

Web Links for Additional Information Citizen Corps Volunteer Liability Project

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Business Executives for National Security

<http://www.bens.org/Getting-Down-To-Business.pdf> *Getting Down to Business: An Action Plan for Public-Private Disaster Response Coordination* (January 2007)

California Emergency Services Act

California Disaster Assistance Act

Emergency Compacts

- *Interstate Civil Defense and Disaster Compact (1951)*
- *Emergency Management Assistance Compact (2005)*

California Disaster and Civil Defense Master Mutual Aid Agreement (intrastate mutual aid)

2006 summary of California laws, including changes as of January 2006

[http://www.oes.ca.gov/Operational/OESHome.nsf/PDF/California%20Emergency%20Services%20Act/\\$file/ESA-all8-06-final.pdf](http://www.oes.ca.gov/Operational/OESHome.nsf/PDF/California%20Emergency%20Services%20Act/$file/ESA-all8-06-final.pdf)

Center for Law & the Public's Health

<http://www.publichealthlaw.net/>

The Turning Point Model State Public Health Act

<http://www.publichealthlaw.net/Resources/ResourcesPDFs/MSPHA%20Matrix%20Table.pdf>

Hurricane Katrina and Rita Responses - Legal Lessons

<http://www.publichealthlaw.net/Research/PDF/Katrina%20-%20Legal%20Lessons%20Learned.pdf>

Emergency Management Assistance Compact

<http://www.emacweb.org>

<http://www.emacweb.org/?150> Link to Model Intrastate Emergency Management Assistance Compact

<http://www.emacweb.org/?437> Link to sample state-county mutual aid deployment contracts

Emergency System for the Advance Registration of Volunteer Health

Providers Legal and Regulatory Issues Report - May 2006

<http://www.hrsa.gov/esarvhp/legregissues/default.htm>

FEMA EMAC Pre-Course Assignment Training Materials

http://training.fema.gov/EMIWeb/downloads/EMAC_Full_Precourse_04_14_05.pdf

Model State Emergency Health Powers Act

<http://www.publichealthlaw.net/Resources/Modellaws.htm#MSEHPA>

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Public/Private Legal Preparedness Initiative

<http://nciph.sph.unc.edu/law/> University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill School of Public Health

Uniform Emergency Volunteer Health Practitioners Act

www.uevhpa.org Provides links to the text of the Uniform Emergency Volunteer Health Practitioners Act Final Act (2006), and to the draft language to be considered at the July 2007 meeting

University of Tennessee Digital Library: Congressional Research Services Reports Page

CRS performs public policy research arm for Members of Congress, their committees and their staffs. CRS does not make its reports directly available to the public, but the University of Tennessee is one of several sites that provides access to them online. The link to the CRS page of the University of Tennessee digital library is:

<http://digital.library.unt.edu/govdocs/crs/>

In 2004, CRS did a series of reports about homeland security statutory authorities in the U.S. The summary report is titled *Emergency Management and Homeland Security Statutory Authorities in the States, District of Columbia, and Insular Areas: A Summary*. The CRS document number is RL32287. The summary report can be accessed at

<http://digital.library.unt.edu/govdocs/crs/permalink/meta-crs-6566:1>

At the end of the summary report is a list of the numbers for the Profile Reports created by the CRS, each of which summarizes the statutory authorities for a jurisdiction (the fifty states, the District of Columbia, and the insular areas). These report numbers can be used to search the University of Tennessee digital library CRS page for the full text of the report on states of specific interest.

WCB, Insurance & Liability Protection for PEP Volunteers

British Columbia information for Provincial Emergency Protection Volunteers

http://www.pep.bc.ca/volunteer/wcb_liability.html

Van Horn v. Torti

Text of decision online at:

<http://www.courtinfo.ca.gov/opinions/documents/B188076.PDF>