

Agenda: Subject to Change
2008 Western Regional Preparedness Conference at the Renaissance Las Vegas Hotel
July 14, 2008 – July 18, 2008

Monday	July 14th		
6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.	➤ Early Registration		
Tuesday	July 15th		Speaker
9:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	➤ Welcome, Opening Remarks and Breakfast	Jihad and American Medicine: Threats/Solutions to Healthcare Safety and Security	• Adam Dorin, MD, MBA
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Exhibits/Break		
10:15 a.m. – 11:15 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Preparedness Basics ➤ Business Planning & Continuity ➤ Law Enforcement ➤ Mental Health ➤ Patient Care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Points of Distribution – Nevada’s Promising Practices • Survivor or Weakest Link: Small Business All Hazards Planning • Personal Preparedness for Law Enforcement and Their Families • Mass Casualty Pastoral Crisis Intervention • Preventing Adverse Health Consequences of Wildfires in Residential Communities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dan Mackie, MPH • Steve Matles, OHST, CHSP, NREMT • Sally Bragg, RN, MSN, CCRC; Cecilia Rokusek, EdD, RD; Jessica DeLeon, PhD • TBD • Laurel Sharmer, PhD, MPH, CHES
11:15 a.m. – 11:30 a.m.	Exhibits/Break		
11:30a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Preparedness Basics ➤ Business Planning & Continuity ➤ Law Enforcement ➤ Mental Health ➤ Patient Care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognizing Zebras: Recognize, Respond, Report • Pandemic Influenza Continuity of Operations Planning (COOP) for Businesses • Agroterrorism and the Role of Law Enforcement • First Responder Training: Promoting Resiliency and Self-Care • Special Needs Persons within Hospital Systems: Patients, Visitors and More 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Robert Peters, PhD, MD, FAACP • Jodi Kuhn, DrPH • Ronald J. Snyder, MEd, CET • Joanne Tortorici Luna, PhD, DTR. • Anthony Rich, BS Ed, CHSP, MEP, CHS
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch		
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Preparedness Basics ➤ Business Planning & Continuity ➤ Law Enforcement ➤ Mental Health ➤ Patient Care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nevada Statewide Evacuation, Mass Care, and Sheltering-in-Place Initiative • Megashelters: The Partnership Approach • Tabletop Design and Evaluation: The HSEEP Way, Part 1 • Re-integrating with the Family After Deployment • Disaster Maternal and Child Care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Denise Grimm, RN, JD • Harold Hansen, CFE • Robert House • Carol Ivy Simmons-Pedroza, LCDR USPHS • Sherry Payne, BSN, RN
2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Exhibits/Break		
2:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Preparedness Basics ➤ Business Planning & 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Basics of Culture and Vulnerable Populations in Disaster • IT Resiliency 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sally Bragg, RN,MSN, CCRC; Cecilia Rokusek,

