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	Health Emergency Preparedness (HEP) Section
Program Name	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) Cooperative Agreement
Program Purpose	The purpose of the Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) Program is to enhance Wisconsin's ability to rapidly mobilize, surge, and respond to public health emergencies identified by CDC.
	The PHEP Program is housed within the Division of Public Health, Office of Preparedness and Emergency Health Care. The program is 100% federally funded through a Centers for Disease Control and Prevention cooperative agreement.
	The Division of Public Health is tasked, under the Wisconsin Emergency Response Plan, to lead efforts related to Emergency Support Function 8 (Health and Medical) and plan and support Emergency Support Function 6 (Mass Care and Human Services) response efforts. To that end, the PHEP program provides technical assistance and guidance as well as communication and logistics to support during disasters and emergencies.
	The PHEP program works closely with tribal health centers and local public health agencies (LPHAs), healthcare systems, emergency management, communities, and individuals to prevent, protect against, quickly respond to, and recover from emergencies with health consequences.
	Activities include but are not limited to preparedness for emerging infectious diseases, bioterrorism, severe weather, chemical exposures, nuclear or radiological incidents and enhancing laboratory, epidemiology, and communication capacity. In addition, the program coordinates the Strategic National Stockpile, which supports states with the ability to receive, distribute, and dispense personal protective equipment (PPE), drugs, and vaccines during a health emergency. The PHEP program develops, facilitates, and evaluates local, regional, and statewide exercises to test and improve public health emergency plans.
	The PHEP program works to make sure that the state of Wisconsin is ready to manage the public health impacts of any emergency affecting our citizens.  The objectives of the PHEP Program are to:
	<ol> <li>Provide local public health agencies and tribal health centers with resources to continue to improve their capacities and capabilities to respond to emergencies within their communities and regions through acquiring and managing grant monies; sharing of guidance, tools, and templates; and offering technical assistance.</li> <li>Support planning and response activities within the Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS), through the coordination of Incident Management System (IMS) training and implementation; development of plans and tools; and facilitation of after action reports and improvement processes.</li> </ol>

- 3. Work both inter-divisionally and intra-divisionally within DHS to ensure that emergency planning and response efforts leverage all relevant subject matter expertise and incorporate diverse perspectives.
- 4. Coordinate and cooperate with external partners (for example, Wisconsin Emergency Management, Wisconsin State Laboratory of Hygiene, Department of Agriculture, Trade and Consumer Protection) in planning for and responding to emergencies in the state of Wisconsin.

In 2011, CDC established 15 capabilities that serve as national standards for public health preparedness planning. Since then, these capability standards have served as a vital framework for state, local, tribal, and territorial preparedness programs as they plan, operationalize, and evaluate their ability to prepare for, respond to, and recover from public health emergencies.

These capabilities were most recently updated by CDC in 2018, and currently comprise the following 15 capabilities, which are organized into six domains:

Domain	Capability
Community Resilience	Community Preparedness
Community Resilience	Community Recovery
Incident Management	Emergency Operations Coordination
Information	Emergency Public Information and Warning
Management	Information Sharing
	Medical Countermeasure Dispensing and Administration
Countermeasures and	Medical Materiel Management and Distribution
Mitigation	Nonpharmaceutical Interventions
	Responder Safety and Health
	Fatality Management
Surge Management	Mass Care
Surge Management	Medical Surge
	Volunteer Management
	Public Health Laboratory Testing
Biosurveillance	Public Health Surveillance and Epidemiological Investigation

Wisconsin Statute	Ch. 257, and Ch. 250 Stats.
Administrative Rule	N/A
Funding Source Federal or General Purpose Revenue (GPR)	Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) Cooperative Agreement: CDC-RFA-TP19-1901

