



Coalition in Action




NOV 30 - DEC 2, 2021
OMNI ORLANDO RESORT, ORLANDO, FL

The **#NHPC 2021** provided over 40 sessions of content that included strategy innovations and best practices for emergency preparedness and disaster management. Attendees were able to re-connect with others who work in emergency management, healthcare coalitions, volunteer organizations and all levels of government. The keynote speaker was Tania Glenn, PsyD, LCSW who is a leading national clinician in the treatment of PTSD specializing in effective programs that promote resilience and provide critical care to first responders and veterans. To learn more visit about the services Dr. Glenn offers, visit www.taniaglen.com General sessions included *Multiple Disaster Response*, *Innovative Solutions*, and *What's Next for Healthcare Coalitions: Perspectives on the Future*. The exhibit hall allowed attendees to network with industry partners. SCRHC members in attendance were Kathy Watts VUMC Tullahoma, Pat Woodmansee Maury OEM, Mike Bryan Spring Hill Fire and Rescue, and Candace Wilkes and Christina Gerstein Dept. of Health.

**EVOLVING THE CHALLENGES
 OF TODAY INTO THE
 SOLUTIONS
 FOR TOMORROW**



Upcoming Training

**First Responder
 Resiliency TeleECHO** 
**Program every Monday
 3:00-4:00pm**

**Next HCC Meeting via
 Zoom January 26, 2022
 beginning @ 11:00am**

**Regional Hospital
 Calls Jan 13th and
 Jan 27th 2:00pm**

**LTCF Conference Call
 Jan 20th 1:00pm**

Email Christina Gerstein
christina.gerstein@tn.gov
**for meeting invites and to add your
 training to the newsletter.**

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South Central EMS Directors Association Conference

SCEMSDA "We're Back" Conference was held December 1-2, 2021. Providers were able to hear industry leading experts present lectures on hot topics of the pre-hospital and health care industry and were able to participate in hands-on skills and simulations stations. SCRHCC provided the Cadaver Lab and simulators for the Pediatric Respiratory Emergencies Lab. At the conference, an award event was held where several in the field were recognized. Candace Wilkes RHC and the SCRHCC were recognized for contributions to education in the South Central Region. Mike Bryan Spring Hill Fire and Rescue was recognized for his leadership, compassion, and heartfelt work with the Tennessee Disaster Mental Health Strike Team.



John S. Fitzsimmons Legacy Award
Dr. Joe Fite



Excellence in Leadership Award
LeeAnne Boeringer



Paramedic Award
Hunter Case



AEMT Award
Patrick Stewart



EMS Educator Award
Chris Cox



Coalition Highlights

VOLUME 2

Refueling Trailer

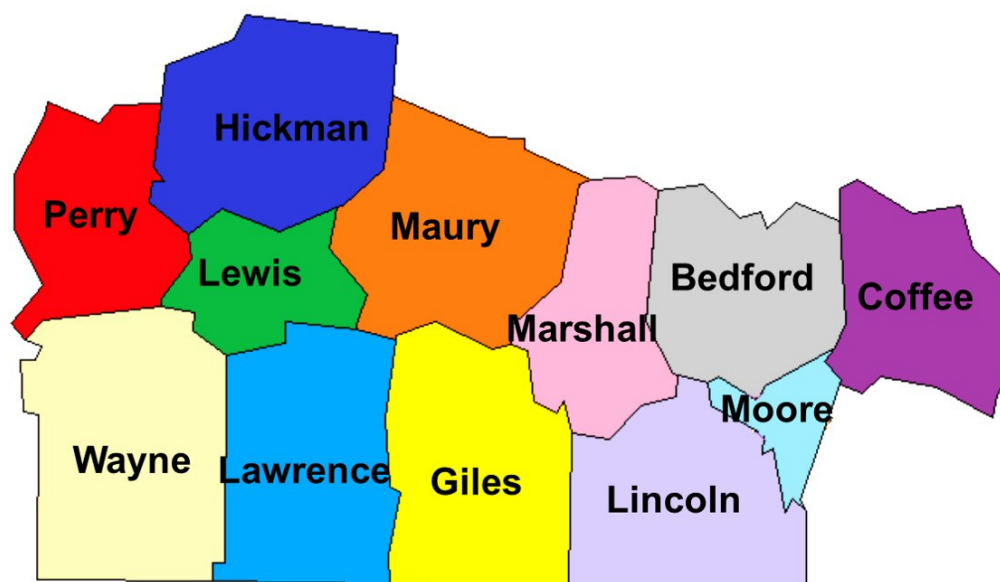
A refueling trailer has been purchased by the Coalition that can be deployed at a moment's notice. This asset has 390 Gallon Steel Tank/Delivery System and 100 Gallon Aluminum Tank/Delivery System on a single axle trailer with electric brakes. Includes 3 ft tool storage area on front as tool catch, or for mounting a tool box, pumps, reel kits, etc. 16-inch 8 bolt galvanized wheels. 10 Ply 3600 lb rated tires. Mounted spare tire and wheel. Four positional 12-volt LED work lights on all four corners. LED marker and taillights. 7 Round Plug. All proper lighting and reflective tape as required by USDOT. Also it is equipped with extra mounted spare tire and wheel, fire extinguisher, and portable air compressor. This asset is housed at Maury OEM.



