



• National Pediatric Disaster Conference

October 27 and 28
(8:00AM to 2:30PM MST/PDT)

This event will examine joint response potential and novel resources among first responders, healthcare (including mental health), emergency management, business, nonprofits, military forces, and others using a catastrophic incident scenario to drive discourse. The scenario will only consider the first 24 hours following a massive earthquake in California. However, the focus will be upon solutions which have application for interstate opportunities for improvement across the United States and territories.

Topics will include interstate transport of pediatrics, hospital evacuation and transport of pediatrics, communications/situational awareness (including pediatric patient tracking and data transfer), and family reunification pertaining to pediatric patient movement from hospitals which must evacuate. The Conference will offer innovative models and facilitated discussions among leaders to foster new relationships, effective collaboration, cross-training, and increased awareness about capabilities, limitations, and diverse vernacular employed among partners who may or may not have previously planned together.





On behalf of Coyote Crisis Collaborative, thank you to the Oversight Committee members for enabling the conference to come to fruition. In addition, the Collaborative is indebted to the Arizona Department of Health Services, the Arizona Coalition for Healthcare Response (AzCHER), the Pediatric Pandemic Network (PPN), and the Western Regional Alliance for Pediatric Emergency Response (WRAP-EM) for support.



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Speakers will offer insights each morning to provide the background needed for a facilitated discussion, called a **Significant Event Readiness Forum (or SERF)**. After the presentations, local government, private sector, and military responders (**day 1**) and healthcare (**day 2**) will discuss topics in a SERF environment. Federal and state partners will then respond to issues raised. Subject matter experts involved in the SERFs will be determined by the National Oversight Committee, based upon those registering for the event.

SERFs are NOT exercises; NO disaster plans are tested. The purpose of a SERF is to provide an environment for exploring opportunities along the disaster response continuum.

This event will be hosted on Zoom. Following registration and payment – and near the event dates – the link will be sent to all those who have registered. The cost of the two-day event is \$50. If you are unable to access the registration site, it is most likely due to a workplace firewall restriction. In this case, it is suggested you register by phone or using a home computer.

Cancellation Refund Policy

Registration cost: \$50

All cancellation refund requests must be made in writing to the Coyote Crisis Collaborative Executive Director via email at deb.roepke@coyotecrisis.org by October 24, 2022. Registrations may be transferred to another individual as long as the transfer is acknowledged by Deb Roepke. Refunds will be made through PayPal to the original payor (minus PayPal transfer costs, which must be covered by the original payor).

The audience for this event includes:

1. Hospital representatives (including telehealth providers and the VA),
2. Pediatricians and other medical practitioners,
3. Nurses,
4. Mental health providers,
5. Health care coalitions,
6. Fire departments,
7. EMS,
8. Law enforcement,
9. Emergency management,
10. Tribal, county, state, and federal government,
11. Access and functional needs service providers,
12. Airports and airline operators,
13. Mass transportation,
14. Railroads,
15. Other private sector transport,
16. Military representatives,
17. Defense contractors with aircraft,
18. Forest services,
19. Utilities,
20. Communication companies,
21. Family reunification service providers, and
22. Public information offices



This conference will focus upon the first 24 hours following disaster onset.

The Goal of Day 1 is to establish a framework for understanding command structure(s) and situational awareness; identify mental health issues; The Goal of Day 1 is also to determine first responder, private sector, and military staging, triage, and transport of pediatric.

Objectives: By the end of the first day, the audience will have a better understanding of:

1. Legal and mental health complexities pertaining to the evacuation, transport, and reception of pediatric patients;
2. California's local and state command structure(s), situational awareness, resources, limitations, and resource distribution; and
3. First responder, military, and private sector staging, triage, and ground and air transport (including routes).

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The Goal of Day 2 is to identify legal issues and clarify hospital pediatric evacuation needs, considerations, resources and resource coordination (including telehealth), communications, reunification, and challenges.

Objectives: By the end of the second day, the audience will have a better understanding of:

1. Patient movements;
2. Healthcare capacity status identification, hospital needs assessments, communication strategies, and essential elements of information collection;
3. Transfer of patient information amongst healthcare systems;
4. Patient tracking healthcare systems and agencies supporting family reunification; and
5. Hospital pediatric patient reception best practices and challenges (including unaccompanied minors, chain of custody for minors, and altered standards of care).



Scenario

Thursday, October 20, 2022, at 2:12PM a magnitude 7.7 earthquake hit Southern California, the epicenter is located near downtown Riverside, CA. on the San Andreas Fault line. Multiple aftershocks are still being experienced.

Magnitude 7.7 Earthquake



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