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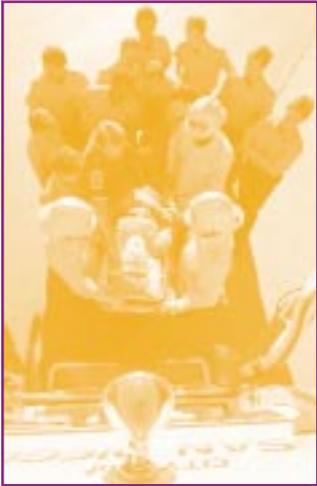


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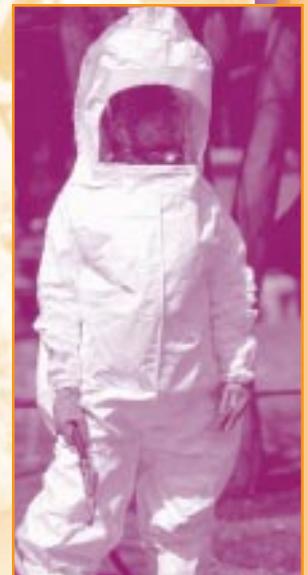
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FRIDAY, JANUARY 24, 2003 (PRE-CONFERENCE)

7:30 am – 8:00 am Registration

SESSION # 1 (HAZMAT Operations)

8:00 am – 4:30 pm Hazardous Materials (HAZMAT) Awareness Level Certification

SESSION # 2 (PIO)

8:00 am – 4:30 pm Public Information Officer's (PIO) FEMA Two Day Course

SESSION # 3 (Clinical)

8:00 am – 4:30 pm Hospital Provider Course

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

SATURDAY, JANUARY 25, 2003 (PRE-CONFERENCE)

7:00 am – 8:00 am Conference Registration

SESSION # 1 (HAZMAT Operations)

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Prerequisite - Awareness Level

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8:00 am – 4:30 pm Hospital Emergency Incident Command System (H.E.I.C.S.)

12:00 pm – 1:00 pm LUNCH ON YOUR OWN

SUNDAY, JANUARY 26, 2003

7:00 am – 4:00 pm Conference Registration

SESSION # 1 (HAZMAT Operations)

8:00 am – 4:30 pm Hazardous Materials (HAZMAT) Operations Level Certification

SESSION # 2 Main Conference & Round Robin

8:00 am – 8:15 am Welcome

Mary Levenson, PhD

John Agwunobi, MD

Keynote – *Paul Maniscalco, MPA, PhD, (c) EMT/P*

8:15 am – 9:30 am Terrorism Response: Surviving the Rhetoric - Planning the Response
A Contemporary Threat Brief and Assessment of Capacity to Respond to Terrorism in the United States

9:30 am – 9:45 am Break

9:45 am – 10:15 am The Problem of Surge Capacity in America's Healthcare network

Kristi Koenig, MD

10:20 am – 10:35 am Department of Health Emergency Operations Current Initiatives

Ellery Gray, PhD

10:40 am – 11:40 am Telemedicine

Michael Haney, PhD, NCC, LMHC, Adam Darkins, MD, MPH, FRCS, Ron Poropatich, COL, MD

11:45 am – 1:00 pm LUNCH

1:00 pm – 5:30 pm **ROUND ROBIN**

1:00 pm – 1:30 pm GPRMC/SMART Team Overview

LTC Donald Lett

1:40 pm – 2:10 pm Chemical

GPRMC/SMART

2:20 pm – 2:50 pm Biological

GPRMC/SMART

3:00 pm – 3:30 pm Radiological/Nuclear

GPRMC/SMART

3:40 pm – 4:10 pm Telemedicine

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4:20 pm – 4:50 pm BURN

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5:00 pm – 5:30 pm Trauma

GPRMC/SMART

MONDAY, JANUARY 27, 2003

7:00 am – 4:00 pm Conference Registration

SESSION # 1 Comprehensive Emergency Management

8:00 am – 8:50 am	Department of Health & Human Services (DHHS) Initiative and Response Assets	J. Gary Sirmons, MS
9:00 am – 9:50 am	Incident Action Planning	Bill Dart
10:00 am – 10:50 am	JCAHO Emergency Management Standards	Pete Brewster
11:00 am – 11:50 pm	Disaster Mental Health	Francheska Austin, MSW
11:50 am – 1:00 pm	LUNCH	
1:00 pm – 1:50 pm	FDOH Initiatives	Ellery Gray, PhD
2:00 pm – 2:50 pm	Netherlands Terrorism Initiatives	Theo VanStiphout, RN
3:00 pm – 3:50 pm	The Threat: Critical Issues for the Healthcare Industry	Paul Kim, MD
4:00 pm – 4:50 pm	EOC Design and Operations	Gary Vickors Tom Leto, CEM, FPEM

