

NATIONAL SUMMIT ON PRIMARY CARE EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS
SPEAKER BIO

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Mollie Melbourne is an association program director with over 10 years experience working with health centers and primary care associations. She currently serves as the Director of Emergency Management of the National Association of Community Health Centers (NACHC) – a non-profit organization whose mission is to enhance and expand access to quality, community-responsive health care for America's medically underserved and uninsured. In serving its mission, NACHC represents the nation's network of over 1,000 Federally Qualified Health Centers (FQHCs) which serve 16 million people through 5,000 sites located in all of the 50 states, Puerto Rico, the District of Columbia, the U.S. Virgin Islands and Guam.

In her role as Director of Emergency Management, Mollie guides emergency management activities at the health center, primary care association, and network levels by assuring that the information and tools needed to institute effective emergency management principles are available, providing training and technical assistance to health centers and networks and establishing relationships between federal, state and local governments that result in health center inclusion in planning activities. Mollie holds Bachelors degrees in English and Agriculture from the University of Connecticut as well as certification from FEMA as a Master Exercise Practitioner and a Masters degree in Public Health from the University of Connecticut. She lives in Fairfield, Connecticut with her husband and two sons.