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Dr. Paul Biddinger is the vice chairman for Emergency Preparedness in the Department of Emergency Medicine at Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH) in Boston. He is also the medical director for emergency preparedness at MGH and at Partners Healthcare. In addition to his disaster preparedness responsibilities at MGH, Dr. Biddinger leads a program at the Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health that focuses on training and evaluating preparedness, as well as conducts research into the best methods of how to do this. He has led numerous events to test and train public health and healthcare workers in disaster preparedness locally, regionally, and nationally. He has authored numerous articles and book chapters on topics related to emergency medical services and disaster medicine. As the BIDTI consortium lead in Boston, Dr. Biddinger helps plan, manage, and evaluate activities for this training program.