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SESSION # 3 (Clinical)

8:00 am – 8:10 am	Announcements	
8:15 am – 9:15 am	Recent National Initiatives in Emergency Management	Scott Lillibridge, MD
9:15 am – 10:00 am	Public Health Preparedness	Jack Pittman, MS
10:00 am – 10:15 am	Break	
10:15 am – 11:00 am	National Pharmaceutical Stockpile	David Teeter, PharmD, Jerry Hill
11:00 am – 11:45 am	Sample collection and laboratory analysis	Ming Chan, PhD
11:45 am – 11:50 am	Wrap Up	
11:50 pm – 1:00 pm	LUNCH	
1:00 pm – 1:50 pm	Research Based Solutions for Biological Terrorism	Theodore Cieslak, COL, MD
2:00 pm – 2:50 pm	Surveillance and Epidemiology for Bio-terrorism	Steven Wiersma, MD, MPH
2:50 pm – 3:00 pm	Break	
3:00 pm – 3:50 pm	Recognizing and Reporting a WMD Event	Cathy Carrubba, MD
4:00 pm – 4:50 pm	Emergency Health Preparedness and Bioterrorism	William Dice, MD, FACEP
4:50 pm – 5:00 pm	Closing	

TUESDAY, JANUARY 28, 2003

CONFERENCE FINAL DAY

8:00 am – 8:50 am	United Kingdom Emergency Preparedness Issues and How It Relates To Current Initiatives In The United States	Judith Fisher, MD
9:00 am – 9:50 am	Chemical Weapons of Mass Effect: Near and Long-Term Clinical Issues	Charles Hurst, COL, MD
9:50 am – 10:05 am	Break	
10:05 am – 10:50 am	Current WMD Preparedness in The Netherlands	Theo Van Stephout, RN
11:00 am – 11:50 am	Regional WMD Taskforce Initiatives	Jennifer Bencie, MD, MSA
11:50 am – 1:00 pm	LUNCH	
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Panel Discussion: Drs. Carrubba, Cieslak, Lillibridge, Koenig, Gray, Hurst, Bencie & Reid	
3:00 pm – 4:00 pm	Wrap Up	

PURPOSE

To provide education and training to responders, healthcare providers, emergency managers and others who may be involved in managing an incident involving Weapons of Mass Destruction (WMD)

TARGET AUDIENCE

Physicians, Physician Assistants, Nurses, Nurse Practitioners, EMT's, Paramedics, Healthcare Administrators, Managers and CEO's, Emergency Managers in Local, State and Federal roles, Public Health Officials, First Responders and other clinicians

OUTCOME OBJECTIVES - EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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

- Identify the current issues surrounding WMD
- Explain Crisis vs. Consequence management
- Describe roles of various levels of government, when responding to a WMD incident
- Define Incident Management
- Cite principles of management of health of responders
- Describe concepts of managing mass fatality incidents
- Demonstrate appropriate principles of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and decontamination in a WMD incident
- Explain potential roles and relationships of participants in WMD incidents
- Demonstrate effective inter and intra agency/organization communication and coordination

OUTCOME OBJECTIVES - HEALTHCARE FACILITY DECONTAMINATION

At the conclusion of this track, the participant will be able to:

- Understand and be able to discuss the risks first responders face when performing decontamination of victims exposed to hazardous materials
- Discuss the application of specific principles to ensure personal safety during hazardous material operations
- Identify the resources and appropriate notifications necessary during an incident involving hazardous materials
- Determine the appropriate level of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) for specific hazardous material incidents.
- Demonstrate decontamination procedures

OUTCOME OBJECTIVES - CLINICAL

At the conclusion of this track the participant will be able to:

- Describe the roles of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) in a WMD incident
- Cite specific areas of consideration for the Emergency Department in a WMD incident
- Cite the principles of assessment and care management for patients exposed to radionuclides, chemical and biological agents
- Describe the role of the laboratory in WMD incidents
- Demonstrate the ability to triage patients involved in a WMD incident

OUTCOME OBJECTIVES - PUBLIC INFORMATION OFFICERS

At the conclusion of this track the participant will be able to:

- Describe the role of a Public Information Officer in a WMD incident
- Cite specific areas of consideration for the information released to the media
- Cite the principles of assessment and the gathering of information to be disseminated
- Demonstrate the ability to disseminate information in a press conference setting

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