

2023 National Preparedness Symposium

Enhancing Your Preparedness Toolbox

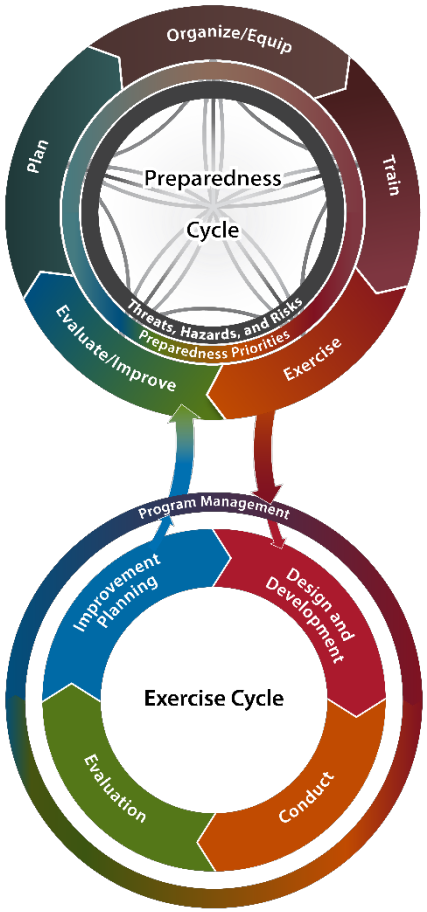
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Integrated Preparedness Plan Workshop (IPPW) & Integrated Preparedness Plan (IPP) Best Practices

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Exercise Program Management



Effective program management is comprised of the following components:

- Engaging senior leaders;
- Establishing multi-year preparedness priorities;
- Conducting an Integrated Preparedness Planning Workshop (IPPW);
- Developing a multi-year Integrated Preparedness Plan (IPP);
- Maintaining program reporting of exercise outcomes; and
- Managing exercise program resources.

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Wisconsin Integrated Preparedness Process

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Initiating Timeline

Wisconsin Integrated Preparedness Process

- **January 2020:** Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Guidance (HSEEP) Released
- **March 2020:** COVID19
- **June 2020:** Directed to rewrite Wisconsin Training and Exercise Plan
- **July 2020:** Created electronic survey based on new most and least tested capabilities

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Goals

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After reviewing the survey results, we found that large preparedness gaps were identified in over exercising historically perceived risk and capabilities.

From this our goals changed:

1. Grassroot threats and local priorities.
2. Local validation of Stakeholders Preparedness Review.

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Initial Challenges

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- Cultural change to strategic planning approach.
- Linking process to grant funding.
- Another top-down directive.
- Awareness and training the Planning, Organization, Equipment, Training, and Exercises Process. (P.O.E.T.E.)
- Awareness and accessibility of the Threat Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment and Stakeholder Preparedness Report. (THIRA/SPR)

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Implementation Process

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Meeting the Challenges

Wisconsin Integrated Preparedness Process

- Trained all exercise officers and regional directors on the IPP process and the Resilience Analysis and Planning Tool. (RAPT)
- Conducted six regional workshops to cover all 72 counties and 11 tribes.
- Held two break out sessions at State Conferences.
- Created an internal state working group to design templates, policies, and grant guidance.
- Held several one-on-one discussion with County Emergency Managers

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Potential Jurisdiction Growth

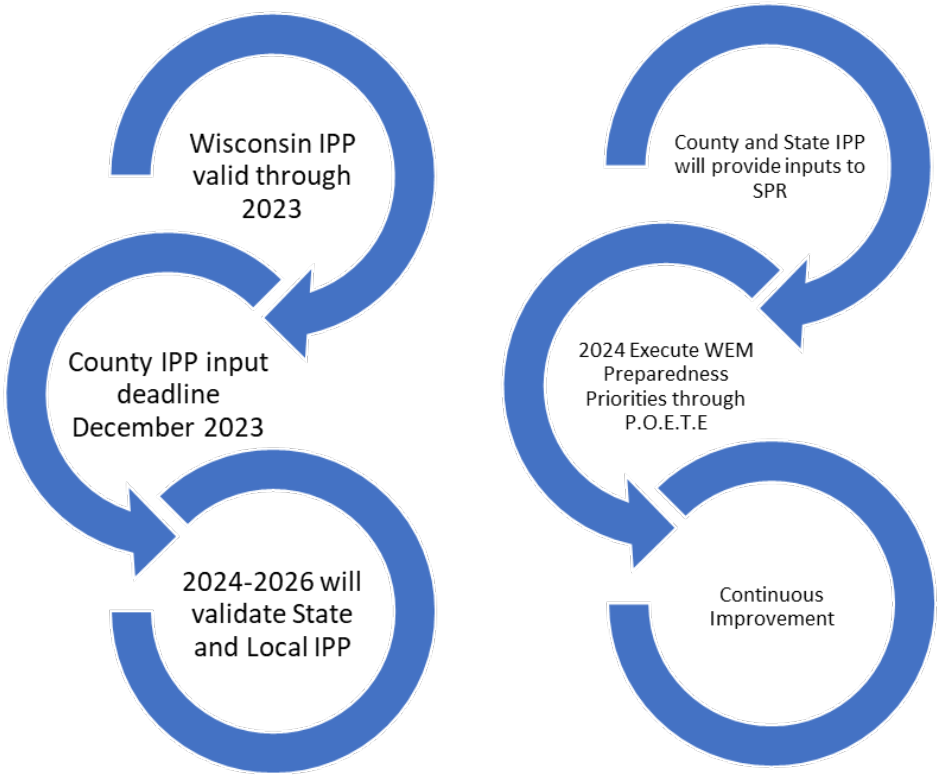
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- Broadening preparedness priorities to reflect local challenges. (e.g., opioid epidemic, municipal shared revenue, and staffing)
- Not just a integrated planning workshop and a plan.
- Lead up time to link other whole community partners goals and align.
- Creating a living document that emergency management practitioners can point to and update senior officials regularly.
- Validate survey data with in-person workshops.
- Direct reporting to the local jurisdiction with a rolling summary report.
- Understanding community profile vs disaster impact

