Special Issue on
Leadership in Emergency Preparedness and Management

Call for Papers

This special issue on Leadership in Emergency Preparedness and Management seeks papers from nurses, inter-professional health care professionals, and professionals with health related research. Research papers will be prioritized but case studies of emergency/disaster experiences and education approaches for health professional students/practitioners are taken into consideration as well.

Papers may focus on one or all four key emergency management components: Prevention & Mitigation, Preparedness, Response, & Recovery. An all hazards approach will be emphasized including natural and human-induced disasters such as hurricanes, explosions, terrorism, and mass gatherings. Both hospital and public health/community management approaches are welcomed.

At this moment in time, global trends identify an increase in natural disasters, particularly related to weather, an increase in human-induced disasters, particularly related to terrorism; and increased concerns about communicable diseases in mass gathering settings. Nurses and inter-professional health care professionals are expected to take a leadership role in hospitals and communities. This special issue will highlight emerging scholarship related to leadership in emergency preparedness and management.

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Please kindly specify the “Special Issue” under your manuscript title. The research field “Special Issue – Leadership in Emergency Preparedness and Management” should be selected during your submission.

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