



**OSF SAINT FRANCIS MEDICAL CENTER
DISASTER PREPAREDNESS
REGION 2 HEALTHCARE COALITION MEETING**

I. CALL TO ORDER

The Region 2 Healthcare Coalition (R2HCC) meeting called to order by Jon Quast, Disaster Preparedness Manager at 10:01 a.m.

Meeting Month / Day:	April 5th, 2024			
Region 2	Health Care Coalition Meeting Bi-Monthly Meeting Attendance			
HCC Hospital	Representative / Attendee	In-Person	On-Line	Absent
Carle Bromenn Medical Center	David Hopper		x	
Carle Eureka Hospital	Mark Lareau	x		
Carle Health – Methodist	Tom Stecher	x		
Carle Health – Pekin	Carson Smith		x	
Carle Health – Proctor	Terrance Hubbard	x		
Genesis Medical Center - Aledo	Linda Sarabasa/ Al Loeffelholz	x		
Genesis Medical Center -Silvis	Chris Webster		x	
Graham Hospital	Kevin Delmastro	x		
Hammond Henry	Nicholas Mierop			
Hopedale Medical Complex	Tim Miles	x		
McDonough District Hospital	Kory Nichols	x		
OSF Holy Family Medical Center	Britta Marty		x	
OSF Saint Claire Medical Center	Lori Anderson		x	
OSF Saint Elizabeth Medical Cntr	Carolyn Clayton / Amanda Los		x	
OSF Saint Francis Medical Center	Jon Quast/Josh Balk/Tom Haas/Sarah Silvest-Guerro/ Kelsey Haage	x		
OSF Saint James Hospital	Tonya Johnson-Wilcox	x		
OSF Saint Joseph Medical Center	Michelle Smith			x
OSF Saint Luke Medical Center	Jason Bitner	x		
OSF Saint Mary Medical Center	Barb Whedbee	x		
OSF Saint Paul Medical Center	Zack Vankeulen	x		
Unity Point-Trinity	Adam Sowell / Mark Huggins		x	
Bureau/Marshal/Putnam Co. Health Dept.	Lori Sondgeroth		x	
Fulton County Health Dept.	Kimberly Bull	x		
Henderson County Health Dept.	Sharon Graham	x		
Knox County Health Dept.	Mandy Dixon			x
LaSalle Co. Health Dept.	Monica Strzalkowski		x	
Tazewell Co. Health Dept.	Erica Multcher	x		
Tazewell Co. EMA	Dawn Cook /-?	x		
Rock Island Co. Health Dept.	Kate Meyer		x	
Peoria City/County Health Dept.	Jason Marks		x	

Woodford Co. Health Dept.				
Warren Co. Health Dept.	Jenna Link		x	
McDonough Co. Health Dept.	Nikki Duffy	x		
Peoria Co. EMA	Jason Marks		x	
McLean County EMS	Kris Newcomb/Aaron Scheidle	x	x	
IDPH	Mike Epping/Matt Ringenberg/ Chris Cochran		x	
SFMC	Brian Gilmore		x	
SFMC SNEC	Cassandra Morris	x		

II. TRACKING ATTENDANCE

1. Attendance taken at beginning of meeting. (Josh Balk)
2. Presence is required by 10:00 am.
3. If you are online, use the chat function for ‘facility and individual names’ to be tracked.
4. We do track all attendees (Hospitals, Public Health, EMA, Etc.).

III. February MINUTES SENT POSTED ON-LINE

- A. Motion to approve minutes by Kevin DelMastro with second by Zack Vankeulen.
- B. Minutes are on-line at <https://www.osfhealthcare.org/ems/disaster-preparedness/>. If you have trouble accessing this information, please contact Tom Haas
- C. We are planning to transfer most of our online resources to Coalition Manager through 2024, so ensure you have a login. If not, or unsure, work with Tom Haas.

IV. UPDATE FROM:

- A. UPDATES FROM MIKE EPPING (REMSC)
 1. No update.
- B. UPDATES FROM MATT RINGENBERG (ERC)
 1. No current updates from FEP.
 2. No requests at present for assistance with ODEN’s Dawn (Southern Illinois Eclipse event April 8th).
 3. Measles monitoring in the NE part of the state (Cook Co.).
- C. UPDATES FROM CHRIS COCHRAN (IDPH COMMUNICATIONS)
 1. Not present.
- D. UPDATES FROM REGION 2 EMS COMMITTEE
 1. Adam Sowell- Noted awaiting mental health updates / law changes. Still in discussion and noted this is a hot topic.
 2. Power phone promo within McDonough County.

