Preparing Santa Barbara County to respond to disasters
Announcing foodborne outbreak training and exercise dates for 2013

1) Exercise Training and Tabletop with Partners: October 22\textsuperscript{nd} and October 24\textsuperscript{th}

Choose one of the sessions below. This will take the place of our monthly coalition meeting.

- Santa Maria: October 22\textsuperscript{nd}, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm, Marian Regional Medical Center Conference Center, 1400 East Church St, Santa Maria
- Santa Barbara: October 24\textsuperscript{th}, 9:00 am – 12:00 pm, Public Health Auditorium, 300 N. San Antonio Rd - Building 1

The training and tabletop exercise is for all healthcare providers and disaster response partners. Learn what actions food safety, public health, and infectious disease experts will take to protect your clients. Understand what you need to do to be ready to respond to a large infectious disease outbreak, how to plan for continuity of operations, and how to communicate with the public health department operations center.

2) All Partner Exercise Tabletop, November 13\textsuperscript{th}

9:00 am – 12:00 pm: Public Health Auditorium, 300 N. San Antonio Rd

PHD DOC section chiefs and representatives from exercise partners will participate in a tabletop exercise to assure a smoothly functioning exercise. We will review the exercise scenario and the role of each organization in the exercise. Participants: Partners, PHD DOC Section Chiefs, Branch Directors, PIO.

3) Statewide Medical and Health Exercise, November 21\textsuperscript{st}

- 8:00 am-12:00 pm: Public Health and Healthcare Partners

Public Health Department Operations Center, Hospital Command Centers, and healthcare partners will be activated during this exercise to practice response to a major infectious disease outbreak that will stress the medical system. Outpatient providers, long term care, and other agencies will activate their response plans for infectious disease, report their status, and track paper or mock victims.

All Exercise Instructions and Forms Are Available Online
http://www.countyofsb.org/phd/disasterprep.aspx?id=43699

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