Lessons Learned & Evaluation Community of Practice

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About the Deep South Biosafety WTP

Our Consortium:

Courses Offered:

• Awareness (online and in-person) – 4 hours
• Operations (in-person) – 4 hours
• Train-the-Trainer (blended) – 6 hours

Geographic Region:

• Alabama, Mississippi, Florida Panhandle
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Target Audience – Who We Train

- Nurse (RN/LPN): 36%
- Firefighter: 23%
- General Healthcare Profession: 6%
- Emergency Management: 4%
- EMS: 6%
- Other Professions: 5%
- Funeral Services: 2%
- Clerical/Administration: 2%
- Public Health: 3%
- Dental: 2%
- Emergency Management: 3%
- Unknown: 1%
- Law Enforcement: 1%
- Optometry: 1%
- Other Professions: 5%
- Healthcare Tech.: 2%
- Health Edu.: 2%
- Physician/PA: 3%
- Unknown: 1%
- Healthcare Tech.: 2%
- Health Edu.: 2%
LESSONS LEARNED – PROGRAM
Online Awareness Module for Healthcare

Biosafety and Infectious Disease Awareness: Health and Safety...

DEEP SOUTH BIOSAFETY WORKER TRAINING PROGRAM

Biosafety and Infectious Disease Awareness:
Health and Safety Essentials for Workers

Instructor: Andres Viles, MSN, RN, CCNS

Instructor Bio
Senior Simulation Coordinator

Professional Simulation for Innovative Clinical Practice
Deep South Biosafety WTP Course Registration Form

- Please select your desired course *
  - Select -

- First Name *

- Last Name *

- Credentials

  ex. MD, RN, PhD, EMT-P, MPH, CHES, etc.
Instructor Demonstration
Pre-Built PPE Kits

**Items Needed for Donning**
- Clear plastic boot covers
- Blue mid-calf boot covers
- Blue bouffant cap
- N-95 masks
- Hood
- Blue impermeable gown
- Face/Splash shield
- Pair of inner gloves (Green)
- Pair of outer gloves (Blue)
- Donning Checklist

**Needed for Doffing**
- Doffing Pad
- Extra Gloves
- Anti-bacterial hand wipes
Donning and Doffing Practice Sessions

Teamwork & repetition of Donning/Doffing PPE

LESSONS LEARNED - EVALUATION
Lessons Learned from Participants

• Raised awareness regarding hazards in the workplace

• Participants saw the benefits for their everyday practice

• Useful for helping them improve their policies and procedures (ex. building carts for PPE, health and safety plans)

• Material useful in new employee orientation
Lessons Learned from Evaluation Process

• **Common metrics**: useful in looking across all courses offered throughout the grant

• **Follow-up-survey**: challenging - very low response rates

• **Stories of impact** (debriefs, networking/connections made) vs. **quantitative data** (from follow-up survey)
Plotting Reach

🌟 Training Locations

- At least one trainee has participated from this zip code
Contact Information

• Questions? Comments?

• Deep South Biosafety Worker Training Program Contact Information
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