

ASPR TRACIE Webinar

Brief Speaker Biographies

Pediatric Issues in Disasters

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Welcome

Shayne Brannman, MS, MA

Director, ASPR TRACIE

Ms. Brannman has extensive experience conducting independent evaluations and assessments of government healthcare policies and programs. She has worked on healthcare system issues for the Navy, Department of Defense, HHS ASPR, and the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ). She is an established healthcare executive with more than 30 years of experience, within both strategic and operational settings. In addition, she is an experienced personnel-planning analyst, with an extensive understanding of personnel and training systems. Ms. Brannman currently serves as a Senior Management Analyst within HHS ASPR. She is the ASPR Director for TRACIE and works on interagency Crisis Standards of Care and healthcare system stress efforts.

Moderator

Meghan Treber, MS

ICF TRACIE Project Director

Ms. Treber has over 23 years of experience in emergency public health and medical preparedness and response and emergency management. As a first responder, she has served as a departmental Emergency Medical Services Chief, Station Commander, Line Officer, and practicing paramedic. As a Senior Analyst for HHS/ASPR, Ms. Treber served as the Operations Chief. Following her federal service, Ms. Treber held numerous senior leadership positions for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, including: Pennsylvania Department of Health, Director, Office of Public Health Preparedness; Pennsylvania Emergency Management Agency, Director, Office of Policy and Strategic Planning; Special Assistant to the Governor for Emergency Preparedness and Emergency Management; and Senior Advisor to the Secretary of Health for Public Health and Medical System Resilience. Ms. Treber is currently a Principal for ICF's Public Health Preparedness Practice and serves as the ICF TRACIE Project Director.

Speakers

Diane Pilkey RN, MPH

Senior Nurse Consultant, Emergency Medical Services for Children (EMSC) Program, Maternal and Child Health Bureau, HHS Health Resources and Services Administration

Ms. Pilkey is the Senior Nurse Consultant for the federal EMSC program at the Maternal and Child Health Bureau/ Health Resources and Services Administration. She is the Federal Project Officer for EMSC's Pediatric Emergency Care Applied Research Network and the National Center for Fatality Review and Prevention cooperative agreements. Diane has more than 20 years of experience in public health at the local, state, and federal levels. She is a registered nurse who has practiced in both clinical and public

health settings including urban and rural emergency departments. Diane has a Master's in Public Health from the Maternal and Child Health program at the University of Washington Public Health School, a Bachelor's in Nursing from the University of North Carolina and a Bachelor's in Cultural Anthropology from Duke University.

Steven E. Krug, MD

Head, Division of Emergency Medicine, Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago; Professor of Pediatrics, Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine; Chair, American Academy of Pediatrics Disaster Preparedness Advisory Council

Dr. Krug leads the Division of Emergency Medicine at the Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago and is a Professor of Pediatrics at the Northwestern University Feinberg School of Medicine. He has served in a number of leadership roles within the American Academy of Pediatrics (AAP) and presently serves as the Chair of the AAP's Disaster Preparedness Advisory Council. Dr. Krug has been involved with the EMSC program almost since its inception, and is an advisory board member for the EMSC Innovation and Improvement Center and the National EMSC Data Analysis Resource Center. He has also provided service as a federal advisory committee member, presently as the Chair for the HHS National Preparedness and Response Science Board. Dr. Krug is the editor-in-chief for the journal *Clinical Pediatric Emergency Medicine*.

Scott Needle, MD

Primary Care Pediatrician and Medical Director for the Healthcare Network of Southwest Florida; Disaster Coordinator for the Florida Chapter American Academy of Pediatrics

Dr. Needle is a practicing community pediatrician and Medical Director for the Healthcare Network of Southwest Florida, a Federally Qualified Health Center. He has been a member of the American Academy of Pediatrics' Disaster Preparedness Advisory Council since its inception in 2007, and is Acting Chair of the HHS National Advisory Committee on Children and Disasters. He has written and lectured extensively on the needs of children and the role of pediatricians in disaster preparedness, response and recovery, and has worked closely with numerous local, state, and federal groups. He was one of the lead authors on the 2015 AAP Policy Statement, "Ensuring the Health of Children in Disasters." Dr. Needle received his M.D. degree from The Johns Hopkins University School of Medicine in Baltimore and completed pediatric internship and residency at New England Medical Center/Tufts University in Boston. He is also a member of the clinical faculty of Florida State University.

Patricia Frost, RN, MS, PNP

Director Emergency Medical Services, Contra Costa County Health Services; Vice Chair, National Pediatric Disaster Coalition; TEEX Adjunct Faculty; California EMSC Technical Advisory Committee

Ms. Frost is the Director of Emergency Medical Services (EMS) for Contra Costa County, supporting the coordination and oversight of the EMS system serving 1.1 million people with more than 110,000 calls per year. She is vice chair of the newly formed National Pediatric Disaster Coalition and founder of the California Neonatal/Pediatric/Perinatal Disaster Preparedness Coalition, linking novice to expert to support local disaster preparedness for infants and children. Ms. Frost is an experienced clinician, program, and project manager with more than 30 years of pediatric and neonatal critical care and ambulatory experience in a variety of roles, including faculty at major universities, medical relief work in Ecuador and Vietnam, hospital staff development, patient care, and advanced practice nursing. Over the last 10 years she has been actively involved in supporting local, regional and statewide emergency and medical health pediatric disaster and surge preparedness. Pat was on the curriculum development team

for the new Department of Homeland Security TEEEX Pediatric Disaster Response and Emergency Preparedness Course and now serves as adjunct faculty for the program.

