



2009 International Disaster Management Conference

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Conference Date & Location

February 19-22, 2009

The Rosen Centre Hotel · 9840 International Drive · Orlando, FL 32819
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Overview

The *2009 International Disaster Management Conference* has been designed to meet the educational needs of all persons and agencies involved with emergency preparedness, response, and disaster recovery. This year's Planning Committee acknowledges the unique role that the myriad of first responders, response agencies and communities play in planning for, responding to, and mitigating disasters.

Who Should Attend

All persons and agencies involved with emergency preparedness, management and response... firefighters, EMS personnel, emergency managers, hospital administrators, physicians, nurses, DMAT personnel, disaster planning coordinators, medical facility administrators, law enforcement officials, search and rescue responders, civil preparedness officials, mass fatality responders, and others who play important roles in critical incidents.



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Room Rate: \$169.00 S/D plus tax · Mention *EMLRC Disaster 2009*
Cut-off date for special room rate: Wednesday, January 28, 2009

Exhibit Hall Dates & Hours

Exhibits Open

Friday, February 20th 10:00am - 2:30pm
Saturday, February 21st 10:00am - 2:30pm

More Information

Visit www.emlrc.org or
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Conference Highlights

- **Hurricane Ike Galveston: Hospital Lessons Learned**
- **Medical Evacuation of Highly Contagious Casualties**
- **EMS Helicopter Use During Disasters**
- **2008 LA Train Wreck/Derailment: The Rescue**
- **NY Wedding Reception Carbon Monoxide Incident**
- **Las Vegas High Rise Fire**
- **2007 California Wild Fires:**
- **Integration of 2003 California Wild Fires Lessons Learned**

Program Objectives

Following the completion of the conference, participants will be able to:

- Appraise the various roles and challenges of first responders, disaster managers, healthcare professionals and other public safety officials in the management of disaster response.
- Through lessons learned in several recent domestic and international disaster events, apply improved techniques to better prepare communities for future disaster responses.
- Explain how to plan and respond to events involving man-made and natural disaster events.
- Explain the technological challenges that could be experienced during an NBC event.
- Explain the challenges to hospital planning to manage a bio-terror event.
- Explain the challenges to community planning to manage a disaster event.
- Discuss the nursing/health care role in mass casualty management and disaster response.
- Explain the process for realistic planning for response to disaster events.
- Explain the process for mass casualty triage in a disaster event.
- Discuss the methods for mitigating medical response to a disaster event involving mass casualties.
- Discuss the process for using the eight step approach to first receiver hospital decontamination.
- Discuss the methods for performing decontamination on a high volume of patients.
- Discuss the process for medical evacuation of highly contagious casualties.
- Discuss the process for planning school MCI exercises.
- Discuss the process for planning and management of emergency consequences during a national security event.
- Discuss the guidelines for establishing an alternate care facility.
- Discuss the EMS role in a public health quarantine event.
- Discuss the use of bio-containment patient care units.
- Discuss the ambulance strike team model.
- Discuss the integration of EMS helicopters in disaster response.
- Discuss the importance of planning for catastrophic hurricanes.

Continuing Education Credit

Physicians - The Florida Emergency Medicine Foundation is accredited by the Accreditation Council for Continuing Medical Education to sponsor continuing medical education for physicians. The Florida Emergency Medicine Foundation designates this continuing medical activity for up to 24 hours in Category 1 of the Physician's Recognition Award of the American Medical Association. Each Physician should claim only those hours of credit that he/she actually spends in the educational activity. Application has been made to the American College of Emergency Physicians for up to 24 hours of ACEP Category 1 credit and the American Osteopathic Association for up to 24 hours of Category 2 Credit.

Paramedics and EMTs - This educational activity is approved by the Florida Emergency Medicine Foundation, an organization accredited by the Continuing Education Coordinating Board for Emergency Medical Services (CECBEMS), for up to 24 credit hours. Participants that require approval other than CECBEMS should consult their local Medical Director or State EMS Office.

Fire Service - Application has been made to the Florida Bureau of Fire Standards and Training for review regarding approved contact hours.

