



**Saturday**  
**May 2, 2009**

## What All Rural Responders Must Know About Public Health Emergencies

*Our goal is to deliver trainings to rural responders who will fulfill public health emergency functions. A textbook and resources are provided at the training.*

### What You Will Learn

- Understand critical public health emergency functions and services
- Identify key partners in community-based disease surveillance and early warning systems
- Understand the role of local hospitals and laboratories in supporting disease control
- Communicate basic infection control practices
- Know where to turn for further information and training

### Bring a Sweater!

**Time:** 8:30 a.m. to 2:30 p.m.

**Place:** Farmington Township  
Fire Hall I  
Intersection of Route 36 & 66  
Leeper, PA 16233

**Cost:** FREE Lunch provided

**Credits:** 4 Non-Trauma Con-Ed Hours

**Registration:** Email Amber Dille at the Northwest Commission  
[amberd@nwcommission.org](mailto:amberd@nwcommission.org) or call  
814.677.4800 x100

**Registration Deadline:** April 28, 2009

### Who Should Attend

Emergency Medical Service personnel, Law enforcement, Fire Services, Hazmat members, Red Cross Salvation Army Members, VOAD members, Public Works, School Nurses, Hospital and Health Care providers, Municipal and other Government Administrators, School Administrators, Elected Officials, Veterinary Service staff, Dispatchers and other Public Safety Communications staff and other community-level response partners.

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