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**Evolving Crisis Standards of Care & Ongoing Lessons from COVID-19:  
*A workshop Series***

**Webinar 1:**  
***Evolving Crisis Standards of Care: Reflections, Inflections and the Future***

09/27/2021  
12-2 pm ET

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COVID-19 has fundamentally challenged the delivery of health care services worldwide, forcing difficult choices on health professionals and laying bare many preexisting health, medical, and public health sector frailties. This National Academies workshop series will re-explore previous IOM Crisis Standards of Care recommendations in light of ongoing lessons from the COVID-19 pandemic, with a particular focus on disaster planning, legal and equity considerations, and staffing considerations.

In the first virtual workshop of the series, expert panelists will specifically:

- Re-examine the definitions and recommendations first outlined in IOM’s 2009 “Guidance for Establishing Crisis Standards of Care for Use in Disaster Situations: A Letter Report”
  - Re-explore the framework described in IOM’s 2012 report “Crisis Standards of Care: A Systems Framework for Catastrophic Disaster Response”
  - Reflect on pre-COVID-19 “lessons learned”, and discuss which have been confirmed and/or refuted by the ongoing COVID-19 crisis.
  - Reflect on the strengths and weaknesses of the CSC framework and activation/implementation guidance in light of our current experiences and challenges with COVID-19.
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## Agenda

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| 12:00pm | <b>Opening Remarks</b><br>Eric Toner, MD, Senior Scholar, Johns Hopkins University   |
| 12:10pm | <b>Sponsor’s Charge</b><br>Dan Hanfling, MD, Vice President, Technical Staff, In-Q-Tel   |
| 12:15pm | <b>CSC – The First Ten Years</b><br>Dan Hanfling, MD, MD, Vice President, Technical Staff, In-Q-Tel  |
| 12:40pm | <b>Keynote Commentary – CSC &amp; COVID-19</b><br>Craig Vanderwagen, MD, Rear Admiral USPHS - retired, founding Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR) at the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, and Founder and General Manager of East West Protection, LLC |

12:55pm

**BREAK**

1:00pm

**Panel Discussion and Q&A**

**Monica Peek, MD, MPH**, Professor of Medicine, University of Chicago Medicine

**Jennifer Piatt**, Deputy Director with the Network for Public Health Law's Western Region Office

**Mike Wargo**, VP for Preparedness & Emergency Operations, HCA Healthcare's enterprise

**Anuj Mehta, MD**, Assistant Professor, University of Colorado

**Dan Hanfling, MD**, Vice President, Technical Staff, In-Q-Tel

1:55pm

**Closing Statement**

Eric Toner, MD, Senior Scholar, Johns Hopkins University

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### **Suggested readings**

- [NAM perspective on Crisis standards of care](#)
- [Rapid Expert Consultation on Staffing Considerations for CSC for the COVID-19 Pandemic](#)
- [Rapid Expert Consultation for the COVID-19 Pandemic](#)
- [Crisis Standards of Care: Ten Years of Successes and Challenges](#)
- [Crisis Standards of Care: A Systems Framework for Catastrophic Disaster Response](#)
- [Guidance for Establishing Crisis Standards of Care for use in Disaster Situations: A letter Report](#)