

Hazard Vulnerability Analysis (HVA) How to Guide

2023

How To Conduct an HVA

- What Is It and Why
- Internal Process / How To
- Involving External Partners
- Using the Kaiser Permanente Model
- Mitigation Planning
- Using the Data





The Annual Risk Assessment

Hazard Vulnerability Analysis (HVA)

- Systematic approach to recognizing hazards that may affect the ability to care for residents.
- The risks associated with each hazard are analyzed to prioritize planning, mitigation, response, and recovery activities.





The Annual Risk Assessment

Why conduct an HVA?

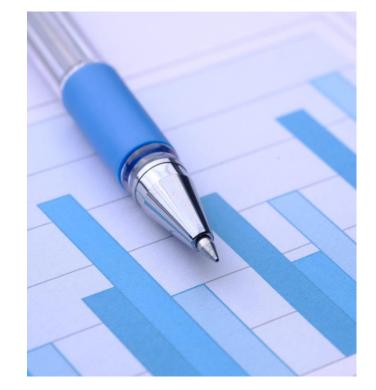
LTC Facilities are **REQUIRED** to do so annually.

§ 483.73 (a)(1)-(3): Emergency plan. The LTC facility must develop and maintain an emergency preparedness program that must be reviewed, and updated at least annually. The plan must do all of the following:

(1) Be based on and include a documented, facility-based risk assessment, utilizing an all-hazards approach, including missing residents.

(2) Include strategies for addressing emergency events identified by the risk assessment.

(3) Address resident population, including, but not limited to, persons atrisk; the type of services the LTC facility has the ability to provide in an emergency; and continuity of operations, including delegations of authority and succession plans.





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Why Conduct an HVA?

Conducting an HVA assists you in developing your:

- Preparedness Plans (what emergency response plans should be in place for known hazards)
- Exercise / Drill Plans (what should the focus be for the year)
- **Mitigation Plans** (can infrastructure be hardened to mitigate hazards, or equipment purchased, etc.?)





How To Conduct an HVA: Choose a Model

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Partners and Stakeholders

- Keys to success: coordination and collaboration
- Keys to being well prepared for emergencies: Developing relationships, sharing information, effective coordination, and collaboration with local, regional and state emergency management and partners, as well as other organizations
- Keys to assessing risks properly: Engaging your stakeholders can help you better understand how the organization operates and what resources it has available in an emergency.





Examples of Partners and Stakeholders

LOCAL

STATE/REGIONAL

- Local Emergency Management
- Local Fire & Police Departments
- Local Health Department
- Hospitals
- Other local LTC / AL facilities

- VHCA-VCAL
- VA Dept of Emergency Management
- Virginia's Healthcare Coalitions
 - <u>Learn more</u> about Healthcare Coalitions





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Conduct an Internal and Exterior Tour

- Review External Hazards
- Review Internal (Facility) Hazards

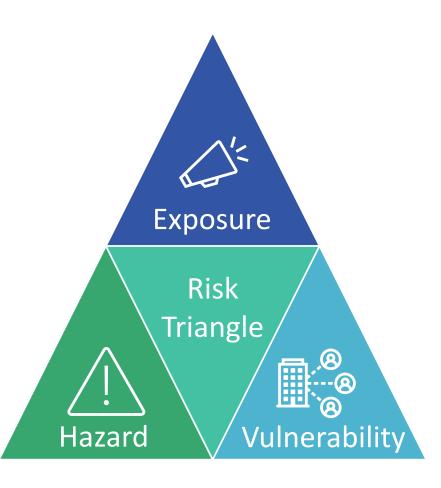
Complete the HVA Develop Mitigation & Preparedness Plans





What about the hazards are we assessing?

