



## EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE

### ABOUT YNH-CEPDR

On the morning of September 11, 2001, the hospitals of Yale New Haven Health System (YNHHS) began preparing themselves to receive casualties from the worst terrorist attack to occur on American soil. In response to that event, YNHHS, through its Center for Emergency Preparedness and Disaster Response, began an aggressive program to ensure the emergency preparedness of its hospitals and other healthcare delivery organizations. Recognized by numerous federal agencies as a leader in emergency preparedness, YNH-CEPDR now works closely with local, state, national and international public and private partners to ensure pre-event preparation as well as ongoing availability of functional healthcare services during a disaster and through the recovery period.

*Yale New Haven Center for Emergency Preparedness and Disaster Response (YNH-CEPDR) can assist your organization in preparedness planning and response.*



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Center for Emergency Preparedness and Disaster Response

### DEFINING A COMMON MISSION

YNH-CEPDR understands the challenges healthcare and emergency management organizations must address when faced with natural disasters, accidents, hazardous material incidents, severe weather, pandemic influenza or mass casualty events. YNH-CEPDR can help you prepare for, respond to and recover from catastrophic events so that your team can efficiently support your mission and your organization's continued operation.

YNH-CEPDR can assist your organization with the cycle of preparedness through:

### ASSESSMENTS

Conducting hazard vulnerability analyses, business impact analyses and gap analyses

### PLANNING

Assisting healthcare organizations with development of emergency management plans and business continuity plans

### EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Offering a wide range of courses delivered in multiple modalities

### DRILLS AND EXERCISES

Designing and developing, facilitating and evaluating exercises for all types of organizations

