General Information

Educational Goals / Symposium Overview

The educational goal of this symposium is to familiarize healthcare professionals with the topics of readiness and response to large-scale emergencies, such as natural disasters and terrorist attacks.

Who Should Attend

Healthcare professionals and first responders; emergency/safety and corporate medical unit personnel; government and community representatives

Continuing Medical Education Credits

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Fuition & Registration

This conference is presented by New York Downtown Hospital and is offered without charge to participants through the generous support of The Goldman Sachs Group, Inc. However, registration is required no later than **September 8, 2006**.

SPACE IS LIMITED – EARLY REGISTRATION IS ENCOURAGED

To register, please email the following information to mendez.josephs@downtownhospital.org:
Name, Title & Degree, Institution, Address, Daytime
Phone Number, Email, and the title of the breakout session you wish to attend. For more information, please call (212) 801-1722.

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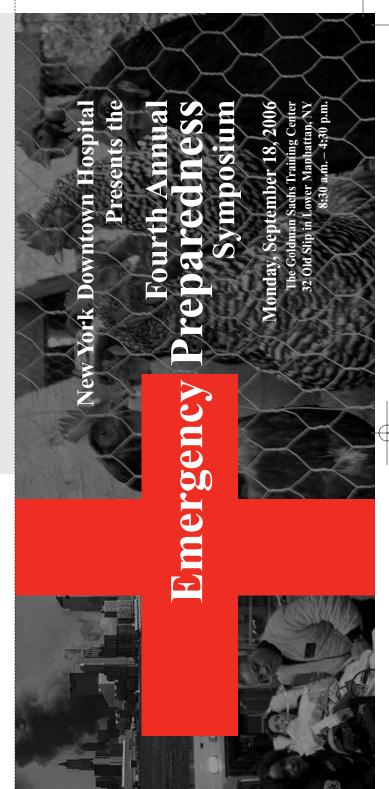
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The Goldman Sachs Training Center
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Symposium Agenda

8:30 a.m. – 9:15 a.m. Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:15 a.m. – 9:30 a.m. Welcome

Bruce D. Logan, MD

President and Chief Executive Officer New York Downtown Hospital New York, USA

9:30 a.m. - 10:15 a.m.

Pandemic Influenza: A Global Perspective

David Nabarro, MD

Senior UN Systems Influenza Coordinator United Nations New York, USA

10:15 a.m. - 11:00 a.m.

Surviving Katrina: The Medical and Financial Fallout

John H. Wales, MD, MBA

Medical Director, Emergency Department East Jefferson General Hospital Louisiana, USA

11:00 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. Coffee Break

11:15 a.m. – 12:00 noon
Disaster Triage:
"Scoop and Run" vs "Stay and Play"

Antonio J. Dajer, MD

Interim Chief, Emergency Department

Peter L. Fromm, RN, MPH, CHE, NREMT-P

Administrative Director,

Emergency Department/Emergency Medical Services New York Downtown Hospital New York, USA

12:00 noon – 1:00 p.m. Lunch

1:00 p.m. – 1:45 p.m. Pandemic Influenza: Preparedness at the Hospital Level

David Raveh, MD

Associate Professor of Medicine, Infectious Diseases Unit Shaare Zedek Medical Center Jerusalem, Israel Monday, September 18, 2006

1:45 p.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Panel Discussion:

In the Shadow of 9/11 — Where Are We Now?

Debra E. Berg, MD

Medical Director, Emergency Hospital Preparedness Program New York City Department of Health and Mental Hygiene New York, USA

Elliot J. Lazar, MD, MBA

Chief Medical Officer and Vice President of Medical Affairs NewYork-Presbyterian Hospital – Weill Cornell Medical Center New York, USA

Don R. Boyce, JD, EMT-P

Corporate Director, Emergency Management Continuum Health Partners, Inc. New York, USA

2:30 p.m. – 2:45 p.m. Coffee Break

2:45 p.m. – 4:00 p.m. **Breakout Sessions**

Each participant may attend one of the following breakout sessions. Pre-registration is required.

Performance Measures in Hospital Emergency Preparedness: A Work In Progress

Nicholas V. Cagliuso, Sr., PhD (c), MPH

Coordinator, Emergency Preparedness New York-Presbyterian Healthcare System New York, USA

The Incident Command System: A Primer

Peter L. Fromm, RN, MPH, CHE, NREMT-P

Administrative Director,

Emergency Department/Emergency Medical Services

Michael Barbarito

Director, Hospital Safety New York Downtown Hospital New York, USA

Operating Under Media Scrutiny: *A Guide to Crisis Communications*

Deborah A. Myers

Senior Vice President Health Practice, CRT/tanaka, LLC New York/Virginia, USA

4:00 p.m. – 4:30 p.m. Closing Remarks



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