

## Acronyms and Abbreviations Used in Pandemic Influenza Response Plan

<u>Acronym</u>	<u>Meaning</u>
ACF	Alternate Care Facility
ACIP	Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices
AIM	Association of Immunization Managers
ASTHO	Association of State and Territorial Health Officers
CDC	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
CHC	Community Health Center
DEOC	Director's Emergency Operations Center (CDC)
DFS	Division of Facility Services (NC)
DGMQ	Division of Global Migration and Quarantine (CDC)
DHHS	Department of Health and Human Services
DPH	Division of Public Health (NC)
DSS	Division of Social Services (NC)
ECS	Emergency Communication System (CDC)
ED	Emergency Department
EMA	Emergency Management Agency
EMS	Emergency Medical Services
EOC	Emergency Operations Center (NC)
FDA	Food and Drug Administration
FDMANC	Funeral Directors and Morticians Association of North Carolina
GCDC	General Communicable Disease Control Branch
HAN	Health Alert Network (NC)
HEICS	Hospital Emergency Incident Command System
HEPA	Portable High Efficiency Positive Airflow
HCW	Health Care Worker
ICP	Infection Control Practitioner
ICS	Incident Command System
ILI	Influenza-like illness
IND	Investigational New Drug
JIC	Joint Information Center
LHD	Local Health Department
LME	Local Management Entities
MRC	Medical Reserve Corps
NACCHO	National Association of County and City Health Officials
NCAC	North Carolina Administrative Code
NCBFS	North Carolina Board of Funeral Services
NCDETECT	North Carolina Disease Event Tracking and Epidemiologic Collection Tool
NCEDSS	National Electronic Disease Surveillance System
NCEM	North Carolina Emergency Management
NCFDA	North Carolina Funeral Directors Association
NCGS	North Carolina General Statutes
NCHA	North Carolina Hospital Association
NCHES	North Carolina Hospital Emergency Surveillance System
NCIR	North Carolina Immunization Registry
NCOEMS	North Carolina Office of Emergency Medical Services
NCSPICE	North Carolina Statewide Program for Infection Control and Epidemiology
NDMS	National Disaster Medical System
NIMS	National Incident Management System
NVAC	National Vaccination Advisory Committee
OCME	Office of the Chief Medical Examiner
OEMS	Office of Emergency Management Services (NC)

OPHPR	Office of Public Health Preparedness and Response
PAO	Public Affairs Office (DHHS)
PHCC	Public Health Command Center (NC DPH)
PHCCP	Public Health Crisis Communication Plan
PHE	Public Health Epidemiologist
PHIN	Public Health Information Network
PHP&R	Public Health Preparedness and Response
PHRST	Public Health Regional Surveillance Team
PHT	Public Health Team
PIO	Public Information Officer
PPE	Personal Protective Equipment
RAC	Regional Advisory Committee
RACC	Regional Advisory Committee Coordinator
SCC	U.S. HHS Secretary's Command Center
SDN	Secure Data Network
SERT	State Emergency Response Team (NC)
SHD	State Health Director
SLPH	State Laboratory of Public Health (NC)
SMART	State Medical Asset/Resource Tracking Tool
SMAT	State Medical Assistance Team
SPN	Sentinel Provider Network
USPHS	United States Public Health Service
VACMAN	Vaccine Management Software Program
VAERS	Vaccine Adverse Events Reporting System
VALs	Vaccine Administration Logs
WHO	World Health Organization