DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF PREPAREDNESS AND EMERGENCY OPERATIONS

ASSISTANT SECRETARY OF PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE (ASPR)

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH & HUMAN SERVICES

SENIOR EXECUTIVE SERVICE

The Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR) at the United States Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) seeks a proven leader to provide direction and oversight to the Department’s role in the planning for, response to, and recovery from major disasters and public health emergencies. The position serves as Director of the Office of Preparedness and Emergency Operations (OPEO) and Deputy Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response. The OPEO Director is responsible for executing the federal medical response to disasters through the National Disaster Medical System (NDMS) and provides strategic and expert advice to ASPR plans, policies, and procedures related to preparedness, response and recovery from public health and medical emergencies. OPEO is the lead for interagency planning and response activities required to fulfill the HHS responsibilities under the National Response Framework, including management of the Secretary’s Operations Center (SOC), Incident Response Coordination Teams (IRCT), planning and evaluation Departmental and interagency response exercises, and coordination of the HHS Continuity of Operations (COOP) and Continuity of Government (COG) programs.

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