

**October 2015**

# It Happens

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				<b>1</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>3</b>
<b>4 Other</b>	<b>5 Evac</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>7 Evac</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10 Inf Dis</b>
<b>11</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>15 Opioid</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b>
<b>18</b>	<b>19 Other</b>	<b>20 Violence</b>	<b>21 Opioid</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>25</b>	<b>26 CDC</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>31</b>

Disasters happen every day, yet we always think, "it can't happen here." That myth creates obstacles to appropriate emergency preparedness.

The following headlines illustrate hospital response on a local, regional and national level.

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## CDC/INFECTIOUS DISEASE

[HAN No. 384: Increases in Fentanyl Drug Confiscations and Fentanyl-related Overdose Fatalities](#)

[Ebola Survivor Back in Hospital Suffers Lingering Hold of Virus](#)

## EVACUATION

[Fire Forces Evacuation at New Jersey Psychiatric Hospital](#)

[Chemical Spill Prompts Brief Evacuation at Hospital in Massachusetts](#)



## OPIOIDS

[Facing Epidemic, Governor Seeks to Limit Opioid Prescriptions](#)

[Despite Effort, Opioid Deaths Still Climbing in Massachusetts](#)



## WORKPLACE VIOLENCE

[Workplace Violence Makes Nursing One of Canada's Most Dangerous Professions](#)

[After St. Cloud Shooting, Hospitals Reviewing Workplace Violence Plans in Minnesota](#)

## OTHER TOPICS OF INTEREST

[Fire Department in South Carolina Delivering Water to Hospitals to Prevent Evacuations](#)

[Deputy Shot, Killed by Suspect at Minnesota Hospital](#)