in an emergency/disaster situation. The training seminar will include information for medical, trauma, and crisis response specific to the most vulnerable population in any emergency—children.

Who should attend?

The training seminar is targeted to a broad cross section of Hospital and Diagnostic and Treatment Center professionals (Nurses, Providers, Respiratory Therapists, EMTs, etc.) that may be involved in any emergency situation requiring emergency response, medical care, and short or long-term clinical support of children. Topics of interest to public health and other emergency responders also.

Date: Wednesday, May 24, 2017

Time: 9 am to 4 pm (doors open at 8:30)

Topics to be discussed:

- ◇ Pediatric Preparedness
- ◇ Pediatric Sepsis
- ◇ Pediatric Trauma
- ◇ Panel Discussion

Registration:

To enroll in the training, please go to www.NYlearnsPH.com and either register or login to the LMS.

Search Course Catalog for: **UASPH-20170524.**

OR click this shortcut to the course enrollment page on the [LMS](#).

Location: [University at Albany](#) East Campus
1 University Place
Rensselaer, NY 12144

Cost: Free, lunch provided

Questions?: Please e-mail
cphp@albany.edu or
lstebbins@glensfallshosp.org

University at Albany Center for Public Health Preparedness



Psychological First Aid for Training Coordinators UASPH-CPHP 2017 PFA

Background:

Psychological First Aid (PFA) is an evidence-informed approach that provides staff and volunteers with practical ways to help people with their basic needs and immediate concerns during a disaster. The University at Albany Center for Public Health Preparedness (UACPHP) collaborated with the Institute of Disaster Mental Health at SUNY New Paltz (IDMH), the NYS DOH, the NYS OMH and other partners to develop a **PFA Training Coordinator Guide**. The Guide helps training coordinators tailor learning and skills based PFA activities to local needs and resources.

Purpose of Training:

This training will provide participants with the resources and knowledge needed to implement PFA training within an organization or facility.

Course objectives:

At the end of the education sessions, learners will be able to:

- Describe what PFA is and why it is important;
- Recognize the importance of PFA as a key mechanism for enhancing Workforce Resilience;
- Identify the core components of PFA;
- Identify existing online PFA courses and resources;
- Describe how to select and modify PFA training resources & scenarios for a target audience;
- Identify policies and practices to support PFA training
- Implement scenario specific interactive PFA practice based sessions to facilitate skill acquisition; and
- Identify local behavioral health resources to support PFA training activities within your organization/facility.

Target Audience:

- Public health, Hospital or other Healthcare agency (LT Care, Home Care, etc.) preparedness or emergency management coordinators who arrange or provide emergency training in their organization

Target Audience (cont.)

- Other agency training coordinators with staff who participate in emergency response, to include Emergency Management, Fire, EMS and Law Enforcement.
- Training or Volunteer Coordinators who work with volunteers who participate in emergency response, including MRC, CERT, CART, Red Cross, VOAD, etc.

Training Dates:

Region	Date	Time	Location
WNY	June 14, 2017	Registration: 8am Program: 8:30-11:30am	Erie County Fire Training Center Cheektowaga, NY

- Refreshments will be provided at training.
- CNE, CME, CHES & CPH credits available.
- CE credit available to licensed social workers.

How to Register:

To register for the training, please click <https://www.nylearnsph.com> and either register or login to the LMS. Search Course Catalog for **Psychological First Aid for Training Coordinators or UASPH-CPHP 2017 PFA** and enroll in a session OR search the calendar for June 14th.

Travel: Non-HEPC members should contact cphp@albany.edu or 518-402-2066 for more information on travel accommodations or travel reimbursement.

Questions Regarding Training:

Direct questions to the University at Albany CPHP at cphp@albany.edu or 518-402-2066
Sponsored by the University at Albany Schools of Public Health and Social Welfare and the Institute for Disaster Mental Health at SUNY New Paltz.

**UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER FINGER LAKES REGIONAL TRAINING CENTER (FLRTC)
ALBANY MEDICAL CENTER REGIONAL TRAINING CENTER (AMC-RTC)
STONY BROOK UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL REGIONAL TRAINING CENTER (MARO-RTC)**

**Incident Command System RECORDED Webinar Series
ICS700 – ICS100 – ICS200 - HICS**

INTRODUCTION:

All hospitals and healthcare systems receiving Federal preparedness and response grants, contracts or cooperative agreements (HPP Grant) must maintain compliance in training staff in the National Incident Management System (NIMS). NIMS courses include IS-100, IS-200 and IS-700 or their equivalents. This webinar series is designed to provide an overview of each course and to prepare staff for the FEMA exam/certification.