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Where are we now?

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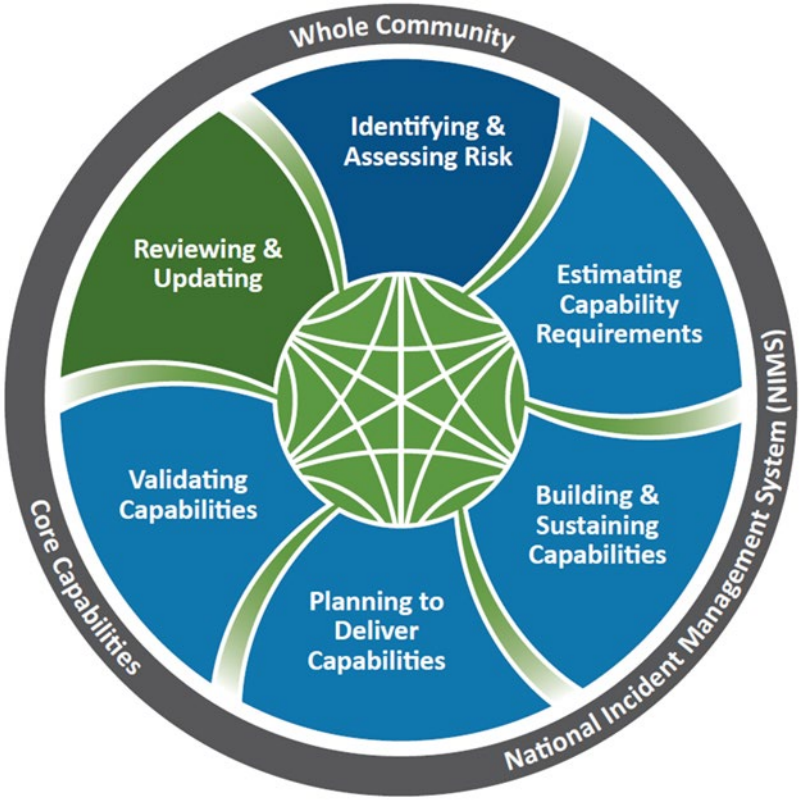
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Integrated Preparedness Process

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Integrated Preparedness Planning Workshop (IPPW) /Integrated Preparedness Planning (IPP)

The purpose of the IPPW / IPP is to document preparedness priorities and goals/outcomes for a jurisdiction or organization, and a multi-year schedule of preparedness activities for each jurisdiction or organization to address those priorities and goals/outcomes



