

North Central Wisconsin Healthcare Emergency Readiness Coalition
 NCW HERC Regional Hospital Update Meeting
 October 9, 2024: 1300-1400

Marshfield Medical Center – Weston Entrance 1, Medical Offices A, floor 1, across from Rheumatology dept. 3400 Ministry Parkway Weston, WI 54476 OR Virtual		
Aspirus Partners	Marshfield Clinic Partners	Norwood & NCHC Partners
Chris Michalski Kevin McFadden Dr. Swicer Kaci Klemm Dr. Clark Rachel Milkey	Ian Fisher Marcus Walden Ien Novak	
Other Partners	NCW HERC Staff	NCW HERC Guests & OPEHC
Ann Zenk	Ty Zastava Dr. Vayder	Carissa Brunner, EMS-C
Agenda Item	Talking Points	Action Steps
1. Welcome and Introductions		
2. Add Match	Standing Agenda Item <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Add match is no longer needed from the state 	
3. EMS-C	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by Carissa Brunner, Program Lead <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ cbrunner@childrenswi.org ○ Emergency Medicine Services for Children (EMS-C) ○ Children’s Health Alliance offers the ED Pediatric Readiness Program 	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ See attached slides ○ Website has links to: the implementation guide, facility recognition form, and PECC commitment form: https://www.chawisconsin.org/initiatives/emergency-care/emergency-medical-services-for-children/ 	
<p>4. CHEMPACK</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Local CHEMPACK plans <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Continue to push for local planning meetings ○ Working on regional education – information included in HERC and RTAC newsletters ○ Plan to hold a drill testing CHEMPACK in our region in a few months ● Regional contact <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Now using Aspirus MedEvac (the HERC’s 24/7 call center) as a point of contact to get the info and contact numbers for the cache sites 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Try to work on arranging a drill to test the CHEMPACK sites in our region
<p>5. Current Responses</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Supply chain concerns <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ IV solution supply chain issues due to hurricane Helene ○ Allocation limits implemented due to decreased supply ○ Recommending all healthcare to follow conservation practices ● Chippewa Falls tractor incident – will share AAR once released ● First Marburg Virus Disease Outbreak in the Republic of Rwanda (CDC Health Alert) ● Respiratory viruses <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ COVID seems to be down at the moment ○ Pertussis cases increasing ● RNC AAR overview – reviewed highlights; Hospital/HERC liaison in the EOC was critical 	
<p>6. Medical Response Surge Exercise (MRSE) Follow Up</p>	<p>Discussion</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Review 2024 MRSE AAR IP and discussed potential areas of improvement 	

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Best practices 	
<p>7. BP1 Workplan Review</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MRSE 2025 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Required objectives: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ HCC(s) engage health care partners and their executives to participate in the exercise and the After-Action Review within the HPP budget period. ▪ HCC(s) effectively notify HCC health care partners of an incident and facilitate ongoing information sharing during a community-wide emergency or disaster. ▪ HCC(s) demonstrate their ability to assess and meet critical resource needs (personnel, supplies, equipment, etc.) to manage patient surge during a community-wide emergency or disaster by the end of the MRSE. ▪ HCC(s) demonstrate their ability to reduce patient morbidity and mortality through appropriate patient placement during a large patient surge by assisting with the identification and coordination of available patient care resources by the end of the MRSE. ○ Patient movement/tracking – are required to use EMTrack to track patients during exercise ○ Whole community involvement ○ Additional healthcare partners <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ CMS involvement – will see if CMS partners want to participate ○ Format: virtual ○ We must use EMResource, EMTRack, WISCOM and eICS this year <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Will need to get at least one person at each hospital set up with eICS and EMTrack accounts if none have them already 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Ty to work on getting eICS and EMTrack accounts set up for hospitals planning to do MRSE

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- More to come once a contractor for the exercise has been established
- Looking to hold exercise in April
- HVA
 - Including new data elements this year:
 - [RAPT](#)
 - [Social Vulnerability Index](#)
 - Survey Monkey survey (Kaiser Permanente model)
 - Training – next week Wednesday on data mapping sites that can be used to inform your survey responses (will be recorded)
 - Timeline:
 - Training and survey released in mid-October
 - Survey closed mid-November
 - Meet with PH mid-December
 - Full report complete by early January
- 2024-25 Deliverable Timeline

- Ty to get HVA survey out

BP1 Activities	Submission Deadline
Governance Document	January 31, 2025
Jurisdiction Information	January 31, 2025
HVA	January 31, 2025
Readiness Assessment	January 31, 2025
Strategic Plan	March 31, 2025
Readiness Plan	March 31, 2025
Training and Exercise Plan	January 31, 2025
Cybersecurity Assessment	June 30, 2025
Extended Downtime Health Care Delivery Impact Assessment	June 30, 2025
Response Plan: Information Sharing Plan	June 30, 2025
Response Plan: Resource Management Plan	June 30, 2025
Response Plan: Medical Surge Support Plan	June 30, 2025

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	Continuity of Operations Plan (COOP)	June 30, 2025	
	Medical Response and Surge Exercise (MRSE)	June 30, 2025	
8. Communication Platforms	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • EMResource respiratory data requirements <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Starts November 1 ○ Can enroll in automatic data uploads to ease the burden • eICS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Enrollment will be needed by one hospital staff member for the MRSE exercise • WISCOM drills <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ New templates will be created to conduct MCI drills with nearby hospitals that would actually be used in a real emergency, and not just follow coalition borders 		
9. Decontamination Products	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First Line Technology dry decontamination product distribution update <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Distribution has begun ○ Still working to get an even spread across our region 		
10. Training, Education and Exercise	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Are there training or education topics that hospitals need support with? <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Perhaps HICS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Can get free training on HICS through the Center for Disaster Preparedness ▪ HERC has HICS PP partners can use as well 		
11. Tools, Resources, and General Discussion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A few tools for the IV solution situation <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ ASPR TRACIE has developed a new tipsheet- Intravenous Fluid Shortage Strategies. The tipsheet on the Medical Product Shortages and Scarce Resources Page contains information that can help healthcare providers modify traditional practices and conserve IV fluids. 		

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ The Pediatric Pandemic Network Resource Central Team has a curated list of resources for pediatric providers: https://resources.pedspandemicnetwork.org/resource-guides/conserving-iv-fluids/ 	
<p>12. Next Meeting/ Adjourn</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Next meeting will be January 8th at 1:00 (virtual) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ty to send calendar invite out