SESSION OVERVIEW:

- **ICS 700** recorded webinar session provides an introduction and overview of the National Incident Management System (NIMS). NIMS provides a consistent nationwide template to enable all government, private sector, and nongovernmental organizations to work together during domestic incidents.
- **ICS 100** recorded webinar session introduces the Incident Command System (ICS) and provides the foundation for higher level ICS training. This session describes the history, features and principles, and organizational structure of the Incident Command System. It also explains the relationship between ICS and the National Incident Management System (NIMS)
- **ICS 200** recorded webinar session will cover Incident Command System (ICS) principals which will enable personnel to operate efficiently during an incident or event. This session will provide training on and resources for personnel who are likely to assume a supervisory position within the ICS.
- **HICS** recorded review session will provide an overview of the Hospital Incident Command System (HICS) and the operation of the Hospital Command Center (HCC) during emergency and non-emergency situations.

TARGET AUDIENCE:

FEMA IS Sessions: Staff person(s) who are either preparing to take the FEMA IS exam(s) or need a refresher in ICS basics.

HICS: Staff person(s) who need an introduction or refresher on Hospital Incident Command System principles.

REGISTRATION:

Please click <https://www.nylearnsph.com>

Search Course Catalog for appropriate course to enroll in webinar training:

- **RTC-IS700-Rec**
- **RTC-IS100-Rec**
- **RTC-IS200-Rec**
- **RTC-HICS-Rec**

RECORDED WEBINAR SESSION DETAILS:

- **ICS 700 Recorded Webinar (RTC-IS700-Rec)**

Recorded: January 18, 2017

Session Length: 1 hr 25 min 34 sec

[IS-700.a Course Handout](#)

- **ICS 100 Recorded Webinar (RTC-IS100-Rec)**

Recorded: January 23, 2017

Session Length: 1 hr 25 min 42 sec

[IS-100.b Course Handout](#)

- **ICS 200 Recorded Webinar (RTC-IS200-Rec)**

Recorded: February 01, 2017

Session Length: 1 hr 23 min 38 sec

[IS-200.B Course Handout](#)

- **HICS Recorded Webinar (RTC-HICS-Rec)**

Recorded: February 08, 2017

Session Length: 1 hr 22 min 21 sec

[HICS Review Course Handout](#)

FEMA CERTIFICATION REQUIREMENTS:

In order to receive official certification in the IS courses students must take the FEMA Final Exam via links provided. Please note that the IS Program now requires a FEMA SID to be used instead of your SSN. If you do not have a SID, [register for one here](#).

[FEMA IS-700.a Final Exam](#)

[FEMA IS-100.b Final Exam](#)

[FEMA IS-200.b Final Exam](#)

*There is no FEMA exam/certification for HICS

Questions Regarding NYSDOH Learning Management System (LMS):

Direct questions to edlearn@health.ny.gov

Questions Regarding Training:

Direct to appropriate RTC:

- AMC Regional Training Center – Chris Smith

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Continuing Education Program**Office of
Mental Health**

Mental Health Consequences of Infectious Disease Outbreaks - HPP Deliverable # 5

Recorded Session

Overview

Once again, OMH and NYSDOH co-sponsored a training that was simultaneously web streamed throughout New York State. This year's training, developed with the Institute for Disaster Mental Health (IDMH) at SUNY New Paltz, explored the mental health consequences of infectious disease outbreaks and why understanding and addressing the anxiety tied to infectious disease is essential to improving compliance with public health measures like quarantine recommendations and PODs, maintaining workforce resilience among healthcare workers, and reducing traumatic reactions for all involved.

The training identified the diverse groups who are likely to be impacted during and after an infectious disease outbreak and provided guidance on how to address these complex needs.

Target Audience

Mental health professionals who may be called upon to respond to disasters in a community or in a healthcare setting.

Registration

To enroll in the training, please go to <https://www.nylearnsph.com> and either register or login to the LMS.

Search Course Catalog for: **OHEP-DMHRec-2017**.

OR click this shortcut to the course enrollment page on the [LMS](#).

Questions Regarding Training

Direct questions to prepedap@health.ny.gov or 518 474-2893.

NYSDOH Learning Management System (LMS)

Direct questions to edlearn@health.ny.gov or 518 474-2893



COCA Update

Clinician Outreach and Communication Activity (COCA)
CDC Emergency Communication System

Recent CDC COCA (Clinician Outreach and Communication Activity) Calls

2016–2017 Influenza Season Activity and Recommendations for Clinicians

Date: Thursday, February 16, 2017

Influenza activity in the United States began to increase in early December, remained elevated through mid-January, and is expected to continue for several more weeks. Influenza A(H3N2) viruses have been most common this season, and influenza A(H3N2)-predominant seasons are often associated with more severe illness, particularly among young children and people 65 years and older.

