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Planning for Hospital Pediatric Surge: Solutions Within Reach

AAP Children's Hospitals and Preparedness Webinar Series

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Disasters are unpredictable and can lead to a surge of patients arriving at hospital emergency departments. Advance planning for children's hospitals is critical to ensure that the hospital is ready for such events. Efforts to improve children's hospital planning for a surge of pediatric patients include developing a written plan, exercising the plan, and implementing steps to improve preparedness for various events where there might be a surge of pediatric patients (e.g., natural disasters, mass casualty events, infectious disease outbreaks).

In addition, the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) finalized the *Emergency Preparedness Requirements for Medicare and Medicaid Participating Providers and Suppliers* rule to:

1. Establish consistent emergency preparedness requirements for health care providers participating in Medicare and Medicaid;
2. Increase patient safety during emergencies; and
3. Establish a more coordinated response to natural and man-made disasters.

If hospital surge capacity is identified as a gap or area of concern, related planning and exercises will help impacted hospitals not only improve readiness but also achieve the rule requirements.

This free webinar will provide approaches for children's hospitals to consider when planning to manage a surge of pediatric patients, including the development of a written plan and steps that can be taken to exercise the plan, which will lead to improved preparedness for future events. The webinar will also touch on how emergency departments and hospitals could develop a pediatric surge plan and drill it to address CMS emergency preparedness rule requirements.

By the end of this webinar, participants will be able to:

- Recognize various types of pediatric surge.
- Determine the key components of a hospital pediatric surge plan.
- Understand how to implement planning steps to improve preparedness for a surge of pediatric patients.
- Identify where to find the most up-to-date recommendations and resources.

While this webinar is focused on children's hospitals, physicians in community hospitals can also utilize these steps. This webinar is open, so anyone can participate, so long as they register. Individuals can submit questions ahead of time to DisasterReady@aap.org or live during the Q&A portion of the webinar. This webinar will be archived for viewing after the live presentation.

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