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Weekly Situational Awareness Brief

Awareness Topics

B. Braun Medical Issues Voluntary Nationwide Recall of Lactated Ringer's Injection USP 1000 mL and 0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection USP 1000 mL Due to the Presence of Particulate Matter

"B. Braun Medical Inc. (B. Braun) is voluntarily recalling two lots of Lactated Ringers Injection USP 1000 mL, and 0.9% Sodium Chloride Injection USP 1000 mL to the hospital level due to the presence of particulate matter inside the container."

Top 10 Things to Know About the New AHA/ACC High Blood Pressure Guideline

"There is stronger proof now that high blood pressure is linked to increased risk of cognitive decline and dementia. If you have high blood pressure, lowering it now may help protect your brain health in the future."

Threats of Weather Disasters for Drug Manufacturing Facilities in the US

"Climate change-driven extreme weather events impose new threats to established vulnerabilities in the US drug supply."

Second U.S. Malaria Case Not Tied to Travel Raises Fears of Local Transmission

“One-off cases of malaria in the U.S. may become more common as warming temperatures lead to booming mosquito populations.”

The Evolving Landscape of Domestic Extremism

“Extremism in its various forms is a significant and evolving concern in the U.S. Belief systems and ideas are deemed radical if they are far outside the mainstream and promote violence, hatred, or intolerance. Extremism statistics show a complex landscape with varying trends across different regions and motivations.”

Preparing for Disease X in a Changing World

“Any microbe, new or known, could cause an infection outbreak at any time. Researchers gear up to preemptively fight this potential pathogen X.”

Upcoming MESH Educational Offerings

OSHA Workplace Stress Management

Ignoring OSHA's General Duty Clause isn't just risky, it's a recipe for disaster – protect your workers, your business, and your peace of mind.

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

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Psychological Safety at Work

Psychological safety is key to creating an environment where everyone can thrive.

September 16, 2025 | 9 am-5 pm EST | LIVE via Zoom

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Naloxone Administration Training

You can learn how to save a life in just one hour!

September 18, 2025 | 10 am, 11 am, or 1 pm EST | In-Person @ MESH

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The New Change Leader

Whether you're an emerging leader or a seasoned manager, this course will equip you with the tools to lead with impact and drive progress from the inside out.

October 8, 2025 | 9 am-5 pm EST | LIVE via Zoom

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Talk Saves Lives

An Introduction to Suicide Prevention is an evidence-based education program created by the American Foundation for Suicide Prevention.

October 15, 2025 | 10-11 am EST | LIVE via Zoom

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Q4 MESH Grand Rounds with Dr. Jim Floyd

Geospatial Insights: Hazard Vulnerability and Community-Based Asset Mapping

October 28, 2025 | 1-2 pm EST | LIVE via Zoom

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