

NORTH CAROLINA PANDEMIC INFLUENZA PLAN

ACRONYM GUIDE

A

ACF (Alternate Care Facility)
ACIP (Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices)
AIIR (Airborne Infection Isolation Room)
AIV (Avian Influenza Virus)

C

CDB (Communicable Disease Branch)
CDC (Centers for Disease Control and Prevention)
CFR (Case Fatality Rate)
CHC (community health center)

D

DHSR (Division of Health Services Regulation)
DHHS (Department of Health & Human Services)
DPH (Division of Public Health)

E

EBCI (Eastern Band of the Cherokee Indians)
ECS (Emergency Communications System)
ED (Emergency Department)
EMS (Emergency Medical Services)
EOC (Emergency Operations Center)
ERC (Emergency Response and Recovery Coordinator)
ESF 8 (Emergency Support Function 8)
EOC (Emergency Operations Center)
EUA (Emergency Use Authorization)

G

H

HAN (Health Alert Network)
HEICS (Hospital Emergency Incident Command System)

I

IAP (Incident Action Plan)
IB (Immunization Branch)
ICCE Net (Intrastate Crisis Communication Enhancement Network)
ICU (Intensive Care Unit)
ILI (influenza-like illness)
ILINet (Influenza-Like Illness Network)
IND (Investigational New Drug)

J

JIC (Joint Information Center)
JIS (Joint Information System)

L

LHD (Local Health Department)

M

MHTD (Multi-Hazard Threat Database)

N

NC DETECT (North Carolina Disease Event Tracking and Epidemiologic Collection Tool)
NC DPH (North Carolina Department of Public Health)
NC HAN (North Carolina Health Alert Network)
NCIR (North Carolina Immunization Registry)
NC DETECT (North Carolina Disease Event Tracking and Epidemiologic Collection Tool)
NC EDSS (North Carolina Electronic Disease Surveillance System)
NCEM (North Carolina Emergency Management)
NCHES (North Carolina Hospital Emergency Surveillance System)

NCOEMS (North Carolina Office of Emergency Medical Services)
NIMS (National Incident Management System)
NREVSS (National Respiratory and Enteric Virus Surveillance System)
NVAC (National Vaccine Advisory Committee)

O

OCME (Office of the Chief Medical Examiner)
OEMS (Office of Emergency Management Services)
OIE (World Organization for Animal Health)

P

PAO (Public Affairs Office)
PAPR (Powered air purifying respirator)
PHCC (Public Health Coordination Center)
PHCCP (Public Health Crisis Communication Plan)
PHE (Public Health Epidemiologist)
PHIN (Public Health Information Network)
PHP&R (Office of Public Health Preparedness and Response)
PIO (public information officer)
PPE (personal protective equipment)
PreMIS (Prehospital Medical Information System)

S

SOC (HHS Secretary's Operations Center)
SERT (State Emergency Response Team)
SHD (State Health Director)
SLPH (State Laboratory of Public Health)
SMARTT (State Medical Asset Resource Tracking Tool)
SMAT (State Medical Assistance Team)
SMORT (State Mortuary Operations and Recovery Team)
SMRS (State Medical Response System)
SNS (Strategic National Stockpile)

V

VACMAN (Vaccine Management System)
VAERS (Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System)
VAL (vaccine administration log)

W

WHO (World Health Organization)