

Bi-Weekly News & Updates

04/25/2025 | 2025-7

Summary & Highlights

• NJHCC Regional Plans and Annexes Draft Feedback

- Your feedback is requested!
 - Please Note: These documents are <u>not</u> intended to supersede existing plans, rather they are meant to compliment and assist in better preparing for regional-level disasters
 - Please Note: These documents are <u>not</u> intended to be shared publicly or utilized as they are still drafts
- Click <u>here</u> to access our initial feedback request announcement

• Training and Exercise Opportunities

- NETEC Donning and Doffing for Clinical Teams -
 - When: 04.29.25/9:00 AM 2:30 PM EST
 - Where: Middlesex County Fire Academy
 - Open Registration
 - Please note: Active trainee seats are filled, a waitlist has been opened
 - Please note: Observer seats are still open
- ICS 200
 - When: Various offerings
 - Where: Various locations
 - Open Registration
- Safe, Sound & Supported: Pediatric Mental Health in Telehealth & Inpatient Environments Conference
 - When: 04.30.25/10:00 AM EST
 - Where: NJHA Conference Center, 760 Alexander Rd., Princeton, N.J. 08543
 - Cost: No charge/Free
 - Open Registration

- New Jersey Emergency Management Association (NJEMA) Annual Symposium
 - When: 06.12.25/8:00 AM 4:00 PM EST
 - Where: Monmouth University
 - Cost: \$70.00 (Regular Attendee) OR \$25.00 (Student Attendee)
 - Open Registration
- Partner Event/Resource Amplification Request Form
 - Share your upcoming events and existing resources with NJHCC via this form

• Upcoming NJHCC Events

• New <u>May 2025</u> bi-monthly in person meeting locations pending - Additional details forthcoming

• Emergency Management and Preparedness in the News

- PA hospital closures looming
- US at tipping point for return of endemic measles
- Increased risk of wildfire spread as Jones Road Wildfire Continues
- Federal officials lift FEMA grant funding freeze

• Additional Resources and Reports

- FQHC's Role in Medical Surges Events
- Updated Weekly NJDOH Disease Surveillance Reports
- Updated Weekly NJHCC NHSN Dashboard Report
- NETEC Region 2 High Consequence Infectious Disease (HQID) Concept of Operations (CONOPS)
- NETEC HQID TTX Templates

Upcoming Exercises and Training Opportunities

Upcoming Exercises:

No scheduled exercises at this time.

Upcoming Training Opportunities:

- Safe, Sound & Supported: Pediatric Mental Health in Telehealth & Inpatient Environments Conference
 - When: 04.30.25/10:00 AM EST
 - Where: NJHA Conference Center, 760 Alexander Rd., Princeton, N.J. 08543

- Cost: No charge/Free
- Open Registration
- NETEC PPE Donning and Doffing Train the Trainer
 - When: 04.29.25/9:00 AM 2:30 PM EST
 - Where: Middlesex Fire Academy 1001 Fire Academy Dr, Sayreville, NJ 08872
 - Open Registration
 - Please note: Active trainee seats are filled, a waitlist has been opened
 - Please note: Observer seats are still open
- ICS 200: Various Offerings Information & Registration
- NJHCC May 2025 In-Person HCC Meetings
 - When: Various offerings
 - Where: Various locations
 - Open Registrations
- New Jersey Emergency Management Association (NJEMA) Annual Symposium
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Partner Event & Resource Amplification Request Form

In an effort to amplify upcoming training opportunities, exercises, events, and resources the NJHCC EM Team is seeking to feature and publish partner facilitated/sponsored events. Please click the button below to access our amplification request form.

Partner Event & Resource Amplification Request Form

Additional Training Opportunities

The NJHCC EM Team regularly updates our Coalition Training Opportunities page on the Coalitions' website. Click the button below to be redirected to a collection of trainings from NJOEM, NJOHSP, FEMA, and other notable partners.

Visit Our Coalition Training Opportunities Page Here

Featured Article:

Federal Officials Lift FEMA Grant Freeze

The Trump administration said on Thursday the Federal Emergency Management Agency had made more than \$2.2 billion in payments to a group of states over the past three weeks, meaning it was in compliance with a judge's order blocking an earlier sweeping pause of federal grants, loans and other financial aid.

U.S. District Judge John McConnell in Providence, Rhode Island, ruled on April 4 that Republican President Donald Trump's administration had violated his order because FEMA had halted disbursements since early February for a "manual review" of grants without any clear end date.

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Additional Articles:

- <u>Crozer-Chester Medical Center and Taylor Hospital closing</u>
 (Philidelphia Inquirer)
- <u>US at tipping point for return of endemic measles (Reuters)</u>
- Increased wildfire spread as Jones Road Wildfire continues (AP)
- <u>State of emergency declared in Ocean County due to Jones</u>
 <u>Road Wildfire (NJ.com)</u>

Featured Resource:



Engagement of Health Clinics in Medical Surge Activities

<u>Courtesy of the</u> <u>Administration for Strategic Preparedness and Response (ASPR)</u>

Access the Engagement of Health Clinics in Medical Surge Activities Resource

Additional Resources and Reports:

- <u>NJ Healthcare Coalitions Orientation Packet (1st Edition)</u>
- <u>NJ Healthcare Coalitions Weekly NHSN Dashboard (04/23/25)</u>
- <u>NJDOH CDS Respiratory Illness Surveillance Report (04/19/25)</u>
- <u>NJ Forest Fire Service Wildfire Risk Assessment Portal</u>
- <u>NJ Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness 2025 Threat</u>
 <u>Assessment</u>
- <u>NETEC HCID Exercise Templates and Resources</u>
- <u>NETEC Region 2 HCID Concept of Operations</u>
- <u>CAHF Nursing Home Incident Command System (NHICS)</u>

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