

## Medical Countermeasure (MCM) Distribution and Dispensing Training LHD BPR-7 and HPP Deliverable #8

### Background

Medical countermeasure distribution and dispensing is the ability of county health departments and healthcare facilities to provide vaccines, antivirals drugs, antibiotics, etc. in support of treatment or prophylaxis during an emergency.

### Goal

This regional in-person training will highlight aspects of medical countermeasure dispensing which are critical to success planning and response:

- Identification of MCM dispensing and distribution strategies;
- Overview of Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) program that provides nerve agent antidotes in secure locations for rapid deployment (CHEMPACK);
- Counties in New York that are prepared to respond quickly to provide medical countermeasures to a population;
- CDC's operational readiness review (ORR) process to ensure states can rapidly dispense medicines during an emergency;
- NYSDOH's cache of medicines, medical supplies and equipment that are available during an emergency; and
- How to plan for the dispensing of medical countermeasures to a targeted population

### Target Audience

Local health departments (LHDs) and healthcare preparedness planners who need to understand state and community planning for MCM distribution and dispensing as it applies to their organization or facility.

### NYSDOH Presenters:

- Office of Health Emergency Preparedness (OHEP) Staff, (TBD)
- Lou Ann Lance- Public Health Program Nurse, Bureau of Communicable Disease Control

### Regional Training Dates – Choose One

(Address and room location for sites can be found in LMS under Course Details)

- October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2017 9am-4 pm: Erie County Fire Training Facility, Cheektowaga, NY
- October 25<sup>th</sup>, 2017, 9am-4 pm: Ontario County Public Health, Canandaigua, NY
- November 14<sup>th</sup>, 2017, 9am-4 pm: Dutchess County Fire Training Center, Poughkeepsie, NY
- November 15<sup>th</sup>, 2017, 9am-4 pm: SUNY Stony Brook, Stony Brook, NY
- November 30<sup>th</sup>, 2017, 9am-4 pm: Six Flags Great Escape Lodge and Indoor Water Park, Queensbury, NY
- December 6<sup>th</sup>, 2017, 9am – 4pm: Comfort Inn and Suites, Cicero, NY

*Please note- Attendance at any one training will fulfill the MCM Distribution and Dispensing Training LHD BPR-7 and HPP #8 deliverables.*

### Registration

To register for training click on <https://www.nylearnsph.com> and search Course Catalog for **OHEP-MCM-2017**.

### Questions Regarding Training

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