Annual influenza vaccination is recommended for all persons aged 6 months and older, and is the best way to prevent influenza. Available evidence consistently indicates that antiviral treatment, when initiated as early as possible, can be a useful second line of defense to treat influenza illness when indicated and can reduce severe outcomes of influenza. During this COCA Call, clinicians will learn about 2016–2017 influenza activity to date, and hear an overview of CDC's recommendations for healthcare providers including influenza vaccination and the use of antiviral medications for the treatment of influenza.

https://emergency.cdc.gov/coca/calls/2017/callinfo_021617.asp



Clinical Action



CDC Clinician Outreach and Communication Activity

Gearing up for the Travel Season: How Clinicians Can Ensure Their Patients are Packed with Knowledge on Zika Prevention

Date: Thursday, December 8, 2016

During this COCA Call, clinicians will learn about current CDC travel recommendations, how to determine which patients should receive Zika testing after traveling to an area with Zika, and the recommendations for patients before and after travel to help them protect themselves and others from Zika.

https://emergency.cdc.gov/coca/calls/2016/callinfo_120816.asp

Updated CDC Zika Laboratory Testing Guidance

Date: Thursday, December 1, 2016

During this COCA Call, clinicians will learn about the updated recommendations in CDC's Guidance for U.S. Laboratories Testing for Zika Virus Infection and understand their role in testing specimens collected from patients. In addition, subject matter experts from CDC, the American Society for Microbiology, and the Association of Public Health Laboratories will discuss changes to the CDC Triplex Real-time RT-PCR (rRT-PCR) Assay Emergency Use Authorization, examine the use of non-CDC developed assays, and review recommendations for plaque reduction neutralization testing in Puerto Rico.

https://emergency.cdc.gov/coca/calls/2016/callinfo_120116.asp

Archived COCA conference calls are available at <https://emergency.cdc.gov/coca/calls/index.asp>

Free continuing education (CME, CNE, ACPE, CEU, CECH, and AAVSB/RACE) are available for most calls. For more information about free CE, visit <https://emergency.cdc.gov/coca/continuingeducation.asp>

Medical Countermeasures ClinOps On Demand Webinars from PHEEP



[ClinOps-201703](#) **Point of Dispensing Quality Review: Did the Right Person Receive the Right Countermeasure?**

This webinar will demonstrate how to assess data quality during and after a mass dispensing or vaccine administration event. This presentation will include procedures for real time report export, how to identify and correct potential data entry errors and assessment of Just-In-Time user training needs. Key points to be addressed include Countermeasure Data Management System (CDMS) procedures for development of medical screening questions and Smart Form algorithms and Ad Hoc Visit Report and Report Management export interpretations.

[ClinOps-201701](#) **Considerations for Operating a Medical Point of Dispensing: Layout, Licensure and Staffing**

The January 2017 Medical Countermeasure (MCM) Clinical Operations Webinar will include an overview of select Federal and State requirements for mass dispensing, where Emergency Use Authorizations and Emergency Use Packages are not applicable. This will include a presentation and discussion on how federal and state regulatory provisions and licensing laws need to be considered during the design and operation of a medical POD. Key points to be addressed include general dispensing considerations, labeling requirements, data collection and the scope of practice for licensed professionals within the POD.

[ClinOps-201610](#) **Not Anthrax? Select Legal Considerations for Mass Dispensing Without Emergency Use Instructions**

The October 2016 Medical Countermeasure (MCM) Clinical Operations Webinar included an overview of select Federal and State requirements for mass dispensing, where Emergency Use Authorizations and Emergency Use Packages are not applicable. This included a discussion of select federal and state statutory and regulatory provisions that should be considered during a mass dispensing campaign. Key points addressed included general dispensing considerations, labeling requirements, as well as instruction for use.

[ClinOps-201609](#) **Medical Countermeasure (MCM) Operational Readiness Review (ORR): L-6 Deliverable Overview**

The September 2016 Medical Countermeasure (MCM) Clinical Operations Webinar included a review of the Operational Readiness Review Tool for Capabilities 8 and 9. Local jurisdictions were provided guidance on how to prepare for and participate in this review as part of the second quarter L-6 Deliverable (**For CRI jurisdictions – this deliverable is replaced by CRI 2**). This webinar also included the documentation submission requirements for both Capability sections. Other general updates/announcements were included at the conclusion of the webinar as time permitted.

[ClinOps-201606](#) **Legal Issues for Mass Dispensing and Newly Issued Emergency Use Instructions and Emergency Dispensing Orders**

The June 2016 Medical Countermeasures Clinical Operations Webinar, presented by a NYSDOH attorney, reviewed legal issues associated with medical countermeasure mass dispensing operations. The presentation addressed key legal authorities within the “Pandemic and All-Hazards Reauthorization Act of 2013 (PAHPRA)” and clarify the FDA’s authority to support preparedness efforts and rapid response capabilities. Legal issues related to federal and state declarations, licensure requirements, and newly released emergency use packages (e.g., emergency dispensing orders, current good manufacturing practice waivers, and emergency use instructions) for doxycycline and ciprofloxacin were highlighted. Health Commerce System posting of newly released fact sheets and crushing instructions coincided with the webinar.

