

How prepared is the Midwest? State scores on the National Health Security Preparedness Index™ (maximum score of 10)

Category and description	National average	National range	Illinois	Indiana	Iowa	Kansas	Michigan	Minnesota	Nebraska	North Dakota	Ohio	South Dakota	Wisconsin
Health Surveillance: Systematic collection, analysis and interpretation of data and timely dissemination of these data to those responsible for preventing and controlling disease, exposure and injury	7.3	5.8 to 8.8	7.2	7.5	7.4	6.8	8.4	7.5	7.5	7.5	6.2	7.3	7.2
Incident & Information Management: Ability to mobilize critical resources; command and coordinate within affected communities; provide necessary legal, administrative and logistical support; and exchange information, intelligence and plans among multiple jurisdictions	7.8	5.1 to 9.3	8.1	8.2	8.1	6.3	8.4	8.1	8.4	8.8	7.7	7.4	6.7
Community Planning & Engagement: Coordination across whole community (organizations, partners and stakeholders) to prepare for health incidents and to respond and recover from them	6.1	4.1 to 8.3	4.7	6.5	4.6	5.4	5.5	7.6	6.5	6.8	6.6	4.1	7.1
Surge Management: Capability to rapidly expand capacity of existing medical care and fatality-management systems to provide triage, transport and treatment to individuals	5.8	4.3 to 7.6	5.9	5.9	5.6	5.7	5.6	6.3	6.3	6.6	6.5	6.3	6.8
Overall index result	7.2	5.9 to 8.1	7.0	7.4	7.0	6.7	7.4	7.6	7.6	7.8	7.2	6.9	7.3

Source: Association of State and Territorial Health Officials