

Hospital Planning

Shelter in Place

Assumption: Your facility needs to shelter in place without utilities or access to outside resources for up to 5 days.

- Complete “Survey of Hospital Vulnerability and Shelter-in-place Capacity”¹
- List facility strengths and briefly describe the resources that are available in the facility or readily available from the community to allow the hospital to shelter in place for a period of 3-5 days.
- List facility vulnerabilities in order of priority
- Briefly describe how the facility will work towards resolution of the vulnerabilities or alternative actions to minimize the impact of an event that requires the hospital to be self supportive for up to 5 days.
- Identify the resources needed to resolve at least the critical vulnerabilities.

¹ This is the long, multi-page form, not the single page assessment for reporting to NDDoH. Document is available on request.