STATEWIDE HEALTH CARE COALITION COUNCIL
Mission, Vision and Objectives

Background

Mission
The statewide Health Care Coalition Council (HCC Council) mission is to serve as Colorado’s resource for local and regional health care coalitions through collaboration, guidance, leadership and support to all partners and stakeholders by promoting sustainable planning, training and exercising.

Vision
Strengthen active health care coalitions that are cross disciplinary and inclusive of jurisdictional boundaries to better coordinate and plan emergency preparedness efforts through planning, training and exercising.

Objectives

• To build and support health care coalition capacity in preparedness, response, recovery and mitigation related to incidents that have a public health and medical impact;
• To identify and facilitate the sharing of evidence-based best practices, technical support, information sharing, guideline development and access to resources among health care coalitions;
• To coordinate training to assist health care coalitions in developing knowledge and skills to plan, communicate and coordinate health care emergency support;
• To identify, assess and coordinate essential health care assets and services of health care coalitions statewide;
• To identify gaps in health care coalitions and strategies to mitigate;
• To create a plan for integration, coordination and communication with CDPHE’s Department Operation’s Center and health care coalitions in an incident;
• To develop collaborative state-level partnerships with Office of Emergency Management and other partners to improve the coordination of emergency preparedness planning and training.

Statewide Health Care Coalition Council Membership

• Health Care Coalition Leads

Business Structure

• Bi-monthly/quarterly conference call formats (as needed) and twice a year face to face meetings
• Health Care Coalition Council Chairperson and advisory committee elected by membership of HC3
• CDPHE’s OEPR and CHA provide staff support to Council
• Maintain centralized repository of Health Care Coalition Council minutes, resources and information.

Coming together is a beginning, staying together is progress, and working together is success.

~ Henry Ford ~