

# Get your Pediatric Readiness and Disaster Questions Answered!



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*Visions of Progress: Sustainable Strategies for  
Emergency Preparedness & Resilience*

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# Objectives

- After attending this session, meeting participants will be able to:
  - Articulate pediatric preparedness and response strategies in different settings
  - Describe actions to prepare for emergencies/disasters that involve children

# Session Description

- 5 topics to discuss key preparedness and response strategies:
  - Pediatric Readiness for Emergency Departments
  - Pediatric Surge for Hospitals
  - Family Reunification after Disasters
  - Pediatric Readiness for EMS Agencies
  - Pediatric Disaster Drills and Exercises
- Topic leaders will rotate through each table to discuss your questions on each topic.

# Topics Leaders

Pediatric Everyday  
Readiness (ED)

Joyce Li

David Nelson

Pediatric Surge

Anna Lin

Christopher Newton

Family Reunification

Deanna Dahl-Grove

Maureen Luetje

Pediatric Everyday  
Readiness EMS

Jeff Luk

Regina Yaskey

Pediatric Drills and Exercise

Ron Ruffing

David McCarthy

Chris McCarthy

# Table Discussion Instructions

Participants will spend about 10 minutes at each station with Topic Leader.

Once the 10 minutes is up, the Topic Leaders will move to next table (participants can remain where they are).

At the conclusion of the table topic/discussions, we will review available resources.

# Resources

## Pediatric Everyday Readiness in EDs

EIIC ED Toolkit

- [emscimprovement.center/domains/pediatric-readiness-project/readiness-toolkit/readiness-toolkit-checklist/](https://emscimprovement.center/domains/pediatric-readiness-project/readiness-toolkit/readiness-toolkit-checklist/)

EIIC PEAKS

- [emscimprovement.center/education-and-resources/peak/](https://emscimprovement.center/education-and-resources/peak/)

New England Regional Behavioral Health Toolkit

- [emscimprovement.center/state-organizations/new-england/new-england-behavioral-health-toolkit/](https://emscimprovement.center/state-organizations/new-england/new-england-behavioral-health-toolkit/)

Simbox

- [www.emergencysimbox.com](http://www.emergencysimbox.com)

# Resources

## Pediatric Surge

### EIIC Pediatric Disaster Checklist

- <https://emscimprovement.center/domains/preparedness/disaster-plan-prepare/disaster-checklist/>

### WRAP-EM Pediatric Surge Playbook

- [wrap-em.org/index.php/pediatric-surge-resources/94-pediatric-surge-playbook](http://wrap-em.org/index.php/pediatric-surge-resources/94-pediatric-surge-playbook)

Coming SOON! PPN Surge playbook



# Resources

## Family Reunification

### AAP Family Reunification Toolkit

- [downloads.aap.org/AAP/PDF/AAP-Reunification-Toolkit.pdf](https://downloads.aap.org/AAP/PDF/AAP-Reunification-Toolkit.pdf)

### Region V Family Reunification

- [emscimprovement.center/domains/preparedness/asprcoe/region-v-for-kids/family-reunification/](https://emscimprovement.center/domains/preparedness/asprcoe/region-v-for-kids/family-reunification/)

# Resources

## Pediatric Everyday Readiness for EMS

EIIC

- [Prehospital Pediatric Readiness Project • EIIC](#)

American Academy of  
Pediatrics

- <https://publications.aap.org/pediatrics/article/145/1/e20193308/36984/Pediatric-Readiness-in-Emergency-Medical-Services>

NHTSA's office of EMS

- [Home | EMS.gov](#)

# Resources

## Exercises and Drills

[Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program \(HSEEP\)](#)

- [www.fema.gov/emergency-managers/national-preparedness/exercises/hseep](http://www.fema.gov/emergency-managers/national-preparedness/exercises/hseep)

[FEMA Youtube HSEEP Training Videos playlist](#)

- [www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL720Kw\\_OojlJRVI3gQiZzj2g72Ez8ISIA](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL720Kw_OojlJRVI3gQiZzj2g72Ez8ISIA)

[The Needs of Children in Disaster Preparedness Exercises](#)

- [resources.pedspandemicnetwork.org/library/3975/addressing-the-needs-of-children-in-disaster-preparedness-exercises-2nd-ed-3975/](http://resources.pedspandemicnetwork.org/library/3975/addressing-the-needs-of-children-in-disaster-preparedness-exercises-2nd-ed-3975/)

[FEMA HSEEP Inclusion, Diversity, Equity and Accessibility in Exercises](#)

- [www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/documents/fema\\_inclusion-diversity-equity-accessibility-exercises.pdf](http://www.fema.gov/sites/default/files/documents/fema_inclusion-diversity-equity-accessibility-exercises.pdf)

# Resources

## Exercises and Drills

[AAP Pediatric Tabletop Exercise Toolkit: Preparing for Disasters](#)

- [www.aap.org/en/patient-care/disasters-and-children/pediatric-tabletop-exercise-resource-kit/pediatric-tabletop-exercise-toolkit-preparing-for-disasters/](http://www.aap.org/en/patient-care/disasters-and-children/pediatric-tabletop-exercise-resource-kit/pediatric-tabletop-exercise-toolkit-preparing-for-disasters/)

[Pediatric Pandemic Network Tabletop Exercise Kit: Pediatric CBRNE Emergencies](#)

- [pedspandemicnetwork.org/our-work/enhance-your-preparedness-for-pediatric-cbrne-emergencies/](http://pedspandemicnetwork.org/our-work/enhance-your-preparedness-for-pediatric-cbrne-emergencies/)

[Pediatric Care Coordination Center: A Demonstration and Table Top Exercise](#)

- [emscimprovement.center/domains/preparedness/asprcoe/region-v-for-kids/exercises/exercise/](http://emscimprovement.center/domains/preparedness/asprcoe/region-v-for-kids/exercises/exercise/)

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