

NW16 Disaster and Emergency Contacts

Alaska

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The Director of the Division of Public Health (DPH) oversees public health emergency and disaster response operations within the state of Alaska. The Department of Health and Social Services (DHSS), Section of Rural and Community Health Systems, and Health Emergency Response Operations, are responsible for coordinating the response and resources when activated. Contact Department of Public Health for all public health resource requests and instructions.

For PPE or other medical resource requests contact:

- **Department of Public Health Director:** Heidi Hedberg
Phone: 907- 465-3090 Fax: 907-465-4632

For all other requests such as transportation, food, shelter, or utilities contact:

- **DHS&EM State Emergency Coordination Center**
Phone: 907-428-7100 1-800-478-2337 Fax: 907-428-7095 Email: DHSSEOC@alaska.gov

Additional Support can be provided by:

- **Rural and Community Health Systems:** Section Chief: Sondra LeClair
Phone: 907-334-2637
- **Health and Medical Emergency Duty Officer**
Phone: 907-903-3721