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INDIANA HEALTHCARE EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS SYMPOSIUM

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TITLE **Mass Fatality Response.....Ground Zero For Learning**

ABSTRACT Synopsis: This presentation will explore one of Indiana’s major disasters and examined the need for planning, flexibility in implementation and educating responders.

Objectives:



1. Attendees will walk away with the understanding that sometimes an EOP doesn’t work and thinking outside the box for solutions becomes necessary.
2. Attendees will take with them a new awareness of the importance of working with response partners for a collaborative solution to issues.
3. Attendees will be able to more critically evaluate their response plans for dealing with a mass fatality incident, and ensure they have included the correct response in the planning efforts.

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