Funding Amount	\$11,399,787.00		
Funding Cycle	July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021 (year 2 of the 5-year cooperative agreement)		
Federal Contact	Federal Project Officer: <u>Alicia Lawson</u> Phone: 404-718-3702	Grants Management Specialist:  Michael Embry Phone: 770-488-2881	
Data Items Collected	CDC Emergency Preparedness Perform Capabilities Planning Guide (CPG) Jurisdictional Risk Assessment (JRA) Operational Readiness Reviews (ORRs Quarterly Medical Countermeasures (M Quarterly PHEP Technical Assistance A Exercise Documentation Updated Administrative Preparedness R Epidemiological Data in Wisconsin Elect (WEDSS) Wisconsin Emergency Assistance Volume Web Based Emergency Operations Cerpoison Control Center Data  Local and Tribal Public Health Required Hazard Vulnerability Assessments (HVA Emergency Contacts for staff assigned Point of Dispensing (POD) Management Points of Contact for CDC Pandemic Information for local and region System (IMATS) users Epidemiological Investigation Data in Wind Action Plans Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluate Exercise, or Real Event Documentation	Complete Com	
Advisory/Work Group	Public Health Preparedness Advisory Committee (PHPAC): The Wisconsin Department of Health Services proposed that its statewide PHPAC become an official committee of the Public Health Council (senior advisory committee). This proposal was accepted in early 2020, but due to COVID-19 response, implementation has been delayed. The goal of this revitalized PHPAC under the Public Health Council will be to provide policy, program, and resource allocation recommendations to help assure that Wisconsin is prepared to effectively and efficiently prevent, detect and report, investigate, control, and recover from public health emergencies.		
	PHEP Local Capabilities Workgroup: The establish a mechanism for integrating lo		

	tribal health centers' feedback into the development of local contract objectives and work plans for each PHEP budget period.
Subcontracts	Wisconsin 2-1-1 Bureau of Information Technology Services (BITS) CRI Jurisdictions Commercial Air Critical Incident Stress Management (CISM) Training Integrated Communications, Inc. Disaster Behavioral Health Training Health Emergency Preparedness Conference (cancelled in 20-21 budget period) Language Translation and Interpreter Services Local Public Health Agencies (85 total) Medical Reserve Corps (8 total) RAVE Tribal Health Centers (11 total) Wisconsin Community Action Program Association (WISCAP) Wisconsin Department of Justice WEAVR WebEOC WEDSS Wisconsin Poison Control Center Wisconsin State Laboratory of Hygiene (WSLH)
Resources Provided	Regional Healthcare Emergency Readiness Coalition Support, Partner Training and Exercising, Fiscal and Technical Support, Webpages, Wisconsin Partner Communication & Alerting (PCA) Portal, PHEP Q & A Webinars, Local Capabilities Work Group support
Point of Contact	Health Emergency Preparedness Section Manager: <u>David Rozell</u> Phone: 608-267-3319

Health Emergency Preparedness Section		
Program Name	Center for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) Cooperative Agreement for Emergency Response: Public Health Crisis Response	
	COVID-19 Crisis Response Cooperative Agreement: Components A and B Supplemental Funding (CDC COVID)	
Program Purpose	Provide resources to prevent, prepare for, and respond to COVID-19. This funding is intended for state, local, territorial, and tribal health departments to carry out surveillance, epidemiology, laboratory capacity, infection control, mitigation, communications, and other preparedness and response activities.	
Wisconsin Statute	Ch. 257, and Ch. 250 Stats.	
Administrative Rule	N/A	

Funding Source Federal or GPR	Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Coronavirus Preparedness and Response Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2020 (P.L. 116-123): CDC-RFA-TP18-1802	
Funding Amount	\$10,700,192	
Funding Cycle	March 5, 2020 – March 15, 20	22
Federal Contact	Federal Project Officer:  Noelle Anderson Phone: 404-772.4630  Grants Management Specialist:  Emmanuella Lamothe	
Data Items Collected	COVID-19 Community Intervention Implementation Plan Summary Performance Measure Data Local and Tribal Year-End Progress Report	
Advisory/Work Group	N/A	
Subcontracts	Local Public Health Agencies and Tribal Health Centers Wisconsin State Laboratory of Hygiene Wisconsin Electronic Disease Surveillance System (WEDSS)	
Resources Provided	Surveillance, Laboratory Testing, and Reporting; COVID-19 Community Intervention Implementation Plan (Badger Bounce Back); Fiscal and Technical Assistance to Local and Tribal Public Health; Coordination of Wisconsin's Emergency Assistance Volunteer Registry (WEAVR); RSS Site Operations; Public COVID-19 Data Dashboards; WEDSS Training and Support; WEDSS Enhancements; WEDSS COVID-19 Self-Reporting Application Development	
Point of Contact	Health Emergency Preparedness Section Manager:  David Rozell Phone: 608-267-3319	