Law Enforcement Personnel - Consult your local agency Administrator regarding course approval for mandatory retraining.

Mental Health Professionals - Consult your respective licensing board regarding approval for continuing education credits. Certificates of attendance will be provided.

Nurses - Up to 24 nursing contact hours will be provided by the Florida Emergency Medicine Foundation (FEMF). The FEMF is approved as a provider of nursing education by the Florida Board of Nursing, Provider #2731.

Preconference 1 - Approved for up to 8 credit hours.

Preconference 2 - Approved for up to 8 credit hours.

General Sessions - Approved for up to 16 credit hours.

To receive CME credit, participants must sign in each day. Attendance at an entire session is required to receive credit.

Americans with Disabilities

EMLRC wishes to ensure no individual with a disability is excluded from the conference. If auxiliary aids or services are required in order to attend this program, notify EMLRC 15 days prior to the start of the conference.

Program Partners

- ACEP - Disaster Section
- Central Florida Disaster Medical Assistance Team, FL-6
- Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Response Association
- EMS Magazine
- Fire Chief Magazine
- Florida Department of Health, Bureaus of Epidemiology and EMS

PROGRAM SCHEDULE

Thursday, February 19, 2009

- 7:00am-5:00pm Registration
Preconferences
- 8:00am-5:00pm P-1 Mass Casualty Incident Management
Daniel Mack, NREMT-P
- 8:00am-5:00pm P-2 Hospital First Receiver Hazmat Operations Course
Joe Burgess

Friday, February 20, 2009

- 7:00am-5:00pm Registration
7:00am-8:00am Continental Breakfast
10:00am-2:30pm Exhibits Open
General Sessions
- 8:00am-8:10am Welcome/Opening Ceremonies
8:10am-9:10am Keynote Address:
Disaster Management is Planet Management
Facts, Challenge, and Forecast for 2009
Gunnar J. Kuepper
- 9:10am-10:10am Canadian ViaRail Passenger Train Quarantine
Faculty TBD
- 10:10am-10:40am Break in Exhibit Hall
10:40am-11:40am Ambulance Strike Teams at the Republican National
Convention: A Model for Success
Cory Kissling, BS, RN, EMT-Paramedic, CFRN
- 11:40am-1:00pm Lunch on own and Visit Exhibit Hall
Breakout Tracks
Track 1 - Disaster Medicine/Public Health
- 1:00pm-2:00pm Emergency Management Strategies: High Volume
Patient Decontamination
Tracy Buchman, MS, DHA (Candidate)
- 2:00pm-2:30pm Break in Exhibit Hall
2:30pm-3:30pm Medical Evacuation of Highly Contagious Casualties
Captain Thomas (Rhett) Robinson, RN, BSN, MHA
- 3:30pm-4:30pm Hurricane Ike Galveston: Hospital Lessons Learned
Doug Havron, RN, BSN, MS, CEN, CEM
Track 2 - Disaster Management Planning
- 1:00pm-2:00pm Planning School MCI Exercises
John J. Burke
- 2:00pm-2:30pm Break in Exhibit Hall
2:30pm-3:30pm Emergency Consequence Planning and Management for a
National Special Security Event
Kathy Brinsfield, MD, MPH
- 3:30pm-4:30pm An Emergency Manager's Guide to Establishing
Alternate Care Facilities
Kenneth C. Rondello, MD, MPH
Track 3 - Response - EMS /Fire Rescue
- 1:00pm-2:00pm Introduction to Quarantine & the EMS Public Health Role
Danitza Tomianovic, MPH
- 2:00pm-2:30pm Break in Exhibit Hall
2:30pm-3:30pm Bio-containment Patient Care Units
Major Kermit Huebner, MD, AFCEP
- 3:30pm-4:30pm Using a Regional EMS Communication Center During a
National Security Event
Cory Kissling BS, RN, EMT-Paramedic, CFRN