[ClinOps-201605](#) **Overview of the Countermeasure Data Management System Rabies Event Type, Report Export and Implications for Mass Dispensing Operations**

This course demonstrated the procedure to electronically register, recall and add animals or animal groups within the Countermeasure Data Management System for rabies clinics and highlighted major differences between the Point of Dispensing event types. Post event reporting and uses for data exports were also included with a brief review of data sorting methods. The course also reviewed the advantage of using the rabies and other event types to strengthen medical countermeasure operations.

CDC-MYTHS**Communicating in Radiation Emergencies: Myths of Radiation**

Provider: Centers for Disease Control
Average Completion Time: 1 hr
LMS Course Completion Requirement:
 "Message" Certificate to Course Administrator
Continuing Education: 0.1 CEUs
Enroll in LMS Course #: [CDC-MYTHS](#)

Communicating in Radiation Emergencies: Myths of Radiation introduces participants to some common myths of radiation and identifies communications strategies to combat these and other myths. The training uses Person-On-The-Street interviews to identify the myths and features a discussion between risk communication and radiation subject matter experts to set the record straight.
OBJECTIVES: At the conclusion of the session, the participant will be able to:

- Describe seven common misconceptions associated with radiation.
- Debunk seven misconceptions using science-based explanations.
- Discuss one strategy to communicate accurate information during a radiation emergency for each misconception presented.

CDC-PS2014**Packaging and Shipping Division 6.2 Materials Online Course**

LMS Course Completion Requirement:
 "Message" TRAIN Certificate to Course Administrator
Continuing Education: 2 CEUs
Course ID 1017204
Enroll in LMS Course #: [CDC-PS2014](#)

Who Should Attend:

This course is intended for those learners seeking recertification in packing and shipping of infectious substances (Division 6.2 materials). This course does not apply to individuals seeking initial certification.

Packaging and shipping Division 6.2 materials, such as patient specimens containing infectious materials and cultures, are regulated by U.S. and international transport agencies. Fines and penalties can be imposed against those who fail to comply with the applicable rules including proper classification and documentation of training, proper packaging, marking and labeling and proper shipping documentation. Updated for 2014, this intermediate-level online course, designed for individual study, is suitable for those seeking re-certification. Participants are provided with information useful for complying with regulations through use of instructional content and the opportunity to apply knowledge using realistic scenarios. This course should take approximately 2 hours to complete. It is divided into the following four modules:

- Module One: Hazardous Materials Regulations Overview
- Module Two: Classification
- Module Three: Packaging
- Module Four: Documentation

Objectives:

At the conclusion of this program, the participants will be able to:

- Classify specimens as an exempt human or animal specimen or either category A or category B infectious substance.
- Identify basic packaging concepts and processes for exempt human and animal specimens, category A and category B infectious substances and dry ice.
- List the documents required to accompany packages containing category A and category B infectious substances.
- Describe the documentation process for category A and category B infectious substances including specific differences dependent upon mode of transportation.

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SNS-100

Strategic National Stockpile: Guidance & Overview

LMS Course Completion Requirement:

"Message" TRAIN Certificate to Course Administrator

Continuing Education: 0**Course ID** 1017204**Enroll in LMS Course #:** [SNS-100](#)

This video archive program provides an introduction and overview of the Strategic National Stockpile (SNS). It is designed to provide information about the SNS program to organizations and personnel involved in emergency preparedness and response planning.

SNS-101

SNS Overview

LMS Course Completion Requirement:

"Message" TRAIN Certificate to Course Administrator

Continuing Education: 1 CHES; 1 CME; 0.1 Pharmacist Contact Hours; 1 ANCC: Contact Hours Continuing Nursing Education; 1 MCHES**TRAIN CE Course #:** WB 2273**Course ID** 1041004**Enroll in LMS Course #:** [SNS-101](#)

The course is designed to provide basic background information and definitions of federal agencies, stakeholders and other partners that will help understand all SNS operations during a public health event. The SNS Overview Course will fill the professional practice gap by providing the states and local agencies with information to manage SNS assets that may be deployed to sites during a public health emergency. The participants will learn the levels of support provided by the SNS, and the response concepts, the planning functions needed for consideration and operational requirements for receiving, distributing and dispensing of SNS material.

