



Dialysis and Disasters How Prepared is Your Facility?

**May 15, 2013
2:00-3:15 PM EST**

Purpose

This program provides an overview of the Florida Kidney Disaster Coalition (FKDC) and the initiatives by the organization to partner with healthcare facilities and the Florida Renal Community to enhance disaster preparedness. The Coalition is comprised of healthcare professionals and partners in the renal care community including utility companies, emergency operations personnel, regulatory agencies and corporations.

Speakers from the organization and partner healthcare organizations will discuss programs for all-hazards preparedness resources provided by FKDC for use by healthcare facilities to keep your staff and patients prepared and safe. Having a comprehensive preparedness plan that addresses all hazards likely to affect your area is not only critical; it's but essential to minimize renal patient surge during an emergency response.

FKDC explains how forming working relationships with dialysis and transplant facilities, patient and professional organizations, and other strategic partners enhances planning and preparation for kidney patients in times of emergencies to provide uninterrupted dialysis and transplant care in the event of disasters.

Learner Objectives

Upon completion of the program, the participant will be able to:

- State the role of the Florida Kidney Disaster Coalition
- Explain how the FKDC assists the healthcare community in coordinating disaster response efforts for the renal community.
- List mitigation and planning issues for disaster response
- Integrating disaster renal care into patient care protocols for disaster response.
- Resources available through Florida Kidney Disaster Coalition



PRESENTERS

Linda Carroll, RN
Chairperson
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AGENDA		
Time	Title/Topic	Presenter
2:00	Welcome, Purpose & Objectives	Hospital Preparedness Program Florida Department of Health
2:05	Introduction of Speakers	Hospital Preparedness Program Florida Department of Health
2:10	Who is the FKDC	Lisa Goodwin, LCSW Renal Social Worker Fresenius Medical Care
2:15	Overview of the Kidney Community	Lisa Goodwin, LCSW Renal Social Worker Fresenius Medical Care
2:20	Preparations and Planning	Lisa Goodwin, LCSW Renal Social Worker Fresenius Medical Care
2:25	Issues during Response and Recovery	Lisa Goodwin, LCSW Renal Social Worker Fresenius Medical Care
2:40	Kidney / Dialysis/ Transplant Best Practices	Linda Carroll, RN Chairperson Florida Kidney Disaster Coalition
2:55	Questions	Hospital Preparedness Program Florida Department of Health
3:00	Wrap Up & Next Steps for the Future	Hospital Preparedness Program Florida Department of Health

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Registered participants will receive further information and instructions for joining the webinar and receiving CEU/CME credit. In addition, the contact for each group will receive a roster to record signatures of attendees who want to receive CEU/CME credit.

Please contact Debbie Kelley at Debbie.kelley@doh.state.fl.us or (850) 245-4444 Ext 2060 if you have any questions regarding the upcoming program.



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Additional Resources:

[Florida Department of Health, Bureau of Preparedness & Response – Training and Exercise Planning](#)

Florida Department of Health Hospital and Healthcare System Preparedness Overview
Hospital Contracts

<http://www.doh.state.fl.us/demo/BPR/hospitalcontract.htm>

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