- E. UPDATES FROM REGION 2 TRAUMA COMMITTEE – Juile Fawcett
 - 1. No current updates. .
- F. UPDATES FROM REGION 2 EMSC / EDAP COMMITTEE-Kelsey Haage
 - 1. Not present. Sent email that there were no current updates.
- G. UPDATES FROM PEDIATRIC PREPAREDNESS-CJ Morris
 - 1. Reviewed the SNEC Program for new members.
 - 2. Region 4/5 up for Facility Recognition Surveys.
 - 3. Ped. Prep. Webinar upcoming. Will share with Public Health.
 - 4. Requested anyone with an RN interested in helping as a SNEC instructor apply.
- H. Stroke Committee- Barb Whedbee-
 - 1. recruiting members to join and revamp regional stroke committee.
 - 2. More to come.
- I. UPDATES FROM RHCC - JON QUAST
 - 1. HPP grant NOFO awaiting updates from CMS to IDPH.
 - 2. New 5-year budget period with new goals / requirements.
 - 3. Possible update from 4 capabilities to 8 capabilities.

V. WORKGROUPS REORTS

- A. **Strategic Plan/regional Plan**
 - 1. No one.
 - 2. No Report
- B. **Healthcare Response Coordination**
 - 1. No one
 - 2. No Report
- C. **Continuity of Healthcare**
 - 1. No one.
 - 2. No Report
- D. **Medical Surge**
 - 1. David Hopper, Tom Stecher, Al Loeffelholz (Tom Haas/Jon Quast)
 - 2. Final planning stages for the May 7th, 2024, Regional (Chemical) Surge exercise.
 - 3. Reminders to complete the requested sign-ups and bed survey (today’s date).
 - 4. Reported problem with the sign-up. Noted the ZOOM link was the old sign-up and to use the updated TEAMS sign-up in the chat. An email will be sent out as well to regional partners.
 - 5. Al Loeffelholz discussed the HSS vendor and appreciated their professionalism, organization, and approach to administration of the exercise.

VI. REGIONAL INFORMATION

A. PPE

- a. No updates

B. INVENTORY MANAGEMENT

- a. Continued work on organizing warehouse, and documenting inventory.

VII. CIL-CARP UPDATE

- A.** Next meeting May 8th, 2024 (10:00 – 2:00) at Northwood’s Community Church in Peoria, Il.
B. Registration is available through ‘Coalition Manager.’

VIII. AROUND THE REGION-INFORMATION TO SHARE

- A.** Grant Funded IFSI Classes only allows first responders. Please review with them.
B. St. Margaret’s Hospital is underway to become an OSF Healthcare facility and will rejoin the RHCC once that process is complete. More info to come.
C. Looking ahead for training and meetings, please be sure to reference Coalition Manager Events/Trainings Dashboard

IX. OLD BUSINESS

- A.** Review the CHEC I & II class and opportunities in the future.
B. Preparing for the Regional Exercise on May 7th with HSS

X. NEW BUSINESS

- A.** Reminder to sign-up for SIRENT notifications through the state of Illinois.
B. Test ALL STARCOM radios and switch batteries periodically. Test and maintain to ensure they will work within a disaster.
C. Bypass notifications/plans/contacts.
 - Sidebar conversation after the meeting with Sarha Silvest who was in attendance reference regional communications and processes within the CAREHUB. Upcoming meeting with CAREHUB to discuss.**D.** Reminder to Save the Date: TEDCON 2024 dates - August 22nd & 23rd again at the Embassy Suites in East Peoria.
E. St. Margaret’s is planning to re-open around April 7th. Amanda thanked the RHCC Office (Tom) for assistance with STARCOM and equipment requests.
F. Al Loeffelholz – exploring Dry DECON drills within the Aledo OU and is requesting assistance / resources from the RHCC (Josh Balk).
G. RMERT deployment -Soleshine Reverie (SCAMP) upcoming and deployment of resources. Tom has shared out the opportunity for RMERT members via Coalition Manager. Tailgate and Tallboys is still a possible deployment in June.
H. CHEMPACK annual review and PPTX educational Power Point as delivered by Josh Balk.

XI. ADJOURNMENT

Meeting adjourned 11:10 AM by Jon Quast, Disaster Preparedness Manager, Workshop hosted after the regular meeting.

The next meeting:
Friday
June 7th, 2024 10:00 a.m.
4100 N Becker Drive

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Meeting Minutes
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Bartonville, IL

Respectfully Submitted by:
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