SNS-102

Mass Dispensing Overview: an SNS Perspective

LMS Course Completion Requirement:

"Message" TRAIN Certificate to Course Administrator

Continuing Education: 1 CHES; 1.25 CME; 1.08 ACPE- Contact Hours; 1.2 ANCC: Contact Hours Continuing Nursing Education; 1 MCHES**TRAIN CE Course #:** WB 2509**Course ID** 1054681**Enroll in LMS Course #:** [SNS-102](#)

This course will introduce you to the terminology and concepts of mass dispensing at the community level. "Mass dispensing" refers to the delivery of medications or vaccines to the public to address a public health threat; other terms used to describe this activity include "MCM dispensing" and "mass prophylaxis". Public health threats could include a bioterrorism event such as a release of anthrax into a community or a naturally occurring event such as a novel disease outbreak. This course provides a brief introduction to the steps that occur before medical countermeasures arrive in local jurisdictions and describes basic dispensing methods.

SNS-103

Closed Point of Dispensing Considerations: an SNS Perspective

LMS Course Completion Requirement:

"Message" TRAIN Certificate to Course Administrator

Continuing Education: 1.5 CME; .14 ACPE- Contact Hours; 1.4 ANCC: Contact Hours Continuing Nursing Education; 1.5 MCHES**TRAIN CE Course #:** WB 2509**Course ID** 1054681**Enroll in LMS Course #:** [SNS-103](#)

The Closed POD Planning course provides state and local agencies with information to manage Closed POD sites during a public health emergency. It covers planning functions for designing a system to quickly dispense prophylactic medications to the employees and their families. The course introduces common terminology and concepts of mass dispensing at the community level. Some locations may use other terminology.

CDC-CERC-01

Crisis and Emergency Risk Communication (CERC)

Provider: Centers for Disease Control & Prevention

Course Updated: 6/25/2014

Average Completion Time: 2hrs

Audience: Federal, state, and local public health professionals; healthcare professionals; emergency medical services professionals; preparedness partners; and civic and community leaders.

Continuing Education: 0.2 CEUs

Enroll in LMS Course #: [CDC-CERC-01](#)

At the conclusion of the training, the participant will be able to do the following:

- Explain Crisis and Emergency Risk Communication (CERC) principles.
- Describe the psychology of a crisis and the type of messages each audience needs.
- Explain how to tailor messages.
- Define core concepts of crisis communication planning.
- Explain the roles of the media and spokesperson.
- Describe the benefits of social media and mobile media devices.

CDC-CERC-02

Crisis and Emergency Risk Communication (CERC): Pandemic Influenza

Provider: Centers for Disease Control & Prevention

Course Updated: 6/25/2014

Average Completion Time: 1/2 hr

Audience: Federal, state, and local public health professionals; healthcare professionals; emergency medical services professionals; preparedness partners; and civic and community leaders.

Continuing Education: None

Enroll in LMS Course #: [CDC-CERC-02](#)

After completing the training, the participant will be able to do the following:

- Describe the psychology of a severe pandemic.
- Describe how to meet the public's needs through effective messages.
- Explain why stigmatization occurs.
- Explain strategies officials can use to respond to stigmatization.
- Recognize the importance of strengthening community hardiness and personal resilience to provide the optimum opportunity for recovery from the crisis.
- Analyze the ways that information technology and new media influence communication decisions and pandemic preparedness.

CDC-RAD

Radiation Basics Made Simple

Provider: Centers for Disease Control

Average Completion Time: 1.5 hrs

LMS Course Completion Requirement:

"Message" Certificate to Course Administrator

Continuing Education: 0.1 CEUs, 1.4 CNEs, 1.5 CMEs

Enroll in LMS Course #: [CDC-RAD](#)

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Radiation Studies Branch announces the launch of *Radiation Basics Made Simple*, the first in a series of radiation preparedness training modules. *Radiation Basics Made Simple* introduces participants to the fundamentals of radiation and radioactivity.

CDC-PSYCH

Psychological First Aid in Radiation Disasters

Provider: Centers for Disease Control

Average Completion Time: 1.25 hrs

LMS Course Completion Requirement:

"Message" Certificate to Course Administrator

Continuing Education: 0.1 CEUs, 1.2 CNEs, 1.25 CMEs

Enroll in LMS Course #: [CDC-PSYCH](#)

Psychological First Aid in Radiation Disasters is a self-study training that uses interviews conducted with experts involved in the Goiania and Three Mile Island incidents, and video scenarios that allow participants to observe how psychological first aid techniques can be employed in a variety of response settings.

RSS-101

Receiving, Staging, and Storing (RSS) Training Video

LMS Course Completion Requirement:
"Message" TRAIN Certificate to Course Administrator

Continuing Education: 0

Course ID 1017208

Enroll in LMS Course #: [RSS-101](#)

This 14 minute videoarchive provides an overview of receiving, staging, and storing (RSS) Strategic National Stockpile (SNS) assets in the event of a public health crisis. It is designed to provide information to organizations and personnel involved in Strategic National Stockpile RSS functions.

