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COCA Conference Call: Mental Health in Disasters and Other Crises

TITLE: Mental Health in Disasters and Other Crises
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DATE: Tuesday, November 18, 2008
TIME: 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM ET

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The PowerPoint Presentation will be available on the COCA website by Nov 18th:
<http://www.emergency.cdc.gov/coca/callinfo.asp>

OBJECTIVES:

After this activity, the participants will be able to:

- 1) Give examples of how mental health and mental illness may impact upon the outcomes of disasters and other crises.
- 2) Identify at least one example of his/or her own organization's emergency planning that may not now adequately take into account issues related to mental health.
- 3) Consider at least one strategy for potential use in his/or her own professional role to help recognize and respond to issues related to mental health

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