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THIRA/SPR and the IPPW/IPP

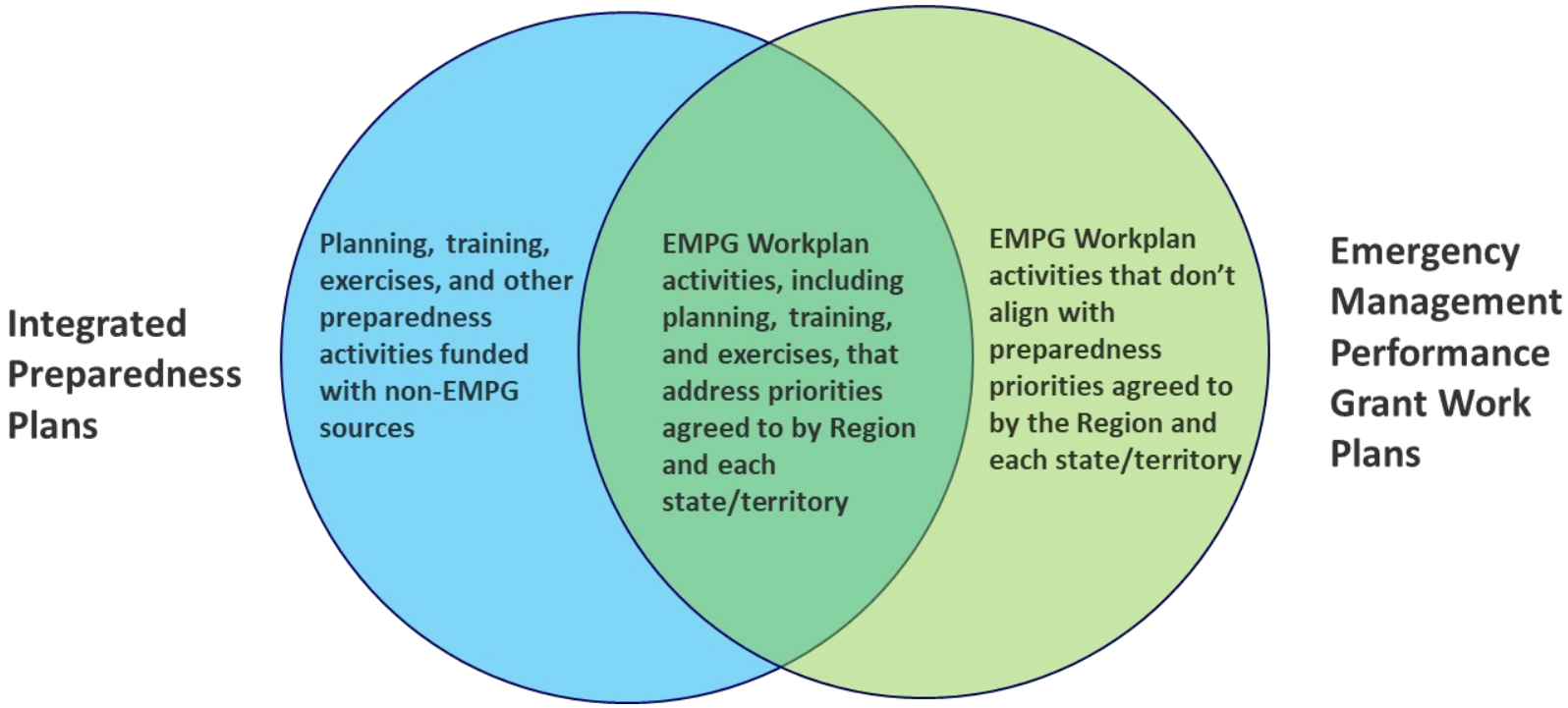


THIRA/SPR can inform IPPW/IPP development:

- **Planning** enables plans to reflect risk and capability more accurately.
- **Exercises** provide scenarios and data to support exercise development and evaluation.
- **Operations** facilitate conversations about community capability and informs federal lifeline support posture.
- **Continuous** improvement supports evaluating existing capabilities to either validate them or identify areas for improvement.
- **Training and other investments:** Strategic investments target and prioritize funding and resources to the areas of greatest need and ensure grants are used effectively.

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IPPW/IPP and EMPG Should Overlap

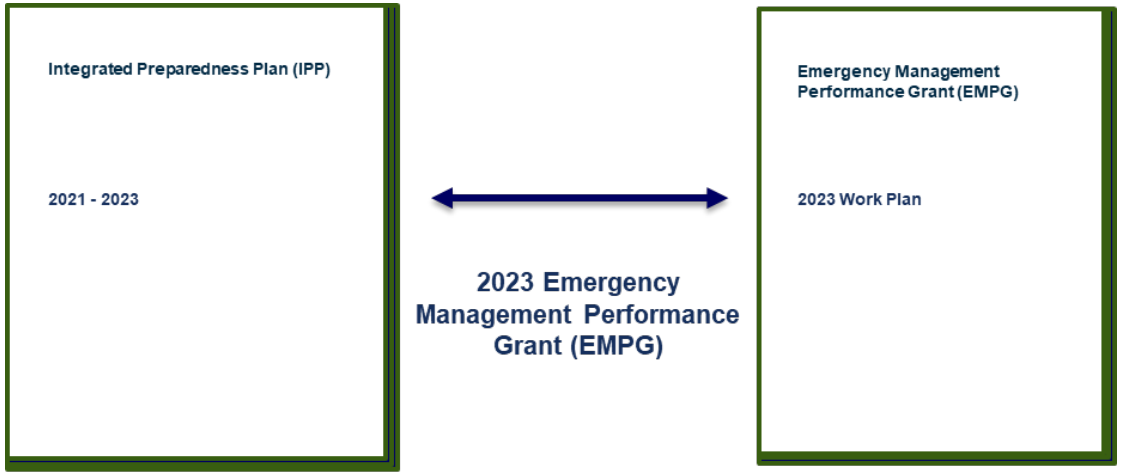


The EMPG Work Plan and IPP each have their own development timeframes with distinct stages that overlap with one another but do not completely align with each other.

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IPPW/IPP and EMPG Should Overlap cont.

The EMPG workplan should be a subset of the activities in the IPP.



- Homeland Security Grant Program
- Emergency Management Performance Grant
- Building Resilient Infrastructure and Communities (BRIC)
- Radiological Emergency Preparedness Program (REPP)
- Other funding sources

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IPPW & IPP Videos

Charting the Exercise Program Vision (https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UHelz_G3dyU)



Conducting an IPPW & Developing an IPP
(https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OBStgz9WeKM)



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