Powered Air Purifying Respirators

The Coalition purchased 60 3M Versaflo TR-600 Series Powered Air Purifying Respirator kits. When the work environment includes particulate exposures commonly found in healthcare, the 3M™ Versaflo™ Healthcare PAPR Kit helps deliver the comfort and protection health professionals need and depend on. This all in one kit helps protect against airborne particulates. With its comprehensive design, the 3M™ Versaflo™ Healthcare PAPR Kit is designed to help make breathing and working easier. The kit includes: Soft Headtop, Airflow Indicator, Filter, Single Station Battery Charger, Cleaning and Storage Kit, Carrying Bag, TR 602N PAPR Unit, Standard Battery, Adjusting Breathing Tube, Easy Clean Belt, and Filter Cover. These PAPR kits are housed throughout the region.





Board Members

Chair: Kathy Watts
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Lincoln Health System – Randall Parker

Vanderbilt Shelbyville – Joshua Counts

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Marshall Medical Center – Daniel Bailey/Clara Buntley

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Air Medical Services Representative – Dustin Bowman

Saint Thomas Hickman Hospital – Chris Scott

EMA Representative – Angela Phelps

Southern Tennessee Regional Health System – Lawrenceburg – James Lomas

EMS Director Representative – Michael Bonner

Southern Tennessee Regional Health System – Pulaski – Kelly Webb

Fire and Rescue Representative – Mike Bryan

Law Enforcement – No Representative

TriStar Spring Hill ED – Tracy Lewis

Non-Hospital Provider Representative – Sherry Rogers

Vanderbilt Harton – Katrina Jackson

South Central Med-Com – Amanda Schatz

Mission Statement:

The South Central Region Healthcare Coalition (SCRHCC) is a multi-agency coordinating group that primarily assists the hospital/healthcare community and other emergency response agencies to jointly prepare for, respond to, and recover from disaster events. The SCRHCC supports collaborative planning and information sharing among a broad range of hospital/healthcare partners and emergency response agencies in order to protect, promote, and improve the health and well-being of people in Tennessee

Grant Requirements

VOLUME 1

Yearly by June 30th

- **Update Coalition HVA**
- **Updated Membership List**
Member Type, legal name, and address
- **Update Coalition Response Plan**
- **Specialty Surge Annex Requirements**
FY 21-22 Burn Surge Annex (Draft due April 1, 2022 and Final due June 30, 2022) and Tabletop exercise.
- **Review the latest guidance for Ethical Allocation of Scarce Resources**
- **Regional Medical Response and Surge Exercise (MRSE)**
Surge 20% of staffed hospital beds
- **Identify equipment purchased with HPP dollars**
- **Impact Story**
One-pager impact story of the coalition's contribution to an initiative or response during an emergency to demonstrate return on investments.
- **Members complete and submit AAR/IP for incidents, events, and exercises**

Twice a Year

- **Review HHS emPOWER Data**
Public health authorities and their partners in TN use HHS emPOWER Program data and tools to strengthen emergency preparedness, response, recovery, and mitigation. <https://empowerprogram.hhs.gov/>
During the Gatlinburg wildfire, the Tennessee Department of Health used the emPOWER Emergency Response Outreach Individual dataset to rapidly identify at-risk individuals that may be in danger and partnered with the National Guard to conduct life-saving outreach to over 70 oxygen dependent at-risk individuals, one of which was evacuated to receive medical care.
- **Identify deployable equipment and resources intended to be shared in an emergency**
Due August 31st

Quarterly

- **Redundant Communication Drills**
Telephone, Internet, radio, cellular, satellite, other

Resources

<https://www.scrhccoalition.org/>

https://hrts.tn.gov/CEDS_HRTS/Account/Login

TOSHA Issues Emergency Temporary Rule for COVID-19 in Healthcare (tn.gov)

<https://www.phe.gov/preparedness/pages/default.aspx>

<https://www.fema.gov/>

<https://www.cms.gov/Medicare/Provider-Enrollment-and-Certification/SurveyCertEmergPrep/Emergency-Prep-Rule>

<https://www.hhs.gov/>

<https://www.tn.gov/tema.html>

<https://www.tn.gov/health.htm>

<https://www.tn.gov/health/cedep/cedep-emergency-preparedness.html>

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SCR HCC Top 10 Hazard's and Vulnerabilities



November emPOWER Data



Ethical Allocation of Scarce Resources



ASPR Burn Plan Template