

## GSHCC Partners:

State ESF#8—Health &  
Medical Leads  
Hospitals  
Public Health  
Community Health Centers  
Ambulatory Surgery Centers  
Federally Qualified  
Health Centers  
Hospice & Palliative  
Care Agencies  
Long Term Care Facilities  
EMS Providers  
Emergency Management  
Behavioral Health  
Home Health Agencies  
Dialysis Centers  
Urgent Care Centers  
Volunteer Organizations  
Law Enforcement  
Primary Care Practices  
Non-Government  
Organizations  
Local Chapters of  
Associations  
Educational Entities

# Granite State Health Care Coalition

## *Our vision...*

Under the mission of the Foundation for Healthy Communities to improve health and well-being for all, the Granite State Health Care Coalition (GSHCC) works with partners to improve the readiness of New Hampshire's healthcare system.

## *What is the GSHCC?*

The Granite State Health Care Coalition is a network of representatives from public and private organizations from across the healthcare and public health landscape in New Hampshire. The GSHCC assists healthcare and public health partners in preparing for, responding to, and recovering from events impacting the health care system in New Hampshire. The GSHCC serves as a support to ESF-8 through preparedness, response, and recovery efforts, including in response to planned and real-world events.

## *Why join?*

Local and regional disasters are likely to create a surge of patients and casualties that might overwhelm our healthcare system and providers. The Granite State Health Care Coalition provides the opportunity for providers, healthcare and public health organizations to plan, prepare and train for catastrophic events through collaboration essential to integrated disaster response.

## *Our objectives...*

- Develop relationships with healthcare and public health partners
- Participate in coordinated trainings and exercises that test organizational and response capabilities
- Expand regional planning and agreements
- Bridge the gaps between partners
- Improve communication and information sharing
- Assist in building community resilience
- Provide access to situational awareness
- Provide access to communication systems
- Provide guidance and management of Juvenile systems
- Share best practices and lessons learned



# Member Benefits

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## General Member Benefits

- Enhanced communication with healthcare partner organizations such as:
  - > Coalition partner organizations
  - > Cross-border/cross discipline-collaboration
- GSHCC Newsletter and educational updates
- Educational opportunities including:
  - > Assistance and logistical support arranging facility education and/or training
- Situational awareness information for planned and real-world events
- Potential to benefit from GSHCC group equipment purchases, as applicable
- Access to GSHCC events including conferences and membership meetings
- Technical assistance during incident response
- Hazard Vulnerability Analysis (HVA) Tools and Templates
- Access to forums to share lessons learned and best practices
- Exercise assistance including:
  - > Tabletop exercise toolkits
  - > Opportunity to participate in the annual Medical Response & Surge Exercise (MRSE) and other exercises, as applicable

## Supporting Member Benefits

*In addition to all the General Membership benefits listed above, with a signed Letter of Support from leadership of your organization, you receive all the following:*

- One voting member/organization at annual membership meetings
- Enhanced communication with member organizations
- Educational opportunities
  - > Logistical support to arrange specialized facility/regional education and resources
  - > Preferential pre-registration access to GSHCC sponsored conferences and training opportunities (where applicable)
  - > Potential registration fee discount on GSHCC sponsored conferences and training opportunities
- Exercise assistance including:
  - > Preferred access to Exercise and Training assistance
  - > Access to HSEEP Evaluator(s)
  - > Ready made table top exercises
  - > Access to best practice exercise development templates and After-Action Report templates
- Technical Assistance to meet compliance requirements
- Access to reduced pricing on GSHCC group equipment purchases, when applicable
- Assistance with NIMS compliance

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