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### **COVID-19 Testing and Vaccination Programs from an Emergency Management Perspective**

**February 26, 2021 2-3PM Eastern Time**

**Topics Covered:**

- Developing proper system design elements
- Identifying potential external stakeholders/partners
- Ensuring a proper supply chain & delivery system

**Presenter:**

**Chief John Holgerson (ret.)**



**Chief Holgerson** has 40 years of experience serving in various administrative and leadership roles in emergency management and disaster response. Chief Holgerson is an Adjunct Associate Professor, Nova Southeastern University; Dr. Kiran C. Patel College of Osteopathic Medicine. He has taught in the program since 2014. Currently, Chief Holgerson is the State of Florida Coordinator for the Region 7 Homebound Vaccination Mission Program for Holocaust Survivors.

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## **Evaluating the Implementation of Points of Distribution (PODs) for COVID-19 Vaccines at U.S. Airports and Unique Venues**

March 12, 2021 2-3PM Eastern Time

**Topics Covered:**

- Thinking Outside the Box. Adapting to expand vaccine points of distribution (PODs) beyond what's "In the Plan".
- Establishing vaccine PODS at unusual sites with less traditional partners.
- Supporting partner agencies by synergizing efforts and applying evolving best practices.
- Managing quixotic administrative and community expectations while maintaining unity of effort.

**Presenter:**

**Jesse P. Spearo, PhD, CEM, FPEM, FMI**



**Dr. Jesse Spearo** has served as a public safety practitioner for nearly 20 years - having worked in positions at all levels of government including Federal, Tribal, State, County, and Municipal. He has responded to nearly a dozen Presidential Disaster Declarations. Dr. Spearo is the author or co-author of more than 50 emergency management plans and publications, and regularly presents his findings at national and international conferences. Dr. Spearo has been instructing at NSU since 2017 and currently serves as Senior Emergency Management Program Specialist for the Broward County Aviation Department - Fort Lauderdale/Hollywood International Airport (FLL).

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