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Weekly Situational Awareness Brief

Awareness Topics

[As the US Ages, a Growing Movement Aims to Care for Caregivers](#)

“People caring for a family member with special needs such as a disabled child, a convalescing partner, or an aging parent often feel alone—but they aren’t. In fact, up until the COVID-19 pandemic, unpaid family caregivers made up nearly 1 in 5 US adults, or about 53 million people. Experts estimate that this number has since grown.”

[Resilience Analysis and Planning Tool \(RAPT\)](#)

“The Resilience Analysis and Planning Tool (RAPT) is a free GIS web map that allows federal, state, local, tribal and territorial emergency managers and other community leaders to examine the interplay of census data, infrastructure locations, and hazards, including real-time weather forecasts, historic disasters and estimated annualized frequency of hazard risk.”

[National Terrorism Advisory System Bulletin](#)

“The ongoing Iran conflict is causing a heightened threat environment in the United States. Low-level cyber attacks against US networks by pro-Iranian hacktivists are likely, and cyber actors affiliated with the Iranian government may conduct attacks against US networks.”

Protective Effects of ADHD Medication on Real-World Outcomes

“While attention-deficit/hyperactivity disorder (ADHD) has long been defined by its core symptoms, inattention, hyperactivity, and impulsivity, the true impact of ADHD extends beyond its symptomatology. For example, an ADHD diagnosis is linked to adverse educational outcomes, suicidal behavior, aggression, substance use, and dementia, risks that persist even after accounting for co-occurring mental health disorders.”

Heat dome and hospitals: What to know

“As a heat dome encapsulates the East and Midwest, hospitals are seeing an uptick in heat-related illnesses, and some are losing air conditioning.”

Virtual National Town Halls on Mass Violence Save the Date: July 8th

“The National Town Hall on Mass Violence is sponsored by the NMVC with support from the Office for Victims of Crime. This quarterly series provides the best evidence-based mass violence readiness, response and resiliency/recovery resources and practices.”

Tick risks vary by region. Here's where diseases have spread and how to stay safe

“There are early signs that it could be a bad year for tick bites. In May, the rate of people seeking emergency care for tick bites was the highest it's been since 2019, according to data from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.”

Upcoming MESH Educational Offerings

Naloxone Administration

Opioid Overdose Prevention Training

July 17, 2025 | 10 am, 11 am, or 1 pm EST | 1202 West 16th Street, Indianapolis, IN 46202

Grand Rounds with Sam Lashley

August 12, 2025 | 1-2 pm EST | LIVE via Zoom

Caring for You, Caring for Me

Six-Session Course, Wednesdays - August 20 - September 24, 2025 | 1-3:30 pm EST | LIVE via Zoom

Talk Saves Lives

August 21, 2025 | 1-2 pm EST | LIVE via Zoom

OSHA Workplace Stress Management

August 28, 2025 | 1-4 pm EST | LIVE via Zoom

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