

"9/11 – 10 YEARS LATER"

A National Conference on Preparedness and Response

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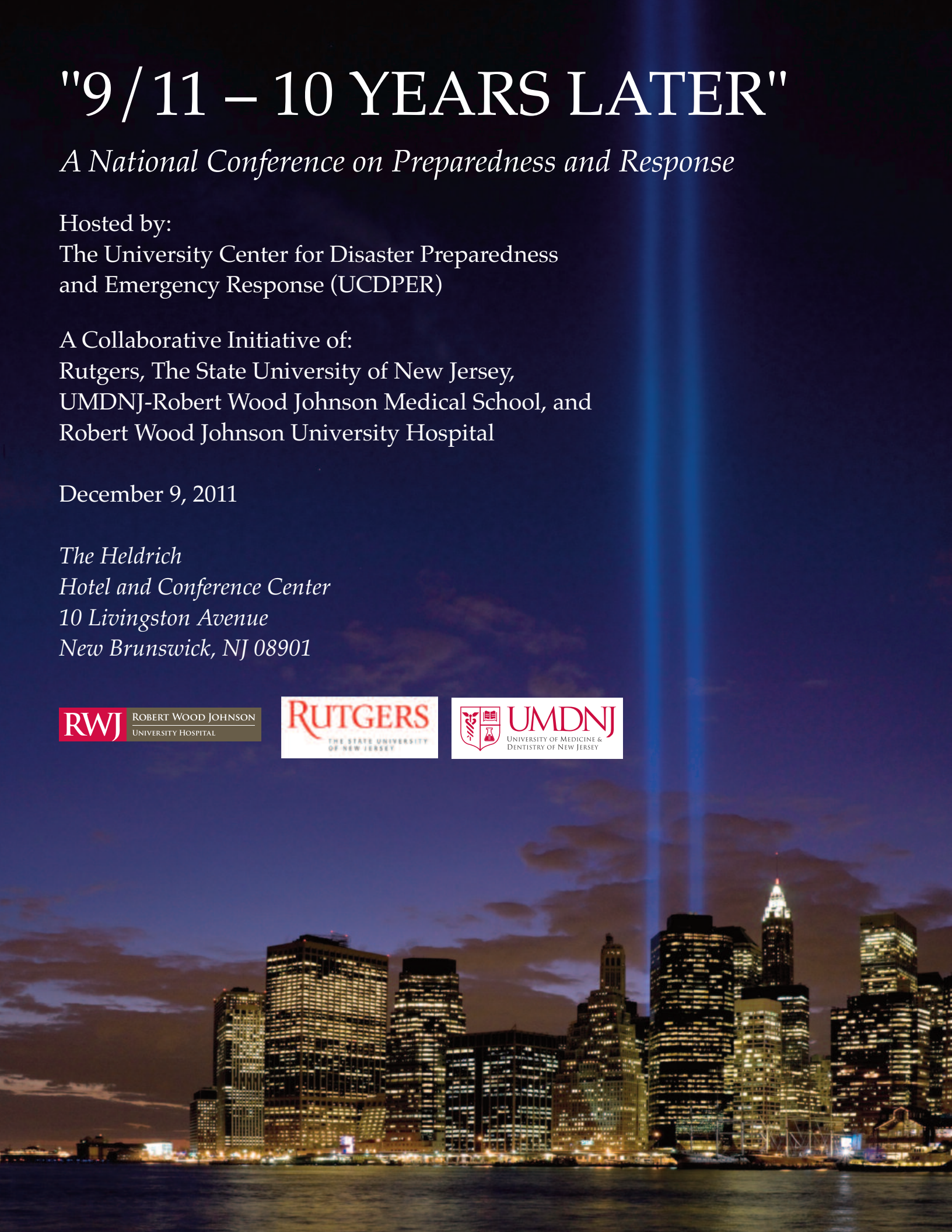
The University Center for Disaster Preparedness
and Emergency Response (UCDPER)

A Collaborative Initiative of:

Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey,
UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School, and
Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital

December 9, 2011

*The Heldrich
Hotel and Conference Center
10 Livingston Avenue
New Brunswick, NJ 08901*



