

Notice of Public Meeting

Bristol County Public Health Emergency Preparedness Coalition

Including the following Communities:

Acushnet, Attleboro, Berkley, Dartmouth, Dighton, Easton, Fairhaven, Fall River, Foxboro, Freetown, Lakeville, Mansfield, New Bedford, North Attleboro, Norton, Plainville, Raynham, Rehoboth, Seekonk, Somerset, Stoughton, Swansea, Taunton, Westport

Date: Tuesday – September 15, 2026

Time: 1:30PM – 3PM

Location: Lakeville Public Library

AGENDA

Matthew Brennan - Chairperson

- Open Meeting/Welcome – Introduction of any new members
- Review & Approval – June Meeting Minutes (end of BP2)
- Items not known 48 hours ahead

Amy Donovan-Palmer

- Local State Advisory Committee (LSAC) Update

Chrystal Lapine - Health & Medical Coordinating Coalition (HMCC) Program Manager

- HMCC Updates

Elaine LaCoursiere - HMCC Financial Manager

- Budget Updates BP 3

Sheila Wallace - Planner Updates:

- MHOA Conference -Update
- Review of BP3 Priorities and requirements
- Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for Crisis Risk Communication
- Newly created Bristol County PHEP website – remains in development –

www.region5bphep.org

Felicia Balbi-Massachusetts Department of Public Health (MDPH) Coordinator - Updates

Coalition Open Discussion

- Any recent public health emergencies among coalition members
- Any emergency preparations or planning among the coalition communities

The next Region 5B PHEP Coalition meeting will be on Tuesday October 20, 2026

The next Region 5 HMCC Stakeholder Meeting is Friday, November 6, 2026, at 9AM at the Middleboro Town Hall

The Region 5 HMCC Executive Committee will follow.