# **Biography - Jason Kelly**



## **President of Crisis Advisors**

#### Major airline leadership & experience

Jason was Director of Emergency Management for Continental Airlines, with worldwide responsibility for the Emergency Response program. He oversaw and directed:

- Corporate Emergency Response Plan
- 270 Airport ER plans
- 450 care team members
- All ER training programs
- Corporate ER drills



#### **Continental Airlines flight 1404 accident**

- December 20, 2008
- Denver, Colorado
- Boeing 737-500
- 115 passengers & crew onboard

The airplane crashed on takeoff and was destroyed by fire. Jason led the Go Team flight to DEN and was on-scene for 10 days working with surviving passengers and family members. 28 injured passengers and crew members were taken to 4 Denver area hospitals, over 50 care team members deployed to Denver.



## **Continental Connection flight 3407 accident**

- February 12, 2009
- Clarence Center, New York
- Bombardier Q400 operated by ColganAir
- 49 passengers & crew onboard

The airplane crashed into a house, killing all 49 on board, as well as 1 person in the house, with 2 other family members in the house surviving. Jason led the Go Team flight to BUF and was on-scene for 14 days working with family members of the passengers, crew, and ground fatality. Over 250 care team members deployed to BUF.