Panels	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Continuity ➤ Law Enforcement ➤ Mental Health ➤ Patient Care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tabletop Design and Evaluation: The HSEEP Way- Part II • Cultural Considerations in Disaster for the Native American Community • Caring for Geriatric Casualties: Who, Where, and When? 	<p>EdD, RD; Jessica DeLeon, PhD</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • TBA • Robert House • Emily Williams, LCDR USPHS, LCSW-PIP, OMHP, BCE • David McIntyre, CDR USPHS, PhD, ABPP • Marc D. Rothman, MD
4:00 p.m. – 4:15 p.m.	Exhibits/Break		
4:15 p.m. – 5:15 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Preparedness Basics ➤ Business Planning & Continuity ➤ Law Enforcement ➤ Mental Health ➤ Patient Care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Introduction to Weapons of Mass Destruction • Employee and Family Assistance: Taking Care of Employees in Emergency • What Law Enforcement Needs to Know about Pandemic Flu • Childhood Trauma: Katrina’s Impact on Children and Families • Evidence Based Guidance for At Risk Populations During Pandemic 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Captain William J. Perlmutter • TBA • Jeri White, MEd; Kathleen Middleton, MS, CHES • Mark Cicero, MD • Caroline Barnhill, MPH
5:30 p.m. – 7:00 p.m.	Speaker Reception		
Wednesday	July 16th		Speaker
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	➤ Opening Remarks and Breakfast	• Beyond 9/11: Is FDNY Prepared for Emerging Threats?	• Robert Maynes, FDNY
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Exhibits/Break		
10:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m. Tabletops	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Preparedness Basics ➤ Business Planning & Continuity ➤ Law Enforcement ➤ Mental Health ➤ Patient Care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Forensic Epidemiology Investigations v. Law Enforcement Investigations • Ready Your Business – A 12 Step Program • Police Line: Do Not Cross • Lessons from Top Officials (TOPOFF) 4 • Cultural Competence in Risk Communication 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Denise Grimm, RN, JD • Renee Murphy • Captain William J. Perlmutter • TBD • Veronica Acosta-Deprez, PhD, CHES
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch		
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Preparedness Basics ➤ Business Planning & Continuity ➤ Law Enforcement ➤ Mental Health ➤ Patient Care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Post Traumatic Stress Disorder (PTSD) 101 • Creating Partnerships for Emergency Preparedness • What Will Be Needed Next?: The Role of New York City’s Office of Emergency Management (OEM) • Promoting Resiliency in Children Before Disaster • Strategic National Stockpile (SNS): Determination to Accumulation 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Melissa Brymer, PhD, PsyD • Alan Steinberg, PhD • David Blodgett, MD, MPH • James Cho • Mark Cisero, MD • Joanna Prasher, PhD
2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Exhibits/Break		

2:45 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Preparedness Basics ➤ Business Planning & Continuity ➤ Law Enforcement ➤ Mental Health ➤ Patient Care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Public Health Preparedness for the 21st Century • Most Common Business Continuity Planning Mistakes • A Pandemic and the Incarcerated Population • Cultural Considerations in Disaster for the Asian/Hispanic/Latino Community • General Session Roundtable Discussion 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Veronica Acosta-Deprez; PhD, CHES; Sarath Gunatilake, MD • TBA • Sally Bragg, RN, MSN, CCRC; Cecilia Rokusek, EdD, RD; Jessica DeLeon, PhD • Laura Aponte, Yvonne Torres • Adam Dorin, MD, MBA; Chief Commander Mervyn Edwards (Retired); Robert Maynes
Thursday	July 17th		Speaker
9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Opening Remarks and Breakfast 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • California Wildfires: Planning and Execution in San Diego 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wilma J. Wooten, MD, MPH
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.	Exhibits/Break		
10:15 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Preparedness Basics ➤ Business Planning & Continuity ➤ Law Enforcement ➤ Mental Health ➤ Patient Care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PPE and Decon • Pandemic Planning – Bird Flu and More • What Can LLIS Do For You? • TBD • Lessons Learned in Megasheltering: The Large and the Small 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Captain William J. Perlmutter • TBD • Leiloni Stainsby • TBD • Larry Gironski, Frank Poe
12:30 p.m. – 1:30 p.m.	Lunch		
1:30 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Preparedness Basics ➤ Business Planning & Continuity ➤ Law Enforcement ➤ Mental Health ➤ Patient Care 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Impact of the Human/Animal Bond in Disaster • Tourists and Disasters • The Evil within Radicalization and Homegrown Terrorism • Addressing Issues in the Homeless Population in Disaster • Hospital Evacuations: Planning and Common Sense 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • David Thain, DVM • Dan Burns • Bert Tussing, PhD • Al-Karim Dhanji, MD • Darcie Carpenter, PhD
2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Exhibits/Break		
2:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Closing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Protecting the Royals: What the U.S. Can Learn from the London Metropolitan Police Service 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Chief Superintendent Mervyn Edwards (Retired)

Post Conference Workshops	
July 18, 2008 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.	BDLS® (Basic Disaster Life Support)
July 18, 2008	Automated Exercise & Assessment System (AEAS): Smallpox Outbreak

8:00 a.m. – 5:00
p.m.