

**DSLRL**

# FRIDAY UPDATE

**September 1, 2023**

CDC's Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) program is a critical source of funding, guidance, and technical assistance for state, local, and territorial public health departments to strengthen their public health preparedness capabilities and improve their response readiness. The Division of State and Local Readiness (DSLRL) Friday Update provides information and resources for PHEP recipients and other preparedness planners. Please share the newsletter with your colleagues.

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## PHEP Cooperative Agreement Updates

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CDC will conduct a replay of the special PHEP recipient call held on August 30. The replay is scheduled for **8 p.m. EDT on Wednesday, September 6**. This call provided updates related to the Division of State and Local Readiness (DSLRL) reorganization efforts, the Crisis Response Cooperative Agreement, and other programmatic activities. CDC representatives will be on the call to answer any questions at the end of the replay. Following is the participant information.

#### Participant Information

Dial-In: (669) 254-5252 (Audio only)

Meeting ID: 161 797 2467

Passcode: 59253704

Web Link: <https://cdc.zoomgov.com/j/1617972467?pwd=VnJVWE13YnVmUWFDbGI5M29lcXRmZz09>



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## Preparedness and Response Resources

### **NACCHO Launches New Refugee, Immigrant, and Migrant Programs Webpage**

National Association of County and City Health Officials (NACCHO) launched a new [Refugee, Immigrant, and Migrant Programs](#) webpage – a dedicated online space tailored to the unique needs of Refugee, Immigrant, and Migrant (RIM) communities. The RIM website provides access to an extensive array of resources, tools, and insights designed to support efforts in addressing the challenges faced by RIM populations.



## News You Can Use

### **CDC Awards \$279M to 49 States, the District of Columbia, and 40 Local Health Departments to Help Prevent Drug Overdoses**

CDC recently awarded \$279 million to 49 states, the District of Columbia, and 40 local health departments to help stop overdoses within their communities. The resources come from two new [Overdose Data to Action \(OD2A\)](#) funding opportunities and fill a longstanding gap in funding for local communities by specifically supporting city, county, and territorial health departments. The OD2A funds will help states and communities respond more quickly, effectively, and equitably to prevent overdose death and injury.

Read the full press release at [CDC Awards \\$279M to 49 States, the District of Columbia, and 40 Local Health Departments to Help Prevent Drug Overdoses](#).

### **CDC Launches New Effort Aimed at Strengthening Survival and Recovery Rates for Sepsis Patients**

CDC recently launched the [Hospital Sepsis Program Core Elements](#) to support all U.S. hospitals in ensuring effective teams and resources are in place to be able to quickly identify sepsis and save more lives. This new, critical resource is intended to help hospitals implement, monitor, and optimize sepsis programs and improve survival rates. CDC's latest survey of 5,221 hospitals found 73% report having sepsis teams, but only half (55%) report that team leaders are provided with dedicated time to manage sepsis programs.

Read the full media statement at [CDC Launches New Effort Aimed at Strengthening Survival and Recovery Rates for All Sepsis Patients](#).

### **CDC Issues Health Update on Locally Acquired Malaria Cases Identified in Florida, Texas, and Maryland**

On August 28, CDC issued a [health update](#) to share new information with clinicians, public health authorities, and the public about locally acquired malaria cases identified in the United States. CDC is collaborating with the [Maryland](#) Department of Health on the investigation of a single case of locally transmitted *P. falciparum* malaria identified in the National Capital Region this month. This follows the identification of unrelated episodes of local transmission of malaria—[Florida](#) has identified seven cases and [Texas](#) has identified one case of locally acquired *P. vivax* malaria. All patients received treatment and are improving clinically. Surveillance for additional cases of malaria, as well as malaria-related mosquito surveillance and control, will continue in all three states for a period of eight weeks following the most recent case in each state.

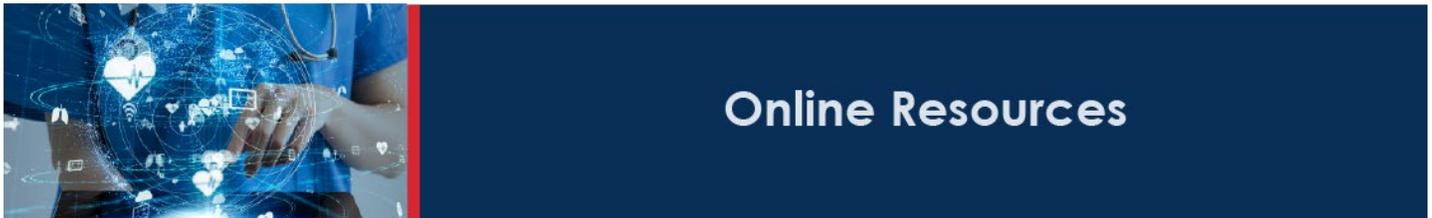


### **CDC Learning Connection Highlights Online Trainings**

Close out the summer with the featured trainings on [CDC Learning Connection](#).

- Learn how to diagnose and manage alpha-gal syndrome (AGS), a tick bite-associated allergic condition also called red meat allergy, with [Assessing Current Practice](#). Free continuing education credit is available.
- [Haemophilus influenzae type b \(Hib\)](#), a type of bacteria, can cause severe infections. Learn how to protect children through vaccination with [You Call the Shots: Hib](#). Free continuing education credit is available.
- Drawings, charts, graphs, and other visuals can make complex health information easier to understand. Learn how to create effective visuals with [Visualizing Data Stories](#).
- Learn how to prevent and treat fetal alcohol spectrum disorders (FASDs) with [FASD Primer for Healthcare Professionals](#). Free continuing education credit is available.

[Sign up](#) to receive the CDC Learning Connection newsletter to stay informed about public health trainings from CDC and partners.



## CDC MMWR Reports

- [Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report, September 1](#)
- [Fatalities in Oil and Gas Extraction Database, an Industry-Specific Worker Fatality Surveillance System — United States, 2014–2019](#)
- [Nonfatal and Fatal Falls Among Adults Aged ≥65 Years — United States, 2020–2021](#)
- [Possible Exposures Among Mpox Patients Without Reported Male-to-Male Sexual Contact — Six U.S. Jurisdictions, November 1–December 14, 2022](#)
- [Drug Overdose Deaths with Evidence of Counterfeit Pill Use — United States, July 2019–December 2021](#)
- [Outbreak of Multidrug-Resistant Tuberculosis — Kansas, 2021–2022](#)
- [Vital Signs: Maternity Care Experiences — United States, April 2023](#)
- [Notes from the Field: Outbreak of Norovirus Illness Caused by Consumption of Oysters Harvested from Galveston Bay, Texas — November–December 2022](#)
- [Erratum: Vol 71, No. 48](#)
- [QuickStats: Age-Adjusted Rates of Death Involving Exposure to Excessive Heat Among States with the Highest Numbers of Deaths — National Vital Statistics System, United States, 2021](#)

## Mpox Guidance and Resources

- **UPDATED** [Cleaning and Disinfecting](#)
- **UPDATED** [Special Population Considerations](#)
- **UPDATED** [How to Protect Yourself](#)

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