PCEPN-EM101

Emergency Management for Primary Care Centers

Primary Care Emergency Preparedness Network (PCEPN) is co-led by the Community Health Care Association of New York State (CHCANYS) and the Primary Care Development Corporation (PCDC) and was created in close partnership with and support from the NYC Department of Health and Mental Hygiene Office of Emergency Preparedness and Response. PCEPN helps coordinate planning, training, and response services for the New York City primary care community so they can prepare for and respond to community and citywide needs in the event of a disaster or emergency on a local and regional level.

Provider: CHCANYS

Enroll in LMS#: [PCEPN-EM101](#)

Please contact the PCEPN team at info@pcepn.org with any questions or concerns.

This 30 minute pre-recorded course will provide an overview of the four phases of emergency management, the key elements of an emergency management program and plan, staff roles, and the role of the primary care center in emergencies and disasters. This course is recommended for primary care staff of all levels. To receive a certificate of completion for this course please take the pre-test and the post-test.
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FEMA IS-100.B

Introduction to Incident Command System

Provider: FEMA Independent Study
Course Updated: 10/31/2013
On-line Course: Yes
Average Completion Time: 3hrs
LMS Course Completion Requirement:
 "Message" FEMA Certificate to Course Administrator
Continuing Education: 0.3 CEUs
Enroll in LMS Course #: [FEMA IS-100.B](#)

ICS 100, Introduction to the Incident Command System, introduces the Incident Command System (ICS) and provides the foundation for higher level ICS training. This course describes the history, features and principles, and organizational structure of the Incident Command System. It also explains the relationship between ICS and the National Incident Management System (NIMS).

FEMA IS-200.B

ICS for Single resources and Initial Action Incidents

Provider: FEMA Independent Study
Course Updated: 10/31/2013
On-line Course: Yes
Average Completion Time: 3 hrs
LMS Course Completion Requirement:
 "Message" FEMA Certificate to Course Administrator
Continuing Education: 0.3 CEUs
Enroll in LMS Course #: [FEMA IS-200.B](#)

ICS 200 is designed to enable personnel to operate efficiently during an incident or event within the Incident Command System (ICS). ICS-200 provides training on and resources for personnel who are likely to assume a supervisory position within the ICS.

FEMA IS-700.A

National Incident Management System (NIMS) An Introduction

Provider: FEMA Independent Study
Course Updated: 10/31/2013
On-line Course: Yes
Average Completion Time: 3 hrs
LMS Course Completion Requirement:
 "Message" FEMA Certificate to Course Administrator
Continuing Education: 0.3 CEUs
Enroll in LMS Course #: [FEMA IS-700.A](#)

This course introduces and overviews the National Incident Management System (NIMS). NIMS provides a consistent nationwide template to enable all government, private-sector, and nongovernmental organizations to work together during domestic incidents.

FEMA IS-800.B

National Response Framework, An Introduction

Provider: FEMA Independent Study
Course Updated: 1/20/2017
On-line Course: Yes
Average Completion Time: 3 hrs
LMS Course Completion Requirement:
 "Message" FEMA Certificate to Course Administrator
Continuing Education: 0.3 CEUs
Enroll in LMS Course #: [FEMA IS-800.B](#)

The course introduces participants to the concepts and principles of the National Response Framework.

Course Objectives:

At the end of this course, you will be able to describe:

- The purpose of the National Response Framework.
- The response doctrine established by the National Response Framework.
- The roles and responsibilities of entities as specified in the National Response Framework.
- The actions that support national response.
- The response organizations used for multiagency coordination.
- How planning relates to national preparedness.

Columbia Regional Learning Center Online Courses Available for Tracking in the LMS

All courses below are offered through CRLC
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Communicating Around Mass Trauma: Implications for Public Health and Response	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-CLIN 1601
Basics of Emergency Risk Communication	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-COM 1301
Risk Communication for High Risk and At-Risk Populations	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-COM 2302
Chemical Emergencies and the Role of Public Health	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-ENV 1703
Sea Level Rise and Flood Risk for Long Island Sound	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-ENV 3705
The Nurse's Role and Climate Change	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-ENV 3711
Conducting Research in a Post Disaster Setting	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-EPI 1402
Rapid Needs Assessment with Hand Held Devices	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-EPI 2401
Spatial Approaches to Disaster Epidemiology: Dr. Snow Meets the Rev. Bayes	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-EPI 3404
Elements of Leadership: Decision-Making & Problem Solving Under Emergency Conditions	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-MGMT 1201
Advanced Topics in Point of Dispensing (POD): Design, Management, and Evaluation	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-POD 2501
Fundamentals of Emergency Preparedness (Formerly: Basic Emergency Preparedness for All Public Health Workers)	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-PREP 1101
Personal Emergency Preparedness: Planning for the Public Health Workers (English and Spanish)	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-PREP 1110
Methods of Risk Assessment in Planning for Disasters	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-PREP 1112
Chem Rad Bio: Fundamentals for the Public Health Workforce	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-PREP 2102
Looking Ahead: Mitigating the Health Consequences of Future Disasters	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-PREP 2106
State of the Science: The Health and Mental Health Consequences of Catastrophic Events	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-PSY 2902
Dealing with Disaster Related Trauma in Children	Enroll in LMS Course: CRLC-VUL 3801

**Prerequisite: Climate Change and Public Health 101 - Northeast Edition**

20 minute online course! This course focuses on the public health impacts from climate change that are of most concern to the Northeast and what local health departments can do to mitigate and prevent them.