	Wisconsin Health Emergency Prep	paredness Section
Program Name	Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR) Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) Cooperative Agreement	
Program Purpose	The Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) is housed within the Division of Public Health, Office of Preparedness and Emergency Health Care. The program is 100% federally funded through the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR).	
The purpose of this program is to strengthen and enhance the medical surge capacity through the maintenance and growth of care coalitions (HCCs) within each HPP-funded state, territory associated state, and locality. This program provides funds to medical surge capacity by ensuring that HPP recipients 1) for and activities that advance progress toward meeting the goals capabilities detailed in the 2017–2022 Health Care Prepared Response Capabilities, and 2) document progress in establish response-ready health care systems through strong HCCs.  HPP Capabilities include:  1. Foundation for Health Care and Medical Readiness 2. Healthcare and Medical Response Coordination 3. Continuity of Health Care Service Directory 4. Medical Surge		ntenance and growth of strong health -funded state, territory, freely gram provides funds to build acute care t HPP recipients 1) focus on objectives ward meeting the goals of the four Health Care Preparedness and nt progress in establishing or maintaining
		Coordination
Wisconsin Statute	N/A	
Administrative Rule	N/A	
Funding Source Federal or GPR	Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR) Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) Cooperative Agreement: 5 U3REP190586-02-00	
Funding Amount	\$3,417,594.00	
Funding Cycle	State Fiscal Year: July 1, 2020–June 30, 2021	
Federal Contact	Federal Project Officer: CAPT. Duane Wagner Phone: 202-329-7205	Chief Grants Management Officer: Virginia Simmons Phone: 202-260-0400
Data Items Collected	HPP Performance Measures HSEEP Hospital Exercise data Communications Drills data	
Advisory/Work Group	Healthcare Emergency Readiness Coalition (HERC) Advisory Group	
Subcontracts	Crisis Standards of Care Coordinator Electronic Incident Command System (eICS) Emergency Management Resource (EMResource) Great Lakes Health Care Partnership	

	Healthcare Emergency Readiness Coalitions (HERCs) Healthcare Emergency Readiness Coalition (HERC) Coordinators O'Mara Moving Systems Trauma Registrar Support Wisconsin Hospital Association Wisconsin Primary Health Care Association Wisconsin Interoperable System for Communications (WISCOM)
Resources Provided	Regional Healthcare Emergency Readiness Coalition Support, Partner Training and Exercising, Fiscal and Technical Support, Webpages, EMResource, WISCOM, Emergency Management Track (EMTrack), eICS
Point of Contact	Health Emergency Preparedness Section Manager: <u>David Rozell</u> Phone: 608-267-3319

Wisconsin Health Emergency Preparedness Section		
Program Name	National Bioterrorism Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP COVID)	
Program Purpose	In response to the COVID-19 outbreak, Congress appropriated emergency supplemental funding to support the urgent preparedness and response needs of hospitals, health systems, and health care workers on the front lines of this pandemic. As part of this emergency supplemental funding, ASPR provided \$42,000,000 for the Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) cooperative agreement. This funding supports health care coalitions (HCCs), emergency medical services (EMS), state and jurisdiction special pathogen treatment centers, and other health care entities to prepare them to identify, isolate, assess, transport, and treat patients with COVID-19 or persons under investigation (PUIs) for COVID-19, as well as to prepare those entities for future special pathogen disease outbreaks.	
Wisconsin Statute	N/A	
Administrative Rule	N/A	
Funding Source Federal or GPR	Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR) Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) Cooperative Agreement: 5 U3REP190586-02-00	
Funding Amount	\$2,727,630.00	
Funding Cycle	July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021	
Federal Contact	Federal Project Officer: CAPT. Duane Wagner Phone: 202-329-7205	Chief Grants Management Officer: Virginia Simmons Phone: 202-260-0400

Data Items Collected	N/A
Advisory/Work Group	N/A
Subcontracts	Special Pathogen Treatment Centers Healthcare Emergency Readiness Coalitions (HERCs) Emergency Medical Services Emergency Medical Services for Children Division of Care Treatment Services Statewide HERC Coordinator Position Managed Care Organizations Wisconsin State Laboratory of Hygiene (WSLH)
Resources Provided	Fiscal Support
Point of Contact	Health Emergency Preparedness Section Manager:  David Rozell Phone: 608-267-3319

Wisconsin Health Emergency Preparedness Section		
Program Name	Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) Ebola Preparedness and Response Activities	
Program Purpose	Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) will support health care system preparedness for Ebola, including Ebola assessment hospitals and, working through healthcare coalitions, Ebola preparedness activities.	
Wisconsin Statute	N/A	
Administrative Rule	N/A	
Funding Source Federal or GPR	Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), Assistant Secretary of Preparedness and Response (ASPR)	
Funding Amount	\$3,068,765.00	
Funding Cycle	May 18, 2015 – May 17, 2021	
Federal Contact	Federal Project Officer: Jennifer Hannah Phone: 202-245-0722	Chief Grants Management Officer: Virginia Simmons Phone: 202-260-0400
Data Items Collected	HPP Ebola Drills	
Advisory/Work Group	N/A	

