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## MEDIA ADVISORY

### COUNTY CONDUCTS BIOLOGICAL DRILL JULY 28

- WHO:** Dr. Wilma Wooten, County of San Diego Health & Human Services Agency Deputy Public Health Officer  
Volunteers from the Medical Reserve Corps
- WHAT:** The County of San Diego Health and Human Services Agency (HHS), Public Health Services, in cooperation with the local healthcare community, will conduct a bioterrorism exercise.
- WHEN:** 9 a.m. to noon - Media check-in will take place at 9 a.m.  
Friday, July 28
- WHERE:** Helix High School, 7323 University Ave., La Mesa
- WHY:** This event is designed to help the County and the healthcare community test their Emergency preparedness and response to a biological incident. The purpose of the exercise is to evaluate current capabilities and identify areas of improvement. The drill will also increase cooperation and teamwork among the agencies that would be expected to respond to such an event.

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