

14th Annual Directors of Public Health Preparedness Meeting

Pre-Meeting Sessions

Thomas P. O’Neill, Jr. Federal Building
200 C Street, SW
Washington, D.C.

Monday, October 15

- 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.** **ASPR Listening Session**
Located in Lower Level Conference Center
- 4:30 p.m. – 5:30 p.m.** **Classified Briefing**
Located in Sycamore

DPHP Meeting
Westin Alexandria
400 Courthouse Square
Alexandria, VA

Tuesday, October 16

- 7:30 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.** **Registration**
Located in the Edison Foyer
- 8:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m.** **Welcome**
- **Jim Blumenstock, MA** Program Chief, Health Security, ASTHO
 - **Michael Fraser, PhD, MS, CAE, FCPP,** CEO, ASTHO
 - **H. Bruce “Jeff” Jeffries, PA, MA,** DPHP Chair and Deputy Director, Health Protection, Georgia Department of Public Health
- 9:00 a.m. – 9:45 a.m.** **ASTHO Preparedness: Past to Present**
- **Gerrit Bakker,** Senior Director, Preparedness, ASTHO

- 9:45 a.m. – 10:15 a.m. The National Academies Committee on Evidence-Based Practices for Public Health Preparedness and Response**
Provide an overview of this National Academies committee, which has been charged with conducting a comprehensive review and grading of public health preparedness and response practices.
- **Dr. Julie Casani**, Committee Member, and Medical Director of Student Health Services, North Carolina State University
- 10:15 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. Morning Networking Break**
- 10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. Department of Homeland Security**
- **Duane Caneva, MD, MS**, Chief Medical Officer, Countering Weapons of Mass Destruction, Department of Homeland Security
- 11:00 a.m. – 11:45 p.m. Keynote Address**
- **Dr. Robert Kadlec**, Health and Human Services, Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response
- 12:00 p.m. – 1:00 p.m. Lunch** *(Provided with General Admission only)*
- 1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. Peer-to-Peer Panel: EMAC and Mutual Aid**
To improve communication and collaboration for ESF-8 EMAC deployments.
- **Moderator: Andrew Pickett**, Director, Pennsylvania Department of Health, Bureau of Public Health Preparedness
 - **Panelist: Christie Luce**, Bureau Chief, Florida Department of Health Preparedness and Response
 - **Panelist: Michael Primaueu**, Director, Office of Health Emergency Preparedness, New York State Department of Health
 - **Panelist: Tim Wiedrich**, Section Chief, Division of Preparedness and Response, North Dakota Department of Health
- 2:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Networking Activity**
- 3:00 p.m. – 3:15 p.m. Afternoon Networking Break**
- 3:15 p.m. – 4:45 p.m. Administrative Systems Activity**
Facilitated activity to determine administrative challenges with the current grants management system with the purpose to prioritize and formulate DPHP-driven solutions.

4:45 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Preparedness Impact Project 2018 – 2019

The vision of the Preparedness Impact Project is to protect America's health, safety, and security by ensuring the sustainability of preparedness funding through communication and policy efforts.

- **Michael Loehr, CEM**, Chief, Office of Emergency Preparedness and Response, Washington Department of Health
- **Chris Paquet, MPA**, Senior Director of Policy and Strategic Initiatives, Office of Emergency Preparedness and Response, New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene

5:00 p.m.

Meeting Adjourns

5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.

DPHP Executive Committee Meeting

Located in Edison A

Wednesday, October 17

8:00 a.m. – 8:30 a.m.

Registration

Located in the Edison Foyer

8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m.

Keynote Address

- **Dr. Stephen Redd**, Director, Office of Public Health Preparedness and Response, and Head of the Office for Service and Implementation Science (proposed), CDC

9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m.

Hurricane Florence

- **Kimberly Clement**, North Carolina Healthcare Preparedness Director
- **Brian Combs**, Branch Head and Director, Public Health Preparedness and Response, Division of Public Health, Epidemiology Section, North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services

9:30 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

Peer-to-Peer Panel: Hepatitis A Outbreaks

A look at the widespread Hep. A outbreaks from the lens of both state and federal responses, including resources from CDC for jurisdictions responding to outbreaks.

- **Moderator: Paul Petersen**, PharmD, Director, Emergency Preparedness Program, Tennessee Department of Health
- **Panelist: Susan Fanelli**, Chief Deputy Director of Policy and Programs, California Department of Public Health
- **Panelist: Sapna Bamrah Morris, MD, MBA**, Incident Manager – ICS Hepatitis A Response, Division of Viral Hepatitis, CDC
- **Panelist: Linda Scott, RN, BSN, MA**, Director, Bureau of EMS, Trauma and Preparedness, Michigan Department of Health and Human Services

10:30 a.m. – 10:45 a.m. Morning Networking Break

10:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. Federal Partner Engagement: CDC

CDC will provide an overview to discuss best or promising practices for advancing public health emergency preparedness and response readiness.

