Tennessee Influenza Pandemic Preparedness Plan

The influenza pandemic preparedness plan for Tennessee addresses the threat of a possible future influenza pandemic in Tennessee. This plan represents an initial threat analysis and a broad series of guidelines for action in case the influenza pandemic threat is realized.

In the face of a pandemic threat, or ongoing nationwide influenza pandemic, the need to vaccinate millions of persons as rapidly and safely as possible will pose a potentially overwhelming and unworkable burden on the usual sites for annual influenza vaccination. As a result, responsible agencies must plan for the acquisition of additional resources. The efficient distribution of influenza vaccine or antiviral medication to user sites is particularly important, especially if there is a vaccine shortage. This is a pandemic influenza planning guide for State and Local Officials.

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