Saturday, February 21, 2009

- 7:00am-5:00pm Registration
7:00am-8:00am Continental Breakfast
10:00am-2:30pm Exhibits Open
Breakout Tracks
Track 1 - Disaster Medicine/Public Health
- 8:00am-9:00am Toxidromes 101
Lancer Scott, MD
- 9:00am-10:00am Hospital Preparedness For BioTerror
Joseph H. McIsaac, III, MD, MS
- 10:00am-10:30am Break in Exhibit Hall
10:30am-11:30am Technological Challenges for Hospitals During NBC Disasters
Joseph H. McIsaac, III, MD, MS
Track 2 - Disaster Management Planning
- 8:00am-10:00am Hurricane Ike: Operations Planning: Lessons Learned
Lloyd Parker, BS REMT-P, BS
- 10:00am-10:30am Break in Exhibit Hall
10:30am-11:30am Hospital Disaster Planning: Lessons Learned from
the 2008 Republican National Convention
Melanie R. Gullixson
- 8:00am-9:00am Track 3 - Response - EMS /Fire Rescue
Multi-Casualty Incident Management &
START Triage Performance: Real World Observations
Ken Miller, MD, PhD
- 9:00am-10:00am Hurricane Ike Galveston: Responder Perspective
Paul Hannemann
- 10:00am-10:30am Break in Exhibit Hall
10:30am-11:30am EMS Helicopter Use During Disasters
Ken Grimes, MPA/MBA, EMT-P
- 11:30am-1:00pm Lunch on own and Visit Exhibit Hall
General Sessions
- 1:00pm-2:00pm 2008 LA Train Wreck/Derailment: The Rescue
Los Angeles Fire Department
- 2:00pm-2:30pm Break in Exhibit Hall
2:30pm-3:30pm 2008 LA Train Wreck/Derailment: The Hospital Response
Mark Morocco, MD, FACEP
- 3:30pm-4:30pm NY Wedding Reception Carbon Monoxide Incident
Deputy Chief Ann Fitton, EMT-P
- 5:30pm-7:00pm Other Events
ACEP Section of Disaster Medicine General Meeting
Open to all Attendees

Sunday, February 22, 2009

- 7:30am-11:30am Registration
7:30am-8:00am Continental Breakfast
General Sessions
- 8:00am-9:00am 2007 California Wild Fires: Integration of 2003 California Wild
Fires Lessons Learned
Chief Kate Dargan
- 9:00am-10:00am Miami International Airport Pandemic Flu Exercise:
Lessons Learned
Danitza Tomianovic, MPH
- 10:00am-10:15am Break
10:15am-11:15am Las Vegas High Rise Fire
Senior Deputy Chief Stephan Ratigan
- 11:15am-12:15pm Catastrophic Planning for Hurricanes
W. Craig Fugate
- 12:15pm-12:30pm Closing Remarks

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Before or on January 23, 2009

- \$360 - Registration (*Conference only*)
- \$330 - 3 or more from 1 agency (*each*)
- \$330 - ACEP Disaster Section Member
- \$175 - General Conference One Day
- \$250 - FCEP Member (*Conference only*)

After January 23, 2009

- \$390 - Registration (*Conference only*)
- \$360 - 3 or more from 1 agency (*each*)
- \$360 - ACEP Disaster Section Member
- \$175 - General Conference One Day
- \$250 - FCEP Member (*Conference only*)
- \$20 - Onsite Registration - Add \$20 to applicable registration category

Preconferences Fee Schedule

- \$100 - P-1 Mass Casualty Incident Management
- \$100 - P-2 Hospital First Receiver Hazmat Operations Course

Indicate Tracks Preferred *Check only one track per day*

- Friday** T-1 Disaster Medicine/Public Health T-2 Disaster Management Planning
 T-3 Response - EMS /Fire Rescue
- Saturday** T-1 Disaster Medicine/Public Health T-2 Disaster Management Planning
 T-3 Response - EMS /Fire Rescue

Registration Fee \$_____ Preconference Fee \$_____ Total Fees Enclosed \$_____

Payments accepted by Visa, Mastercard, Check or Purchase Order. *American Express not accepted.*
Payment must accompany registration form.

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Cancellations and refunds will be made only if requested in writing to the 2009 International Disaster Management Conference Registrar. No refunds will be made after February 5, 2009. For all cancellations, an administrative fee of \$75.00 will be retained. Registration may be transferred to another individual.