



2024 Annual Preparedness Symposia

08:00 – 09:00	Registration & Breakfast (provided)	CPERS Staff
09:00 – 09:15	Introduction and Welcome	CPERS Staff
09:15 – 09:45	Nebraska DHHS State of the State Our State of the State will give an update on DHHS’s mission and current goals and activities related to preparedness	NE DHHS Preparedness Program Staff
09:45 – 10:45	Chemical Annex/ChemPack Program Review This session will provide an overview of the Healthcare Coalition Chemical Response Annex. It will also include a briefing on the availability and capabilities of the Nebraska Chempack program.	Kathy Jacobitz
10:45 – 11:00	Break	-
11:00 – 12:00	Chemical Warfare and Terrorism: A Primer	Ted Cieslak, MD
12:00 – 1:00	Lunch (Provided)	
1:00 – 2:00	Business Continuity: Where to start! This session will include information on creating a business continuity plan for your organization.	Keith F. Hansen, MBA
2:00 – 3:00	Crisis Standards of Care This session will provide an overview of the contents of the NE State Crisis Standards of Care plan.	Rachel Lookadoo, JD And Abbey Lowe, PhD
03:00 – 03:15	Break	
03:15 – 4:15	Hazmat Teams: Roles and Capabilities This session will provide an overview of the capabilities of regional Hazmat teams in Nebraska.	Presenter varies by Region
04:15 – 4:30	Closing Remarks	CPERS Staff

OMHCC - March 19, Bellevue University, Bellevue
 RROMRS - April 3, Divot's Conference Center, Norfolk
 TRIMRS - April 10, Younes Convention Center/Holiday Inn, Kearney
 PRMRS - May 6, Prairie Winds Community Center, Bridgeport
 NPHCC - May 8, Mid-Plains Community Center, North Platte
 SENHCC - June 10, The Vintage Venue, Beatrice