

# Disaster Preparedness: When ‘It will never happen here’ happens here!’

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**PURPOSE:** The learner will be able to discuss Hospital Incident Command System (HICS) and National Incident Management System (NIMS). The course will review how a facility responds to a disaster, how they alert staff to an event and how the facility continues to operate during the event.

## 1. OBJECTIVES:

At the conclusion, participants should be able to:

- 1 Describe implementation of HICS and NIMS.
  - 2 Describe how a facility would respond to an incident.
  - 3 Describe what a facility can expect from others sources of aid, including what the reality may be.
  - 4 Describe the new changes in CMS rules, including how those will impact a facility moving forward.
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