

May 6, 2026

9:00am-3:45pm

Southern New Hampshire University

Dining Center, Manchester, NH

agenda

Registration, Networking, and Breakfast

8:00am-9:00am

GSHCC Welcome

GSHCC Leadership

Overview of the GSHCC, initiatives and activities, membership, and housekeeping items.

9:00am-9:20am

Session 1

9:20am-10:30am

From the Server Room to the Sterile Room: Stopping Cyber Threats Before They Disrupt Patients

Joe Villers, Protective Security Advisor, Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency- Region 1 NH

Rick Rossi, Cybersecurity Advisor/ State Coordinator Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency- Region 1 NH

This session, will demystify today's most common cyber threats (phishing, credential theft, vendor/supply-chain issues, and more) and show how they connect to the physical world—think tailgating, lost badges, and USB drop attacks. You'll learn simple, proven habits that any staff member can use to protect patients and keep facilities running: spotting and reporting scams, using strong authentication, handling devices safely, and coordinating quickly when something feels off.

Break

10:30am-10:45am

Session 2

10:45am-11:55am

The AI Surge and the Resiliency Gap: Preparing Healthcare for What Comes Next

Adam Landman, Chief Digital Information Officer at Brown University Health in Providence RI

This session will highlight how AI is being used today in clinical care and what the next wave of innovation may mean for hospitals. We'll also examine the growing resiliency gap as cyber incidents, cloud dependencies, and vendor constraints create longer and more complex downtimes. Using recent lessons learned, we'll discuss what organizations should expect during recovery and practical steps to strengthen preparedness.

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Lunch and Networking

11:55am-12:55pm

Session 3

12:55pm-2:05pm

From Risk to Resilience: Coordination Response in an Assisted Living Evacuation; Are You Prepared?

Kristie Daigneault, Executive Director, Wheelock Terrace

Stephanie Locke, Bureau Chief, Bureau of Emergency Preparedness, Response, and Recovery, DPH, NH DHHS

Michael Gilbert, Chief Hanover Fire Department

This session highlights a real-world, partnership-driven evacuation, showcasing how unified incident management, healthcare coalition coordination, and clear communication ensured resident safety and continuity of care. Join us to explore key lessons learned and assess your readiness to respond when vulnerable populations depend on you most.

Break

2:05pm- 2:20pm

Session 4

2:20pm-3:30pm

Sky Meadow Country Club Shooting: Preparedness as the Decisive Variable

Stacey Carroll, Emergency Management Director/ EMS Coordinator, Southern New Hampshire Medical Center

Emily Martuscello, Emergency Management Director, City of Nashua, New Hampshire

Stephanie Locke, Bureau Chief, Bureau of Emergency Preparedness, Response, and Recovery, DPH, NH DHHS

This session examines a real-world mass trauma incident through the lens of ESF-8 coordination, hospital response, and family assistance operations. Using a chronological case study, presenters from local emergency management, hospital emergency management, and state disaster behavioral health will highlight what worked, what required rapid adaptation, and what has changed since.

Closing Remarks

3:30pm-3:40pm

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Final remarks will be offered by the GSHCC team. Participants will be asked to complete a brief conference evaluation survey.

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