Subcontracts	Wisconsin Special Pathogen Treatment Centers Wisconsin's Health Care Emergency Readiness Coalitions	
Resources Provided	N/A	
Point of Contact		

	Health Emergency Preparedness S	ection
Program Name	Wisconsin Trauma Care Program	
Program Purpose	<ul> <li>The purpose of Wisconsin's statewide trauma care system is to reduce death and disability resulting from traumatic injury by decreasing the incidence of trauma, providing optimal care of trauma victims and their families, and collecting and analyzing trauma-related data.</li> <li>Objectives of the WI Trauma Care Program include: <ol> <li>Utilizing Wisconsin Trauma Registry injury data to improve patient care, to provide trauma injury training, and to define measurable care standards.</li> <li>Analyzing trauma injury data to evaluate the delivery of adult and pediatric health care.</li> <li>Identifying continuous quality improvement opportunities and injury prevention strategies.</li> </ol> </li></ul>	
Wisconsin Statute	s. 15.197(25) and s. 256.25, Stats.	
Administrative Rule	Chapter DHS 118	
Funding Source Federal or GPR	WI General Purpose Revenue 101 and 102 WI Department of Transportation Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR) Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) Cooperative Agreement	
Funding Amount	GPR \$543,500 DOT \$80,000 HPP \$170,056 Total \$793,556	
Funding Cycle	State Fiscal Year: July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021	
Federal Contact	N/A	N/A

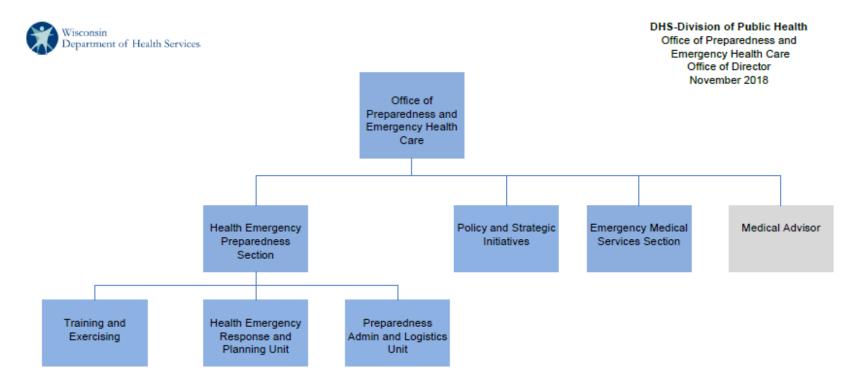
Data Items Collected	The Wisconsin Trauma Registry contains injury information from patients presenting to local hospitals that are classified through the trauma system (both trauma-designated and non-designated hospitals). DHS 118.09 provides the authority for the Department of Health Services to collect and analyze trauma system data to evaluate the delivery of adult and pediatric trauma care, develop injury prevention strategies for all ages, and provide resources for research and education. DHS 118.09(3) directs all hospitals, ambulance service providers, and first responder services to submit data to the department on a quarterly basis determined by the department.	
Advisory/Work Group	Regional Trauma Advisory Councils (RTAC) Statewide Trauma Advisory Council (STAC) Trauma Coordinator Sub-Committee Data Management Sub-Committee Performance Improvement Sub-Committee Classification Review Committee	
Subcontracts	RTAC Coordinators RTAC Fiscal Agents Classification Review Committee Members ImageTrend	
Resources	RTAC Support, Technical Assistance, Trauma Registry Database, STAC Webpages	
Point of Contact	Health Emergency Preparedness Section Manager:  David Rozell Phone: 608-267-3319	

Emergency Medical Services Section			
Program Name	Emergency Medical Services (EMS)		
Program Purpose	The EMS program regulates and licenses emergency medical service providers and EMS service agencies.		
	<ol> <li>Objectives of the EMS Program include:         <ol> <li>Providing professional licensure oversight of all licensed EMS practitioners and ambulance and Emergency Medical Technicians service providers.</li> <li>Developing and implementing EMS program standards, scopes of practice, and community services.</li> <li>Coordinating with state and national professional associations representing the EMS providers.</li> <li>Coordinating training curriculum and certified trainers with the Wisconsin Technical College System.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Collecting and analyzing Wisconsin Ambulance Run Data System (WARDS) data in an effort to identify quality improvements, EMS training needs, and the utilization of current best practices.</li> </ol>		
Wisconsin Statute	Ch. 256 Stats.		
Administrative Rule	Chapters DHS 110 and 119		
Funding Source Federal or GPR	GPR Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR) Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) Cooperative Agreement, Small interagency service agreements		
Funding Amount	GPR \$2,441,600 HPP \$50,000 Total \$2,491,600		
Funding Cycle	State Fiscal Year: July 1, 2020 – June 30, 2021		
Federal Contact	Federal Program Contact Name: N/A	Federal Budget Contact Name: N/A	
Data Items Collected	Ambulance run data through the Wisconsin Ambulance Run Data System (WARDS) and personnel and licensing information through the E-Licensing program		
Advisory/Work Group	EMS Advisory Board (Governor Appointed) Physician Advisory Council (PAC)		
Subcontracts	EMS Medical Director (Medical College of Wisconsin)		
Resources	WARDS Data, E-Licensing Data, EMS Website, Regional Coordinators, Emergency Medical Services for Children (EMSC) Website, EMS Advisory Board, and PAC information		