- **Christine Kosmos, R.N., B.S.N., M.S.**, Director, Division of State and Local Readiness, Center for Preparedness and Response
- **Adam Lofton, MBA, MPH, MS**, CDR, USPHS, Deputy Branch Chief, Capacity Building Branch, Division of State and Local Readiness, Center for Preparedness and Response

12:15 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. Lunch *(Provided with General Admission only)*

1:15 p.m. – 2:15 p.m. Business Meeting

- **H. Bruce “Jeff” Jeffries, PA, MA**, DPHP Chair and Deputy Director, Health Protection, Georgia Department of Public Health
- **Gerrit Bakker**, Senior Director, Preparedness, ASTHO

2:15 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. Afternoon Networking Break

2:30 p.m. – 3:30 p.m. Peer-to-Peer Panel: 1 October – Las Vegas Peer Assessment

Presenters share their perspectives on the Las Vegas peer assessment and highlight ways in which the peer assessment program is valuable to coalitions, jurisdictions and the HPP program to learn successes, challenges and opportunities for improvement locally and nationally.

- **Moderator: Michael Loehr, CEM**, Chief, Office of Emergency Preparedness and Response, Washington Department of Health
- **Panelist: Chris Emory**, Chief, Bureau of Health Emergency Management, New Mexico Department of Health

- **Panelist: Kelly H. Nadeau**, Director Healthcare Preparedness Program, Georgia Department of Public Health
- **Panelist: Michelle Seitz, BSEM, MSHSM**, Health Emergency Preparedness Planner, Office of Preparedness and Emergency Health Care Division of Public Health Wisconsin Department of Health Services

3:30 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.

National Governor's Association Program

An opportunity for states to share best practices around developing and implementing recommendations for addressing legal, regulatory, or administrative barriers impeding the response to a public health emergency.

- **Moderator: Maggie Brunner**, Program Director, Homeland Security and Public Safety Division, National Governors Association
- **Panelist: Teresa Ehnert, MA**, Chief, Bureau of Public Health Emergency Preparedness, Arizona Department of Health Services
- **Panelist: Judy Kern**, Chief, Office of Public Health Preparedness, Hawaii State Department of Health
- **Panelist: Brendan McCluskey, JD, MPA**, Director of Emergency Management, New Jersey Department of Health
- **Panelist: Winfred Rawls, MBA, MS**, Deputy Director, Office of Preparedness and Response, Illinois Department of Public Health
- **Panelist: Akiko Saito, MPH, MPA**, Director of Emergency Operations, Oregon Health Authority

4:15 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Unite the Right - ANTIFA Protests in Charlottesville, VA: A Case Study in Health Response Organization

Overview of the roles and missions of Public Health and Healthcare Coalitions during civil unrest events and the integration into the Public Safety Organization.

- **Ron Clinedinst**, Northwest Regional Healthcare Coordinator, Virginia Hospital and Healthcare Association
- **Michael Keatts**, Northwest Region Health Emergency Coordinator, Virginia Department of Health
- **Robert Mauskapf**, Director, Office of Emergency Preparedness, Virginia Department of Health
- **Ryan McKay, MPA**, Local Health Emergency Coordinator, Thomas Jefferson Health District

5:00 p.m. **Meeting Adjourns**

5:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. **Heartland Coalition Meeting**
Located in Edison A

Thursday, October 18

7:00 a.m. – 8:00 a.m. **Breakfast** *(Provided with General Admission only)*
Located in Edison Foyer

8:00 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. **ASPR emPOWER**
Provide an overview of the initial activation of this program, five years of evolution and use during emergencies, and plans to expand the reach of this tool.

- **Kristen Finne**, Program Manager, HHS emPOWER Program, Senior Program Analyst, HHS/ASPR/EMMO/Readiness

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m. **Federal Partner Engagement: ASPR**
ASPR will provide an overview to discuss the Regional Disaster Health Response System and repatriation planning.

- **Melissa Harvey**, Director, NHPP, ASPR
- **Joseph Lamana**, ASPR
- **John Lowe**, Nebraska Medicine
- **David Reisman**, Massachusetts General Hospital

10:30 a.m. – 11:00 a.m. **Networking Break & Check Out**

11:00 a.m. – 11:45 a.m. **Hot Topics & DPHP Engagement**

- **Jim Blumenstock, MA**, Program Chief, Health Security, ASTHO

11:45 a.m. – 12:15 p.m. **ASTHO Preparedness Priorities & Wrap Up**

- **Gerrit Bakker**, Senior Director, Preparedness, ASTHO

12:15 p.m. **Meeting Adjourns**