CONFERENCE AGENDA

- 8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. **Registration and Continental Breakfast**
- 8:30 a.m. to 8:35 a.m. **UCDPER Welcome**
Clifton R. Lacy, M.D.
Director, University Center for Disaster Preparedness
and Emergency Response (UCDPER)
- 8:35 a.m. to 8:45 a.m. **Welcoming Remarks from Collaborating Institutions**
Richard L. McCormick, Ph.D.
President, Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey
Peter S. Amenta, M.D., Ph.D.
Dean, UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School
Stephen K. Jones, FACHE
President, Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital
- 8:45 a.m. to 9:00 a.m. **Introduction to UCDPER**
Clifton R. Lacy, M.D.
- 9:00 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. **“Disaster Preparedness – The National Perspective”**
Governor Tom Kean
Chairman, National Commission on Terrorist Attacks Upon the
United States, “The 9/11 Commission”
- 9:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. **“New Jersey Disaster Preparedness”**
Charles McKenna
Director, New Jersey Office of Homeland Security and Preparedness
Michael B. Ward
Special Agent in Charge, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Newark, NJ
- 10:00 a.m. to 10:15 a.m. **Question and Answer Session**
- 10:15 a.m. to 10:30 a.m. **Break**
- 10:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m. **“Living with Hazardous Chemicals after 9/11”**
Paul J. Liroy, Ph.D.
Executive Committee, UCDPER
Professor, UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School and
Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences Institute
- 11:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. **“Bioterrorism – The Anthrax Threat”**
Clifton R. Lacy, M.D.
- 11:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. **“Countering Chemical, Biological, and Nuclear Terrorism”**
Jeffrey D. Laskin, Ph.D.
Executive Committee, UCDPER
Professor, UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School and
Environmental and Occupational Health Sciences Institute

“Lower Manhattan and The Urban Commerce and Security Study”

Fred S. Roberts, Ph.D.

Executive Committee, UCDCPER

Professor, Department of Mathematics

Rutgers University

“Transportation Safety and Security”

Ali Maher, Ph.D.

Executive Committee, UCDCPER

Professor, Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering

Rutgers University

“Port Preparedness and Resilience”

Tayfur Altiok, Ph.D.

Professor, Department of Industrial and Systems Engineering

Rutgers University

12:15 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Luncheon

1:00 p.m. to 1:30 p.m.

“Disaster Preparedness – The Law Enforcement Perspective”

Colonel Joseph “Rick” Fuentes

Superintendent of the New Jersey State Police

1:30 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

“Modeling Disruptions to Rail Security and Cascading Economic Consequences”

Michael Greenberg, Ph.D.

Executive Committee, UCDCPER

Professor and Associate Dean of the Faculty

EJ Bloustein School of Planning and Public Policy, Rutgers University

2:00 p.m. to 2:15 p.m.

Break

2:15 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.

“Disaster Preparedness in the Emergency Department”

Robert M. Eisenstein, M.D.

Executive Committee, UCDCPER

Associate Professor and Vice Chair, Department of Emergency Medicine

UMDNJ-Robert Wood Johnson Medical School

“Hospital Disaster Preparedness since 9/11”

Michael Antoniadis, M.P.A.

Executive Committee, UCDCPER

Vice President of Operations

Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital

“New Jersey Health Care and EMS Preparedness since 9/11”

Louis A. Sasso, MBA, NREMT-P

Director of Emergency Medical Services

Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital

2:45 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Question and Answer Session

3:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Reception

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Conference Aims and Goals: To define and discuss established advances and opportunities for further improvement in disaster preparedness and response since 9/11 in a multidisciplinary forum of practitioners, educators, and researchers.

Conference Format: Presentations and discussions involving federal, national, and state leaders in the research, education, and practice of disaster preparedness and emergency response.

Target Audiences: Individuals involved in disaster preparedness and emergency response in the fields of health care, public health, emergency medical services, emergency management, public safety, law enforcement, homeland security, infrastructure protection, and academia.

Cost: Conference attendance and lunch are free of cost. Discounted parking for conference attendees is available at the Morris Street Parking Deck across the street from The Heldrich.

Registration: Registration is required. Contact Erika Schaefer by e-mail Erika.Schaefer@rwjuh.edu or by telephone 732-418-8486. Conference Program Director: Clifton R. Lacy, M.D.

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The mission of the Center is to protect the lives, health, and well-being of the general public, vulnerable populations, and the workforce – and to protect the societal, economic, and physical infrastructure of New Jersey and the nation – through research, education, community outreach, and clinical advances in preparedness and response to all-hazards emergencies, disasters, and terrorism.

This multidisciplinary Center builds on the strengths and successes of our three institutions in a unique collaboration that includes world-class scientific strengths in disaster medicine, trauma, exposure science, toxicology, engineering, transportation, risk analysis, and the mathematical and computer science of massive information analysis. The Center collaborates with and integrates interdisciplinary activities with the DHS University Center of Excellence in Dynamic Data Analysis at Rutgers, the DHS Center of Excellence in Command, Control, and Interoperability at Rutgers, the Center for Advanced Infrastructure and Transportation at Rutgers, the National Transportation Security Center of Excellence at Rutgers, the EPA Center on Exposure and Risk Modeling at EOHSI and UMDNJ-RWJMS, the NIH CounterACT Center at UMDNJ-RWJMS, the Level 1 Trauma Center at RWJUH and UMDNJ-RWJMS, and the International Center for Terror Medicine at RWJUH. The combination of expertise and experience makes our Center a unique resource for NJ and the nation.

For more information on The University Center for Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Response (UCDPER), please visit our website at www.ucdper.org or contact Center Director Clifton R. Lacy, M.D. through Erika.Schaefer at the UCDPER Office by telephone at 732-418-8486 or by e-mail at Erika.Schaefer@rwjuh.edu.