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TO: Public Mental Health System

FROM: Brian Hepburn, M.D., Executive Director, MHA

RE: Hurricane Sandy Preparations

DATE: October 29, 2012

As we ramp up the response to Hurricane Sandy, DHMH, the Office of Preparedness and Response is rostering mental health professionals to staff the state and local shelters at the following locations:

University of MD College Park - Ritchie Coliseum,

UMBC - Retriever Athletic Center,

Jewish Community Center,

and Easton High School in Talbot County.

At the moment we have unmet needs for mental health staff at all these shelter locations.

Available mental health professionals should contact the MD Responds program coordinator, Ms. Stephanie Parsons at stephanie.parsons@maryland.gov or at 443-804-8386. Alternate contact will be Michael Mannozi at michael.mannozi@maryland.gov or at 443-865-7833.

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