

## **WEB RESOURCES #1: HEALTHCARE SURGE CAPACITY & COALITION WORK**

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**Medical Surge Capacity and Capability: A Management System for Integrating Medical and Health Resources During Large-Scale Emergencies (238 pages), from the C.N.A. Corporation.** *Portions of this document were excerpted for the HRSA State Grant Application. The document is referred as the primary reference in the Grant Application.*

[http://www.cna.org/documents/mscc\\_aug2004.pdf](http://www.cna.org/documents/mscc_aug2004.pdf)

**Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ).** Contains tools and resources on emergency preparedness, planning, and response for healthcare facilities.

<http://www.qualitytools.ahrq.gov/resources/emergency.aspx>

**JCAHO 2006 Healthcare Emergency preparedness Standards from the Environment of Care Standards.** *These may be of some use in EPR and Coalition Work with Healthcare Agencies. Even though all healthcare facilities may not be accredited, each region has multiple agencies that are accredited. This link takes you to the standards for different healthcare organizations (Hospitals, Critical Access Hospitals, Long Term Care Facilities, Home Health Care, for example).*

[http://www.jointcommission.org/NewsRoom/PressKits/PlanningGuide/accred\\_standards.htm](http://www.jointcommission.org/NewsRoom/PressKits/PlanningGuide/accred_standards.htm)

**King County Healthcare Coalition Website.** *The website contains sections on Roles and Responsibilities, Membership, Coalition Governance, Coalition Workgroups, Monthly Healthcare Coalition Updates and some Power Point presentations on coalitions.*

<http://www.metrokc.gov/health/hccoalition/index.htm>

**Medical Surge Capacity and Capability Power Point.** Ann R. Knebel, Acting Director of the Office of Mass Casualty Planning for the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, gave this brief presentation at the Academy of Health Annual Meeting in June of 2006 to explain the incorporation of MSCC into the HRSA Grant.

<http://www.academyhealth.org/2006/609/knebela.ppt>

**The Nevada Hospital Association Website.** *The website contains surge capacity links: A 2006 Hospital Surge Capacity Plan, Airborne Infectious Isolation, Hospital Prophylaxis Guide, Decontamination and Mass Decontamination resources.*

<http://www.nvha.net/bio/intro.htm>

**National Disaster Medical System (NDMS) website:** *The National Disaster Medical System (NDMS) is a section within the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency, Response Division, Operations Branch, and is responsible for supporting Federal agencies in the management and coordination of the Federal medical response to major emergencies and Federally declared disasters.*

<http://www.oep-ndms.dhhs.gov/>