- Probability
- Impact
- Preparedness
- Internal Response
- External Response







	Hazard Vuln	erability Asse	ssment			RISK	PROBABILITY	SEVERITY
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			IMPACT			MITIGATION	l	
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	(0 4)	Possibility of death or injury	Physical losses and damages	Interruption of services	Preplanning	Time, effectiveness, resources	Community/ Mutual Aid staff and supplies	
Avalanche								
Blizzard								
Coastal Tsunami / Erosion								
Dam Failure								
Drought								
Dust / Sand Storm								
Earthquake								
Flooding / Flash (External)								
Flooding (Internal)								
Damaging Winds								
Hail Storm								
Hurricane								
Ice Storm								
Infection Disease (SARS, Flu, etc)								
Landslide								
Severe Thunderstorm								
Snow / Ice Storm								
Subsidence / Sink hole								
Temperature Extremes								
Tornado								
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How to Conduct an HVA

Model shown is based upon the Kaiser tool





How To Conduct An HVA

ENTER FACILITY NAME

CONSIDERATIONS FOR COMPLETING THE ANALYSIS FORMS

- 1) Change "Facility Name" at the top of this Instruction Tab to populate your facility's name throughout.
- 2) Facilities using this tool shall complete each worksheet as it pertains to their organization.
- 3) When completing the individual risk tabs (Natural, Technological, Human):
- Complete all worksheets, including Natural, Technological, and Human
- If a hazard does not pertain to you (e.g., "volcanic eruption", "mass casualty") simply score the "probablity" as a zero (0)
- Assume each event occurs at the worst possible time (e.g, during peak census, lowest staffing levels) when considering Impact and Response
- 4) The Facility Summary tab will automatically provide general overall relative risk by risk type (Natural, Tech or Human).
- 5) The Top 10 Hazards tab will automatically provide the Top Ten by risk type (Natural, Tech or Human) and the Top Ten Overall.
- 6) These top relative risks will help to determine priorities for mitigation efforts, planning efforts and / or needed exercises or training.
- Issues to consider for probability include, but are not limited to:
 - 🕨 Known Risk
 - Historical Data (10 Year Time Frame)

Issues to consider for human impact include, but are not limited to:

Acuity and volume of injury/death to staff, residents, & visitors

- Issues to consider for preparedness include, but are not limited to:
 - Status of current plans
 - Frequency of drills
 - Training and implementation status
 - Insurance
 - Availability of alternate sources for critical supplies/services



How To Conduct An HVA

Pay attention to and follow the tabs at the bottom of the workbook



Please note that in this instructional presentation, some slides have suggestions or notes in the notes area that may be helpful.





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Landslide									0.00	
Severe Thunderstorm									0.00	1
Snow / Ice Storm									0.00	1
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Dam Failure Human Impact	eath to employees, patients, and visitors	2	Low Acuity/High Volume inj	juries			0.00	
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	aused by an incident occurring. ²	4	High Acuity/High Volume in	juries or death			0.00	
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	ost to resume normal operations.	4	Total losses likely, recovery	greater than 1 year			0.00	÷
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Temperature	ervices that may impair the facility's	3	Termination of non-essentia	al services, Interrupti	ion to essential service	s	0.00	
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	plemented by the facility that will be	2	Update to plan(s) & training	g required			0.00	
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Landslide			occurs.			3	Limited resources, mustering		
Severe Thunderstorm			occurs.			2		61	not intery
Snow / Ice Storm						4	No resources available, exter	nal response required	
Temperature Extremes		-				0	Not applicable/Not needed		
Tornado		-	Frank Low			4	11		_
Volcanic Eruption		-	External res	ources available to the		1	Resources readily available		
Wild Fire		External Response	hospital to a	aid in incident respons	e and	2	Resources available, prolong	ed response likely	
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Average Score	0.00								

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Coastal Tsunami / Erosion								0.00	
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Hurricane								0.00	
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The tool separates the various hazards into categories: Natural, Technological, and Human-caused.

