

# PREPAREDNESS PRACTICUM 2010

*Lessons Learned From Recent Disasters  
and Applicability to Planning*



**Wednesday, February 17, 2010**  
Earle Brown Heritage Center  
Brooklyn Center, MN

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## COURSE GOAL

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Enhance and improve the preparedness of Minnesota hospitals and care facilities by providing education from lessons learned to providers and other members of the preparedness team. The educational experience will include review of didactic information relevant to the planning and care practices of all involved in preparedness planning.

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

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This activity is planned for:

Physicians, Nurses, EMS Personnel, Public Safety, Local and State Health Departments, Clinics and Long Term Care Facilities, Behavioral Health Personnel, Chaplains, Emergency Managers, Homeland Security Emergency Management.

## LEARNING OBJECTIVES

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*Following this activity, participants should be able to:*

- 1) Identify the system and patient requirements during nursing home and hospital evacuations.
- 2) Anticipate the medical and logistical needs in a large special needs shelter.
- 3) Recognize the importance of behavioral health in a successful incident response.
- 4) Apply incident management techniques and structure to non-disaster events at healthcare facilities.
- 5) Apply communications, clinical skills, and coordination lessons learned during the 2009 H1N1 influenza pandemic.

## ACCREDITATION

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### **Physician Credit**

Hennepin County Medical Center is accredited by the Minnesota Medical Association (MMA) to provide continuing medical education for physicians. Hennepin County Medical Center designates this educational activity for a maximum of 6.0 *AMAPRA Category 1 Credits*<sup>TM</sup>. Physicians should only claim credit commensurate with the extent of their participation in the activity.

### **Nursing Credit**

This activity is designed to meet the Minnesota Board of Nursing's continuing medical education requirements. Nurses are responsible for determining whether this activity meets the requirements for acceptable continuing education credit.

### **Other Credit**

Other health care providers may use course materials to submit to their professional organizations for individual credit.

# **SCHEDULE**

## **PREPAREDNESS PRACTICUM 2010:**

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#### **MORNING**

7:00 AM Registration/Refreshments and Vendors OPEN

7:45 Welcome/Introductions/Course Objectives—Mark Lappe

8:00 FLEEING THE FARGO FLOODS:  
Evacuation of Healthcare/Long Term Care Facilities and Regional  
Coordination Issues – Don Sheldrew, Facilitator  
Panel: Bob Dablow, Ron Robinson, Lance Ross, Justin Taves

9:45 Refreshment Break and Vendor Exhibits

10:15 A HURRICANE OF SPECIAL NEEDS PATIENTS:  
Shelter Operations and Coordination, Harris County Public Health-Houston, TX  
Umair A.Shah, MD, Special Guest Presenter  
Panel: Karma Kumlin-Diers, Don Sheldrew

11:30 HEALTHCARE PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM GRANT UPDATE  
Mark Lappe

Noon Lunch and Networking

#### **AFTERNOON**

1:00 PM LINES BETWEEN THE BOXES: Behavior Health Issues in Disasters  
Jonathan Bundt

1:30 LEARNING FROM THE LITTLE THINGS: Applying Incident Command For Hospitals  
Jim Leste, Facilitator  
Panel: Mark Lappe, Andrew Yurek

2:30 Refreshment Break and Vendor Exhibits

3:00 H1N1 – Reviewing the Response  
Donna Blomquist, Facilitator  
Panel: Gina Adasiewicz, Kristen Ehresmann, Patsy Stinchfield, Megan Thompson

4:00 Adjourn. Collect evaluations and CME claim forms for the physicians.

## COURSE CHAIRMAN

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### **John L. Hick, MD**

Associate Professor of Emergency Medicine  
University of Minnesota Medical School  
Associate Medical Director, Emergency Medical Services  
Department of Emergency Medicine, Hennepin County Medical Center  
Minneapolis, MN

## COURSE FACULTY

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**Gina Adasiewicz, RN, PHN, MS**—Dakota County Public Health, Public Health Supervisor,-Emergency Preparedness, West St. Paul, MN

\***Donna Blomquist, RN**—Metro Regional Healthcare Preparedness Coordinator, Hospital Preparedness Program, Hennepin County Medical Center, Minneapolis, MN

**Jonathan Bundt, MA, LMFT**—Masa Consulting; Metro Region Behavioral Health Coordinator, Minneapolis, MN

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**Bob Dablow**—Physical Plant Director, Golden Living Center, Moorhead, MN

**Kristen B. Ehresmann, RN, MPH**—Director, Infectious Disease Epidemiology, Prevention & Control Division  
Minnesota Department of Health, St. Paul, MN

**Karma Kumlin-Diers**—Emergency Management Coordinator, Ramsey County Emergency Management Homeland Security, MN HSEM Metro Region Joint Powers Agreement Committee Sheltering and Shelter-in Place and Special Populations Planner, St. Paul, MN

\***Mark Lappe**—Administrative Manager, Hennepin County Medical Center Health Preparedness Program, Chair of Metro Hospital Compact, Minneapolis, MN

**Jim Leste, MS, CHSP**—Senior Director of Environmental Operations, Children’s Hospitals and Clinics of Minnesota, Minneapolis/St. Paul, MN, Metropolitan Hospital Compact Officer (Secretary), Adjunct Faculty Member, Saint Mary’s University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

**Ron Robinson**—Metropolitan Regional EMS, Minneapolis, MN

**Lance Ross**—Executive Director, Minnesota Ambulance Association, St. Paul, MN

**Umair A. Shah, MD, MPH**—Deputy Director Harris County Public Health & Environmental Services (HCPHES), Houston, TX

**Don Sheldrew, MSW, LICSW, NREMT-P**—At-Risk Populations Planner, Minnesota Department of Health, Office of Emergency Preparedness, Health System Preparedness Unit, St. Paul, MN

**Patsy Stinchfield**—Children’s Hospital, Minneapolis, MN

**Justin Taves**—West Central Region RHPC, Fargo, MN

**Megan Thompson, MA**—SNS/CRI State Planner, Office of Emergency Preparedness, MN Department of Health, St. Paul, MN

**Andrew Yurek, NREMT-P**—Northfield Hospital and Clinics, Safety/EMS Director, Chair of the Emergency Management Task Force for Northfield Hospital and Clinics, Northfield, MN

\*Conference Planning

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## LODGING

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\$99.00 Single, \$109.00 Double

## CONFERENCE CONTACT STAFF

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