



# WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

01.29.2025

## MEDICAL SURGE RESPONSE EXERCISE

**February 5th, 2025 from 9 - 12pm**

Region 7 HCC will be conducting their annual MRSE in coordination with all other regional coalitions.

Region 7 HCC monthly communication drill will be conducted at the same time.

Please check your email for additional information.

## PEDIATRIC CONFERENCE

**March 12, 2025 from 9-4:30pm**

There will be a statewide Virtual Pediatric Readiness Conference on March 12, 2025.

Region 7 will reserve a room at the University Center for partners who want to participate in a collaborative discussion while viewing virtually.

For more questions, please contact Dr. Sam Mishra.

[Registration & More Information](#)

## STATE BURN COORDINATING CENTER

**Training dates 2025:**

- February 25, 2025
- May 20, 2025
- August 25, 2025
- November 10, 2025

Email [separviz@med.umich.edu](mailto:separviz@med.umich.edu) for more information.

## CERTIFIED HEALTHCARE EMERGENCY COORDINATOR (CHEC)

**May 21-23rd, 2025**

Registration is now open for the CHEC courses. Each region will get three seats to fill. *Region 7 has only 1 seat left.* The potential student(s) should be willing to attend all three days of the Basic and Advanced CHEC courses.

A second round of registration will occur after February 10.

If you are interested, please email Lindsay Meisner the name of attendee and email.

# REGION 2 NORTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE

**March 26, 2025**

Region 2 North Healthcare Coalition Annual Conference on March 26, 2025 from **8:30 a.m. to 3:45 p.m.** Continuing education credits will be offered.

Topics of this conference include:

- Michigan Risks and Response to External Threats
- Cyber Security for Healthcare
- Effects of Trauma on First Responders
- Pediatrics as a Special Population
- State and Regional Updates

## EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS FOR SKILLED NURSING

**April 23, 2025 from 1-2pm**

This webinar series covers various aspects of emergency preparedness for Skilled Nursing Facilities (SNFs).

Participants will gain valuable knowledge, including insights into regulatory requirements, risk assessments and planning, and training and exercising, to provide them with additional tools for safeguarding the well-being of residents and staff during emergencies.

**CEUs AVAILABLE!**

**Additional dates are:**

- July 23, 2025

[Register for Webinar Series](#)

[Previous Recorded Sessions](#)

# 8TH ANNUAL NORTH AMERICAN ACTIVE ASSAILANT CONFERENCE

**June 4-6th, 2025**

June 4th - full-day pre-conference  
On June 5-6, the general conference will take place with eight (8) collaborative debriefs of recent domestic and international tragedies.

[Conference Flyer](#)

[Registration](#)

## AWR-232: MASS FATALITIES PLANNING AND RESPONSE FOR RURAL COMMUNITIES

**May 22nd, 2025**

BEPESoC is hosting a free, 8-hour DHS/FEMA-certified training class designed to equip our community with essential skills in mass fatality planning and response. This course is specifically tailored for rural and Tribal communities, ensuring that you and your team are prepared for any situation.

Class Location – Mid-Michigan Community College, 2600 South Summerton Road, Mt. Pleasant, MI, 48858.

[Register For AWR: 232](#)

[Obtain FEMA ID \(If You Do Not Have One\)](#)

## CRISIS STANDARDS OF CARE

The [ASPR TRACIE Express: November 2024 Update](#) has several resources available and webinars to attend.

- [Crisis Standards of Care Considerations](#)
- [Intravenous Fluid Shortage Strategies](#)
- [Shortage Strategies and Resources: Peritoneal Dialysis Solution](#)
- [National Healthcare Coalition Preparedness Conference](#)
- [Palliative Care Annex](#)
- [Crisis Standards of Care Indicators and Triggers](#)

## STRENGTHENING CYBER DEFENSES: CISA'S FREE VULNERABILITY SCANNING SERVICES

[CISA Vulnerability Scanning Tool](#)

## ASPR TRACIE RESOURCE SPOTLIGHT: CRISIS STANDARDS OF CARE CONSIDERATIONS: PHARMACEUTICAL AND SUPPLY SHORTAGES

Crisis Standards of Care (CSC) originally assumed the conditions causing patients to be placed at risk would be pervasive and due to a catastrophic disaster. During the COVID-19 pandemic, many pharmaceutical products, including vaccines, monoclonal antibodies, and remdesivir, had to be rationed. Even in the absence of a disaster situation, frequent product shortages – such as RhoGAM, blood products, radiologic contrast, chemotherapy agents, blood culture bottles, and intravenous fluids – place patients at substantial risk of a poor health outcome.

[Tip Sheet](#)

Feb. 13 - BDLS - Virtual

<https://register3.ndlsf.org/enrol/index.php?id=3601>

Registration opens January 13th

March 8 - ADLS - In-person

Location: Ogemaw Heights High School, 960 M-33, West Branch, MI 48661

Cost: This course is grant funded and provided at no cost to Michigan residents. Contact Judy Wheeler at [judy.wheeler@wmed.edu](mailto:judy.wheeler@wmed.edu) with any questions.

Prerequisites: BDLS 3.0

Link to register: <https://register3.ndlsf.org/course/view.php?id=3604>

Registration opens January 1st, 2025

April 18th, 2025

[Register Here](#) for April 18, 2025 Enrollment Code: R6VBDSL041825

June 6th, 2025

[Register Here](#) for June 6, 2025 Enrollment Code: R6VBDSL060925

Free to all!!!



## Coming to Michigan!!

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Date: Friday March 7, 2025

Where: Traverse City National Guard Armory  
1402 Carlisle Rd. Traverse City, MI 49696

When : 8:30am - 10:30am EST

Who: Veterans, First Responders, Guidance Counselors,  
—Mental Health Professionals, Community Members -  
Recommended age 18 yrs or older

### Resources Available

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Questions: Carl: (906) 458-6403 or Pam: (906) 360-3890





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Date: Friday March 7, 2025

Where: Alpena Community College  
665 Johnson St. Alpena, MI 49707

When : 1:30pm - 3:30pm EST

Who: Veterans, First Responders, Guidance Counselors,  
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