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11	Landslide				~			2	0.00
12	Severe Thunderstorm				8° 5	65 65			0.00
13	Snow / Ice Storm							2	0.00
14	Temperature Extremes	To include al	classifications of						0.00
15	Tornado	tornado				2		2	0.00
16	Volcanic Eruption								0.00
17	Wild Fire								0.00
18	Other 1 (provide hazard name)		1						0.00
19	Other 2 (provide hazard name)				~	55			0.00
20	Other 3 (provide hazard name)					8 0			0.00
21	Average Score	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Some hazards contains notes to help guide you. Hover over the red dot or the cell to see the notes.

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		death or injury	and damages	services	Preplanning	effectiveness,	Mutual Aid staff	
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Communications Systems Failure	-						·	0.00
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Contamination of Outside Air Cyber Attack		-						0.00
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EHR/Information Systems Disruption Fire Alarm System (Detection) Failure								0.00
Fire Protection System Loss (Suppression)	-							0.00
Fire, Internal	-	-						0.00
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Hazmat Exposure, Internal	-							0.00
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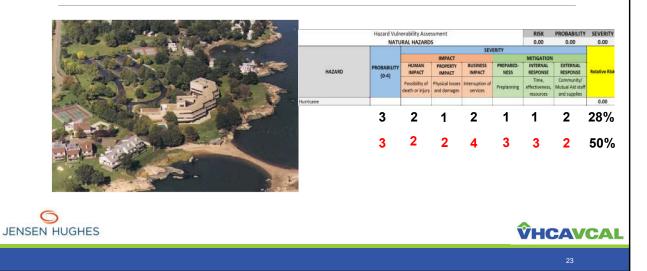
This process requires you to look at all hazards and consider their risk to your facility, not just the ones you have at the top of your head. This may confirm your worries, or it could make you realize there are other higher risks you should be addressing.

Hazard	d Vulnerability	Assessment				RISK	PROBABILITY	SEVERITY
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				SEV	ERITY			
			IMPACT			MITIGATION		
	PROBABILITY	HUMAN	PROPERTY	BUSINESS	PREPARED-	INTERNAL	EXTERNAL	
HAZARD	(0-4)	IMPACT	IMPACT	IMPACT	NESS	RESPONSE	RESPONSE	Relative Risk
		Possibility of	Physical losses	Interruption of	Proplonning	Time,	Community/ Mutual Aid staff	
		death or injury	and damages	services	Preplanning	effectiveness, resources	and supplies	
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Civil Disturbance	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		· · · · ·				0.00
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Forensic Admission			['	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				0.00
Hostage Situation			['	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·				0.00
Labor Dispute/Strike				<u> </u>				0.00
Mass Casualty Incident < 5 Patients								0.00
Mass Casualty Incident < 5 Patients needing Decon								0.00
Mass Casualty Incident > 5 Patients								0.00
Mass Casuatly Incident > 5 Patients needing Decon				[]				0.00
Missing Patient (NH Resident)								0.00
Natural Gas Odor/Leak								0.00
Sheltering in Place (Staff, Staff Families, Pets)								0.00
Suspicious Package or Substance								0.00
Surge or Influx or Patients (NH Residents)								0.00
Community or Regional Terrorism (CBRN)								0.00
VIP Admission		['	['	[!				0.00
Workplace Violence				[]				0.00
Other 1 (provide hazard name)				[]				0.00
Other 2 (provide hazard name)	· · · · ·		· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	· · · ·				0.00
Other 3 (provide hazard name)				!				0.00
Average Score	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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	(0-4)	Possibility of death or injury	Physical losses and damages		Preplanning	Time, effectiveness, resources	Community/ Mutual Aid staff and supplies	
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Bomb Threat (Called in)								0.00
Civil Disturbance								0.00
Community Surge								0.00
Forensic Admission								0.00
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Workplace Violence								0.00
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Other 2 (provide hazard name)			8				2	0.00
Other 3 (provide hazard name)		0						0.00
Average Score	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

There are spaces provided in each category to add additional hazards so you can customize the tool to your facility and address all the potential hazards that exist.