Enroll in LMS: [BRACE-Climate101](#)

Webinar 1 - NYS Department of Health: Climate & Health Profile (Originally Aired March 30, 2016)**Presenter: Asante Shipp Hilts**

The webinar will describe the changing NYS climate, climate-related health impacts, vulnerable populations, methods for assessing vulnerability, challenges and opportunities, existing NYS initiatives and collaborations, and implementation of the NYSDOH Climate and Health Strategic Map.

Enroll in LMS: [Reg2PHTC-Climate1](#)

Webinar 2 - Climate & Health Research in NYS / Hazard Vulnerability Analysis Process in IL (Originally Aired April 13, 2016)

Presenters: Dr. Shao Lin, University at Albany, School of Public Health; Elena Grossman, University of Illinois at Chicago, BRACE-Illinois Project

The first part of the webinar describes the results of multiple projects assessing whether extreme heat and cold affect multiple health outcomes and their vulnerabilities. Dr. Lin will also discuss how Hurricane Sandy affected human health in NY. The strategies and activities involved in translating research findings to public health practice are highlighted.

The second part of the webinar focuses on guidelines developed by the Building Resilience Against Climate Effects (BRACE) Illinois Project. The webinar describes how local health departments can use these guidelines to incorporate climate change into their Hazard Vulnerability Analysis (HVA) process and assess these new risks and vulnerabilities to the public health system so they can address the possibility that extreme weather events will become more frequent and severe.

Enroll in LMS: [Reg2PHTC-Climate2](#)

Webinar 3 - Ahmedabad Heat Action Plan – Improving city resilience against extreme heatwave (Originally Aired April 19, 2016)

Presenter: Dr. Partha Sarthi Ganguly, Indian Institute of Public Health, Gandhinagar, Climate Health Initiatives

The session will describe how the first Heat Action Plan of South East Asia got into action, its impacts, and policy implications based on the evidence generated. It will also describe the scaling up of this initiative and the cascading effect of huge networking and focus on climate change and health in India and neighboring countries.

Enroll in LMS: [Reg2PHTC-Climate3](#)



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- Craig Katz, MD
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**UASPH-CPHP-2016 Climate Change and Zoonosis Overview**

1 hour online Course by Millicent Eidson, MA, DVM, DACVPM (Epid.) Professor , UAlbany School of Public Health

Enroll in LMS#: [UASPH-CPHP-2016 Climate Change and Zoonosis Overview](#)

This lesson provides an overview of zoonotic diseases, climate change, potential impacts of Climate Change on human and non-human animal health, vulnerable populations, One health Approach and Mitigation efforts.

After completing this course, the learner will be able to:

- Identify the causes of climate change
- Describe the potential impact of climate change on zoonotic disease
- Describe mitigation efforts

UASPH-CPHP-20150521 CDR HEPC Pediatric Trauma

1 hour online video training, CEUs available

Enroll in LMS#: [UASPH-CPHP-20150521 CDR HEPC Pediatric Trauma](#)

This training will provide a broad overview of potential care needs for the pediatric patient involved in a disaster. This 1 hour training is part of a full-day training coordinated by the Capital District Regional Health Emergency Preparedness Coalition.

After completing this training, the learner will be able to:

- Identify the primary challenges related to trauma care of the pediatric patient
- Identify the surgical interventions critical to the care of pediatric trauma patients

Topics covered include: *Epidemiology of Pediatric Trauma * Pediatric Injury Patterns * Imaging in Pediatric Trauma

* Pediatric ABCDE's and Pitfalls (clinical decision rules) * Pediatric Pain * Triage of Pediatric Trauma in NYS

UACPHP-20150520 CDR HEPC Pediatric Disaster Mental Health

1 hour online video training, CEUs available

Enroll in LMS#: [UASPH-CPHP-20150520 Pediatric Disaster Mental Health](#)

This training will provide a brief overview of potential mental health care needs for the pediatric patient involved in a disaster. This 1 hour training is part of a full-day training coordinated by the Capital District Regional Health Emergency Preparedness Coalition.

After completing this training, the learner will be able to:

- Understand the responses to traumatic events that are typically seen in children and teens
- Know how to select and/or deliver psychological interventions that are empirically proven to be helpful with children and teens after a disaster

Topics covered include: 1. Typical emotional and behavioral responses of children to highly stressful events by developmental age.:

2. Psychological First Aid ; 3. Information-gathering techniques ; 4. Assessment of survivors' immediate needs;
5. Implementation of supportive activities.

