ASPR TRACIE Technical Assistance Request

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requested technical assistance in searching for hospital decontamination standard operating procedures (SOP).

Response:

The ASPR TRACIE team reviewed existing Topic Collections for hospital decontamination SOPs and other related materials; namely, the Hospital Victim Decontamination Topic Collection. We also searched for other resources online for additional resources. Section I includes a couple sample SOPs. Section II provides additional guidance and other related materials.

Although not directly related to your request, you may also be interested in the Pre-Hospital Victim Decontamination Topic Collection.

I. Hospital Decontamination SOPs


This SOP provides SHFT management and other staff with guidance on their responsibilities for the decontamination and treatment of persons who may self-present or attend sites within SHFT following exposure to hazardous materials, or suspected exposure, to chemicals, biological agents, or radioactive material. It also provides guidance on how staff should protect themselves, the site and other members of staff, other patients, and the public from exposure or cross-contamination from these substances.


This SOP was developed for Stephen F. Austin State University and should be followed in the event of an emergency in which a victim or equipment requires decontamination due to a chemical, biological, or radioactive release or spill.
II. Related Hospital Decontamination Guidance and Other Resources


This document provides recommendations for protecting staff and managing patients during events involving a hazardous material. The document also includes decision trees and algorithms as well as equipment recommendations for specific hazards.


This guide features diagrams, tables, antidote suggestions, and templates that can be tailored by medical facilities when preparing for patient, responder, and facility decontamination.


This planning guidance was developed to assist Georgia hospital emergency departments in developing and/or maintaining a standardized hospital-wide decontamination program which is compliant with federal requirements for worker health and safety.


This tool can help hospitals assess their preparedness for a decontamination event. The authors include chapters on preparedness, response, and recovery, and provide planning and team matrices in the appendices.


This quick-reference cardset is intended for use by pre-hospital and hospital personnel and groups the exposure by class rather than agent (corrosives, asphyxiants, cholinergics) for easier initial assessment and treatment.


This template should be used as a hazardous materials incident base plan to be modified to meet individual facility needs. The purpose of this Annex is to establish emergency procedures for response to any hazardous material spill/release of Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and Explosive (CBRNE) event(s) and unknown materials affecting the facility.
This document, developed as part of the National Association of County and City Health Officials Advanced Practice Centers program, is a hospital decontamination plan template designed to be modifiable by any facility. Spaces for customization are noted in red throughout the document.


This hospital decontamination plan template was prepared for the City of New York. It includes considerations for various hazardous materials, decision algorithms, and job action sheets.