

APRIL'S TORNADO FURY: ROAD TO RECOVERY (PART 1 OF 2)

Satellite Conference and Live Webcast

Wednesday, October 26, 2011, 2:00-3:30 p.m. (Central Time)
3:00-4:30 p.m. (Eastern) ■ 1:00-2:30 p.m. (Mountain) ■ 12:00-1:30 p.m. (Pacific)

April 27, 2011 – a day forever etched in Alabama history and a day recorded in weather history as the fifth deadliest tornado day. Nearly 300 tornadoes were reported in 16 states that day, with the most destructive twisters hitting Alabama. More than 230 deaths have been confirmed from that day, and the road to recovery is only just beginning. During the first part of this two part series, program faculty will discuss the ongoing relief efforts assisting patients, health care providers, and affected communities and how those efforts are providing health and social services that promote, encourage, and support a higher quality of life.

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PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

1. Explain public health's response to weather emergencies and the importance of being personally prepared.
2. Provide a health provider perspective of the emergency response assistance process to the medical community.
3. Identify the occupational health and safety issues of recovery and rebuilding.
4. Discuss the social and economic impact of post-relief efforts on the Hispanic and Latino communities.

UPCOMING PROGRAM:

April's Tornado Fury: The Social Impact on Personal Care and Health Access (Part 2 of 2)
Tuesday, November 1; 10:00-11:30 a.m. (Central Time)

PREVIOUS PROGRAMS:

Available On Demand: www.adph.org/alphntn

CONFERENCE DETAILS:

Target Audience: Nurses, social workers, pharmacists, hospital personnel, public health employees, city officials, first responders

Continuing Education: Nurses 1.5 hours, Social Workers 1.5 hours, Dietitians 1.5 hours

Registration: www.adph.org/alphntn

Technical Information: To receive complete technical information you must register at www.adph.org/alphntn

Satellite - Live satellite conference on C band (analog).

Webcast - Watch with RealPlayer or Windows Media Player. Test your computer with the "test connection link" at www.adph.org/alphntn

Audio - To listen by phone, call 1-888-557-8511. Enter access code 972-1530 #. Press # again to listen to the conference.

On Demand - Available 2-3 business days after the live broadcast from the On Demand page of our website.

Conference Materials: Posted on our website approximately one week before the program for registered participants.

Conference Details Questions: Call: 334-206-5618 | Email: alphntn@adph.state.al.us

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