Nebraska Healthcare Coalitions

“Health care coalitions (HCCs) are groups of individual healthcare and response organizations – such as hospitals, EMS providers, emergency management organizations, public health agencies, and more – working in a defined geographic location to prepare for and respond to disasters and emergencies.

HCCs collaborate to ensure each member has what it needs to respond to emergencies and planned events, including medical equipment and supplies, real-time information, communication systems, and educated and trained health care personnel.” - U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response

OMHCC Response:

- Activated for resource assistance and information sharing.
- Facilitating coordination calls with regional hospitals, public health departments, EMS, emergency managers, and more.
- Released OMHCC stockpile assets, including surgical masks, hand sanitizer, MasCache kits.
- Coordinated with Douglas County Health Dept. to release public health stockpiles of N95 1870 masks to hospitals and EMS in Douglas County.
- Monitoring common information sharing platform for information provided by various partners.
OMHCC Response Structure (different across HCCs):

Please contact Justin Watson for any OMHCC questions and Zidarta Winfrey with any questions about the larger Hospital Preparedness Program (HPP) at the NE Dept. of Health and Human Services.

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