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	Jeff Phillips
	Phone: 608-267-7178

Emergency Medical Services Section			
Program Name	Emergency Medical Services for Children		
Program Purpose	The EMSC program works to expand the capacity and improve the quality of pediatric emergency care across pre-hospital and hospital settings. This is accomplished through collaborative efforts, advocacy, consultation, and federal partnerships to facilitate successful achievement of EMSC national performance measures.		
	Objectives of the EMSC Program include:  1. Providing the health care system with resources to manage and monitor pediatric medical services in a pre-hospital and hospital setting.  2. Providing technical expertise, current best practices, and cutting edge information to pediatric medical providers and the EMS community.		
Wisconsin Statute	s. 256.08 Stats. and s. 146.53, Stats.		
Administrative Rule	Wisconsin Admin. Code §§ DHS 110.03, 111.03, 112.03, 124.24, and ch. DHS 118.		
Funding Source Federal or GPR	Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), and EMSC State Partnership Grant: 5 H33MC06681-05-00		
Funding Amount	\$130,000		
Funding Cycle	April 1, 2018 – March 31, 2022		
Federal Contact	Federal Program Contact: <u>Lorah Ludwig</u> Phone: 301-443-2560	Federal Budget Contact: Sharon Farris Phone: 301-945-9883	
Data Items Collected	Data from EMS agencies and emergency departments in Wisconsin is collected and sent directly to the National EMSC Data Analysis Resource Center (NEDARC). The data will help Wisconsin develop a strategic plan to address EMSC Performance Measures (02, 03, 06, and 07) and to increase emergency department pediatric readiness.		
Advisory/Work Group	WI EMSC Advisory Committee		
Subcontracts	Children's Health Alliance of Wisconsin (CHAW)		
Resources	Technical Assistance, Webpages, Regional Support for Health Care system		
Point of Contact	Preparedness Administrative and Logistics Unit Supervisor: <u>Jessica Link-Reeve</u> Phone: 608-334-2419		

Appendix A: OPEHC Organizational Chart



Appendix B: Statutes and Admin Codes

Category	Policy	Comments	
	Emergency Preparedness		
Statute	Chapter 250 of the Wisconsin	Describes the administration, supervision,	
	Statutes	powers, and duties of state health activities	
Statute	Chapter 251 of the Wisconsin	Describes the structure, duties, and levels	
	Statutes	of services of local health departments	
Statute	Chapter 252 of the Wisconsin	Describes departmental powers, duties, and	
	<u>Statutes</u>	authority regarding communicable diseases	
Statute	Chapter 257 of the Wisconsin	Describes the indemnification of volunteer health	
	<u>Statutes</u>	care practitioners and health care facilities and	
		establishes an electronic system for volunteer	
		registry of practitioners	
Statute	Chapter 323 of the Wisconsin	Describes agency responsibilities during public	
	<u>Statutes</u>	health emergencies	
		1edical Services	
Statute	Chapter 256 of the Wisconsin		
	<u>Statutes</u>		
Statute	Wis. Stat. § 343.305(6)(a) Implied	Implied Consent Approved Laboratories for	
	Consent Approved Laboratories for	Alcohol, Controlled Substances, and Controlled	
	Alcohol, Controlled Substances, and	Substance Analogs (PDF)	
	Controlled Substance Analogs (PDF)		
Admin	Chapter DHS 110	EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES	
Code	EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES	LICENSING, CERTIFICATION, AND TRAINING	
	LICENSING, CERTIFICATION, AND	REQUIREMENTS	
	TRAINING REQUIREMENTS		
	Trauma		
Admin	DHS 118		
Code			
Admin	DHS 118 Appendix A		
Code			