Michael Frogel, MD

Co-Principal Investigator Pediatric Disaster Coalition New York City; Chairman National Pediatric Disaster Coalition; Medical Director Pediatric Disaster Mental Health Intervention; Attending Pediatrician Cohen Children's Hospital

Dr. Frogel is currently the Co-Principal Investigator for the New York City (NYC) Pediatric Disaster Coalition and Chairman of the National Pediatric Disaster Coalition. He has previously served as Director of Quality Management, and Residency Training, Chief of General Pediatrics and Sports Medicine and Director of the Emergency Department and Urgi-Center at Cohen Children's Hospital of the NorthWell Health System, as well as Chairman of Pediatrics and Residency Program Director at Nassau University Medical Center. Dr. Frogel is a recognized expert and researcher on the use of palivizumab to prevent lower respiratory tract infections due to respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) in high-risk infants and children. He is currently working on stem cell research for the treatment of vascular diseases and diabetes. Since 2008 he has served as Principal Investigator for the NYC Department of Health, US Health and Human Services, Pediatric Disaster Coalition (PDC) Grant encompassing pediatric emergency and disaster preparedness for NYC including pediatric pre-hospital triage, primary and secondary transport, pediatric hospital, pediatric intensive care, neonatal intensive care, women in labor/newborn, pediatric long-term care, and pediatric outpatient and urgent care evacuation/surge planning. Dr. Frogel has been Medical Director of the Pediatric Disaster Mental Health Intervention at Maimonides Medical Center in NY since March of 2013. This post-Sandy AmeriCares Grant encompasses a training program on the diagnosis and treatment of pediatric disaster mental health disorders and elements of psychological first aid, working in a disaster zone and prevention of compassion fatigue. Dr. Frogel has participated as a subject matter expert on different local and national committees and panels including the National Advisory Committee on Children in Disasters, Institute of Medicine; Pediatric Preparedness, GNYHA Hospital Bomb Blast Task Force, NY State Ventilator Allocation Task Force, Pediatric Hospital Preparedness Task Force, etc. Most recently he was named Chairman of the National Pediatric Disaster Coalition. As a recognized expert in the field he frequently lectures on pediatric emergency preparedness in the United States and abroad.

Michael Wargo, RN, BSN, MBA, PHRN

Assistant Vice President, Enterprise Preparedness & Emergency Operations, HCA Healthcare (HCA)

Mike has more than 22 years of experience in high quality patient-centered clinical experiences and more than a decade in public safety leadership. Prior to joining HCA, he held the position of President & Chief Preparedness Officer for the National Capitol Region Emergency Operations Group in Washington, DC. His prior healthcare experiences include 18 years at Lehigh Valley Health Network (LVHN) in Allentown, Pennsylvania where in his final LVHN role, he held the leadership position of Administrator & Chief - Department of Public Safety & Emergency Operations. In addition to his role at LVHN, he served as the Executive Director - Medical Operations for Pocono Raceway and held the position as Chairman of the Health, Medical & EMS Division of the Northeast Counter Terrorism Task Force based in Pennsylvania. Federally, Mike remains active on an intermittent basis as the Chief Nurse for HHS' National Disaster Medical Services, DMAT PA-4, based in Philadelphia, PA. His combined experience includes both domestic and international homeland security and medical response training and operations; a combined 19 years as a critical care, flight and Pre-Hospital Registered Nurse. Mike holds multiple certifications in homeland security, disaster preparedness and is one of the first Certified Medical Transport Executives world-wide. He is a graduate of St. Luke's School of Nursing with a

Diploma of Nursing, Kutztown University of PA with a Bachelor's Degree in Nursing, and is a graduate from the American Military University with a Master's in Business Administration.

Jake Marshall, MPS, CEM, FF-NRP

Senior Director of Enterprise Preparedness & Emergency Operations, HCA

Mr. Marshall is an emergency management professional specializing in healthcare, emergency response operations, and critical infrastructure protection. He carries several designations including the Certified Emergency Manager (CEM) and Virginia Professional Emergency Manager (VaPEM). His educational background includes a Master's Degree in Homeland Security from Pennsylvania State University and a Bachelor's Degree in Forensic Science from Virginia Commonwealth University. Mr. Marshall currently serves as the Senior Director for Enterprise Preparedness and Emergency Operations with HCA Healthcare. The Enterprise Preparedness and Emergency Operations Department has a coverage responsibility including the entire Enterprise and all subsidiaries including 14 domestic divisions, 200 hospitals, 370 thousand employees, and over 27 million patient encounters annually. There, he has served as the Incident and Deputy Incident Commander for the Enterprise Emergency Operations Center during 2017's major federal emergencies and disasters including the WannaCry Cyber Attacks, Hurricanes Harvey, Irma, and Nate, and the 1-October mass shooting incident in Las Vegas. He has earned several awards for his work including the Gordon Barwell Award from the Virginia Emergency Management Association. As one of his other passions, Mr. Marshall works and volunteers as a paramedic/firefighter. He has been the recipient of many awards for exemplary service including the Rappahannock EMS Council's Regional Award for Excellence in EMS in 2017.