Case Study: Coastal Facility



Example of How to Enter Information into the Tool and Its Impact on Scoring:

Facility A – Relative Risk Score = 28%

Probability - A facility is right on the shore and based on historical data and the local town's mitigation plan, a hurricane is likely to occur at least once in 10 years = **Enter 3**

Human impact - If a hurricane happens the human impact is determined to be potentially low acuity but has the possibility of high volume = **Enter 2**

Property impact is considered minor damage and less than two-week recovery, as they have hurricane shutters and have weathered hurricanes previously = **Enter 1**

Business impact is considered as there is expected disruption to non-essential services and/or possible disruption to essential transportation for vendors and supplies = **Enter 2**

Preparedness - The facility has detailed plans (for all phases of the hurricane approach) and practices annually just before hurricane season = **Enter 1**

Internal response - The facility has robust staff, family, and even staff pet sheltering plans, disaster staffing plans, and are confident they will be able to assemble sufficient resources to shelter in place = **Enter 1**

External response - After discussion with the local fire department and emergency management agency, the facility realizes that although resources may be available in the town, they may not be able to prioritize the facility and may struggle with access due to expected flooding = **Enter 2**

Facility B – Relative Risk Score = 50%

Probability - Same as Facility A

Human impact - Same as Facility A

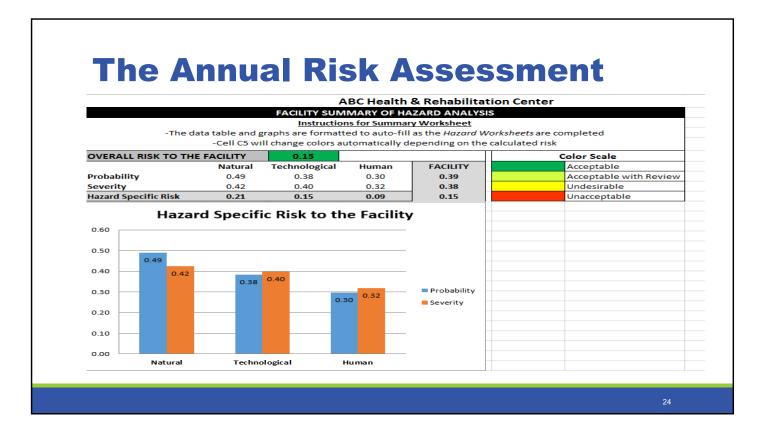
Property impact is considered moderate damage and less than 1-month recovery, as they only have a few hurricane shutters and have one generator that only runs part of the building = **Enter 2**

Business impact is considered as there is expected termination of both non-essential and essential services = **Enter 4**

Preparedness - The facility is in the process of creating the plans and training for a hurricane response but has not disseminated to or trained staff = **Enter 3**

Internal response - The facility has continuing and regular struggles with having enough supplies and staff to cover shifts = **Enter 3**

External response - Same as Facility A



The facility summary delineates the relative risks of the different categories and provides an overall risk rating for the facility.

This is a culmination of your assessments and data entry. This does not provide benchmark type data for comparison against other facilities as the risks and hazards are historically unique to the facility. Examples of scoring impact from one facility versus another, even when in the same community can be exampled by but not limited to – age of the building, staff training, infrastructure mitigations implemented (i.e., number of generators), and more.

			ABC Health & Rehabil	itation Cen	ter			
Natural Disa		D 1 1	Technogical Dis		D 1 1	Human Events		
TOP 10 HVA	RANK	Risk	TOP 10 HVA	RANK	Risk	TOP 10 HVA	RANK	
nfection Disease (SARS, Flu, etc)	1	63%	Natural Gas Failure	1	63%	Suspicious Package or Substance	1	34%
lurricane	2	56%	Medical Vacuum Disruption	2	56%	Active Shooter / Person with a Weapon	2	31%
Coastal Tsunami / Erosion	3	47%	Communications Systems Failure	3	47%	Community Surge	3	31%
Earthquake	4	47%	Fire, Internal	4	47%	Mass Casualty Incident > 5 Patients	4	31%
Snow / Ice Storm	5	47%	Hazmat Exposure, External	5	47%	Sheltering in Place (Staff, Staff Families, Pets)	5	31%
Wild Fire	6	47%	Sewer Disruption	6	47%	VIP Admission	6	31%
Dam Failure	7	38%	Water Supply Disruption (Potable)	7	47%	Hostage Situation	7	25%
Dust / Sand Storm	8	31%	Contamination of Outside Air	8	38%	Missing Patient (NH Resident)	8	25%
Damaging Winds	9	31%	Flood, Internal	9	38%	Bomb Threat (Called in)	9	19%
Hail Storm	10	31%	EHR/Information Systems Disruption	10	31%	Mass Casualty Incident < 5 Patients	10	19%