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UASPH-CPHP-20150522 CDR HEPCC Respiratory Problems in the Pediatric Patient**1 hour online video training, CEUs available****Enroll in LMS#:** [UASPH-CPHP-20150522 CDR HEPCC Respiratory Problems in the Pediatric Patient](#)

This training will provide a broad overview of potential respiratory care needs for the pediatric patient involved in an emergency/disaster situation. This was part of a 1 day training sponsored by the Capital District Regional Health Emergency Preparedness Coalition.

At the conclusion of the presentation, the participants will be able to:

- Identify clinical challenges in critical care of the pediatric respiratory patient
- Describe emerging clinical modalities for the care of pediatric critical care patients

Topics covered include: Epidemiology • Signs of respiratory distress in children (stridor, asthma, wheezing, ALTE, etc.) • Acute management strategies • Advances in respiratory care (high frequency percussive ventilation and other trials.) • Challenges (including resources)

UASPH-CPHP-20150523 CDR HEPCC Pediatric Infectious Disease**1 hour online video training, CEUs available****Enroll in LMS#:** [UASPH-CPHP-20150523 CDR HEPCC Pediatric Infectious Disease](#)

This training will provide a broad overview of potential care needs for the pediatric patient involved in an emergency/disaster situation. This training is part of a 1 day training sponsored by the Capital District Regional Health Emergency Preparedness Coalition.

At the conclusion of the presentation, the participants will be able to:

- Identify clinically emergent infectious diseases through visual diagnosis
- Describe the clinical course of emergent infectious diseases
- Review evidenced-based recommendations in the management of emergent infectious diseases

Topics covered include: • Epidemiology and pathogens of emerging infectious diseases • Symptomatology • Diagnosis • Treatment and management strategies

UASPH-CPHP-20150524 CDR HEPCC Pediatric Triage**1 hour online video training, CEUs available****Enroll in LMS#:** [UASPH-CPHP-20150524 CDR HEPCC Pediatric Triage](#)

This training will provide a broad overview of potential care needs for the pediatric patient involved in an emergency/disaster situation. This was part of a 1 day training sponsored by the Capital District Regional Health Emergency Preparedness Coalition.

At the conclusion of the presentation, the participants will be able to:

- Recognize the need to prepare for Pediatric disasters
- Identify the basic steps involved in pediatric disaster triage
- Describe the fundamental difference between adult and pediatric disaster triage

Topics covered include: • Pediatric Disaster Preparedness in Emergency Departments • Unique anatomical and physiological properties in pediatric patients in disasters • Principles of Pediatric Triage • Triage tools & algorithms (START vs. SALT) • PEARLS/Pitfalls of Pediatric triage



Biosurveillance Toolkit:

The Biosurveillance Toolkit was created by the North Carolina Preparedness and Emergency Response Research Center (NCPERRC) at the North Carolina Institute for Public Health (NCIPH) with support from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). The Toolkit provides resources relevant to your work in improving biosurveillance.

The toolkit consists of Research, Online Training, Webinar Highlights and Resources.

View the Toolkit at <http://sph.unc.edu/nciph/biosurveillance-toolkit/>

Emerging Issue: Zika Virus Podcast

NCIPH and the UNC Gillings School of Global Public Health hosted a special *Public Health Behind the Scenes* podcast with public health law experts around the country working behind the scenes on the Zika virus outbreak.

Enroll in LMS: [NCIPH-Zika](#)

NCIPH Basics of Public Health Preparedness Training

NCIPH-HEP_ADVPREP1	Introduction to Public Health Preparedness for Preparedness Staff (Basics of Public Health Preparedness, Module 1)
NCIPH-HEP_PREPPLAN	Public Health Preparedness Planning (Basics of Public Health Preparedness, Module 2)
NCIPH-HEP_HSEEP	Public Health Preparedness Exercises (Basics of Public Health Preparedness, Module 3)
NCIPH-HEP_PREPMCM	Medical Countermeasures (Basics of Public Health Preparedness, Module 4)
NCIPH-HEP_RESHLTH	Responder Health and Safety (Basics of Public Health Preparedness, Module 5)
NCIPH-HEP_RESPPE	Occupational Health for Public Health Responders (Basics of Public Health Preparedness, Module 6)
NCIPH-HEP_BEHAVPREP	Disaster Behavioral Health (Basics of Public Health Preparedness, Module 7)
NCIPH-HEP_PARTVOL	Working with Community Partners (Basics of Public Health Preparedness, Module 8)
NCIPH-HEP_DISEPI	Disaster Epidemiology (Basics of Public Health Preparedness, Module 9)
NCIPH-HEP_PREPCOMM	Risk Communication (Basics of Public Health Preparedness, Module 10)

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