Emergency Preparedness and Response

Active Shooter/Violence

- American Hospital Association: Active Shooter Incidents in Health Care Settings

- American Hospital Association: Workplace Violence Prevention Resources

- Federal Bureau of Investigation: Active Shooter Planning and Response in a Healthcare Setting

- MedPro Group: Active Shooter Preparedness and Response for Healthcare Practices

- MedPro Group: Checklist: Planning and Response for Active Shooter Situations

- MedPro Group: From Verbal Insults to Death: The Reality of Workplace Violence in Healthcare

- MedPro Group: Risk Q&A: Concealed Carry of Weapons in Healthcare Facilities

- Occupational Safety and Health Administration: Guidelines for Preventing Workplace Violence for Healthcare and Social Service Workers

- OR Manager: Preparing for Active Shooter Events

- StatPearls: Active Shooter Response

- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services: Incorporating Active Shooter Incident Planning into Health Care Facility Emergency Operations Plans

- U.S. Department of Homeland Security: Active Shooter: How to Respond

- U.S. Department of Homeland Security: Active Shooter Preparedness

Bioterrorism, Chemical Emergencies, Radiation, and Terrorism

- Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology: Infectious Disease Disasters: Bioterrorism, Emerging Infections, and Pandemics

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Bioterrorism

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Chemical Emergencies

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Radiation Emergencies

- County of Los Angeles, California: Terrorism Agent Information and Treatment Guidelines for Clinicians and Hospitals

- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services: Radiation Emergency Medical Management

Environmental Emergencies and Natural Disasters

- American College of Emergency Physicians: EMS and Disaster Preparedness

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Natural Disasters and Severe Weather

- Institute of Medicine: Crisis Standards of Care: A Systems Framework for Catastrophic Disaster Response

- MedPro Group: Checklist: Environmental Emergency Preparedness for Healthcare Practices

- MedPro Group: Checklist: Fire Response in Hospitals

- MedPro Group: Checklist: Fire Response in Hospitals: Infrastructure Aspects

- MedPro Group: Environmental Emergencies Preparedness for Healthcare Practices: Developing a Response Plan

- MedPro Group: Environmental Emergency Preparedness for Healthcare Practices: Identifying and Assessing Risks

- MedPro Group: Environmental Emergencies Preparedness for Healthcare Practices: Training Staff Members

- MedPro Group: Managing and Preventing Water Damage to Critical Records

- MedPro Group: Weathering the Storm: Electronic Health Records and Disaster Recovery

- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services: Primary Protection: Enhancing Health Care Resilience for a Changing Climate

Facility- and Setting-Specific Preparedness Resources

- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Resources for Emergency Health Professionals

- MedPro Group: Guideline: Emergency Preparedness in Healthcare Practices

- Rural Health Information Hub: Rural Emergency Preparedness and Response

- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services: Administration for Strategic Preparedness & Response

- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services: Hospital Preparedness Program

Infection Prevention in Emergencies

- Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology: Guide to Infection Prevention in Emergency Medical Services
- Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology: Infection Prevention for Ambulatory Care Centers During Disasters
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: National Pandemic Strategy
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Influenza: Planning and Preparedness Resources
- Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services: Current Emergencies
- Ready.gov: Pandemics
- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services: EMS Infectious Disease Playbook
- World Health Organization: Hospital Preparedness for Epidemics

Overview of Emergency Preparedness and Response

- American Hospital Association: Emergency Readiness
- California Hospital Association: Virtual Reality for Emergency Management Training
- ECRI: Emergency Preparedness: Planning and Mitigation
- MedPro Group: Risk Tips: Responding to an Emergency
- Occupational Safety and Health Administration: Emergency Preparedness and Response

Planning/Programs/Resources

- Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality: Surge Toolkit and Facility Checklist
- Association for Professionals in Infection Control and Epidemiology: Emergency Preparedness
- California Emergency Medical Services Authority: Hospital Incident Command System Current Guidebook and Appendices
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Emergency Water Supply Planning Guide for Hospitals and Healthcare Facilities
- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Preparedness & Planning
- Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services: Quality, Safety & Oversight Group — Emergency Preparedness
- Federal Emergency Management Agency: Emergency Management Guide for Business and Industry

- MedPro Group: The Five Essential Elements of a Violence Prevention Program

- Occupational Safety and Health Administration: Evacuation Plans and Procedures eTool

- Ready.gov: Getting Ready to Plan

- Ready.gov: Training and Testing

- The Joint Commission: Emergency Management

- U.S. Department of Health and Human Services: Administration for Strategic Preparedness and Response Technical Resources, Assistance Center, and Information Exchange

Regulations and Requirements

- Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services: Emergency Preparedness Rule

- The Joint Commission: Take 5: Updates to Emergency Management Standards