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The tool also breaks down the Top 10 Hazards by each category. The Risk ranking is relative only to the other hazards assessed in the tool. It is intended to provide a ranking methodology to allow for prioritization and subsequent planning.

Mitigation Plans: How To



 There may be carry over year-to-year Determine "Top Relative Risks"

• Using the HVA as a tool, what risks are rated high?

 Could be "Top 10" or any item > Greater Than 50% Risk, etc. Review what can be done to minimize the risk?

- Infrastructure Improvement
- Equipment Purchase
- Planning
- Training
- Collaboration with other Partners



	Miti	iqa	tic	on Plans				
	EVENT TYPE	EVENT	Relative Threat *	Comments		2017 Mitigation Plans to Consider		
		Tornado	48 %	Naturally occurring events cannot be avoided; however, this facility has committed action plans	•	Staff training on these plans		
	Natural	Hurricane	48 %	when these events occur and conducts robust pre- planning prior to storm seasons, and forecasted		 Provide transportation evacuation survey to EMS provider that shows what type of ambulances and vehicles may be needed in 		
	Hazards	Earthquake	48 %	events. As detailed and evidenced in our Emergency Operations Plan.		an evacuation		
		Blizzard	52 %	Likely to occur, minimal human or property impact but business impact "high" due to need to export		Consider plans, equipment and evaluate process in this first year for snow removal		
	enerator ailure	48 %	bldg); no e	rators with no redundancy (ea serve 1/2 of external connection; external generator ised but needs 50 ft connection and set-up		Consider infrastructure improvements to have outside connect and set-up MOUs, etc.	quick	
L	oss of Water	52 %		main feeds campus, consider alternate ply connections, storage, etc.		Consider infrastructure improvements to have outside connect and set-up MOUs, etc. Consider more on-site water storage (only 60 gallons storage today)		
		Bomb Threat	48 %			Develop Plans and review with local PD Provide EOC and PD with Floor Plans		
	Human Hazards	Active Shooter/	,	Ranked "moderate" due to concerns due to no planning in place and location near large population center & staff concerns.	•	Have Local PD review security of building, considering locked doors, access points, use of electronic sign in ("Fast Pass"), access to PD of Cameras, etc.		
		Hostage Situation	48 %			Review PD access to all parts of the building, including Knox Box use (not great for PD), Card access for PD, etc. Develop and Implement a training plan for STAFF by the Local EM and PD (including training, drills, etc.)		
	Hazardous Materials Hazards	Chemical Exposure, Internal	48 %	Have chemicals on site, have some response plans but in process of re-doing SDS binders to update and make accessible to all	•	Update and distribute SDS Binders, educate staff Review in-house spill kits, consider adding to them Review training of in-house staff, consider review training – possibly by manufacture of spill kit equipment		

SAMPLE MITIGATION PLAN

Once this page is completed to print it then add it to your EPP prior to changing the HVA data again.

If the HVA numbers get changed the hazards and risks on this page will reorder automatically but the comments and mitigation information will remain.

Using data from your HVA to influence your Program and Planning

Preparedness Plans

- Are emergency response plans in place for known hazards
- Do they need updating

Exercise / Drill Plans

• What should the exercises / drills focus be for the year

Mitigation Plans

• Can infrastructure be hardened to mitigate hazards, or equipment purchased, training be conducted, etc.





Questions?

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Thank You!

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