Miami Dade Fire Rescue/EMS Protocols for Interacting with Miami Dade County Hospitals



Gerard E. Job, M.D.

Attending Physician

Emergency Services

Jackson Health System &

Medical Director, Miami-Dade Fire Rescue

After witnessing the 2001 attack on the World Trade Center, Dr. Gerard Job wondered "How could we not be prepared to prevent and mitigate this from happening again". Eight years earlier, he had stared from across the river in the old Brooklyn Navy Yard Industrial Complex with disbelief at the smoke billowing from these same buildings.

Since that time he had focused his education on the preparedness and response to Disaster and Public Health Emergencies. After graduating from medical school at Howard University, he completed his residency in Emergency Medicine at Long Island Jewish Hospital and Certificates in Disaster Training.

Now as the Medical Director of Miami-Dade Fire Rescue and Core faculty member of Jackson Memorial Hospital Emergency Care Center, he works closely with Disaster and Emergency Preparedness in developing protocols and training staff members for all possible hazards. He is also a faculty in the "Disaster Education and Simulation Laboratory Training" course at Jackson Health System

