Open Event

The Master of Disaster Management (MDMa) at the School of Global Health, University of Copenhagen and the Health in Emergencies & Refugee Health course cordially invite you to our next Open Event (Lecture-Workshop) on

WHO’s Early Warning Alert and Response System
21 May, 2019; 16:00 to 19:00
CSS 1.1.18
University of Copenhagen
Øster Farimagsgade 5, 1014 Copenhagen K

Speaker:
Colleen Acosta, PhD MPH
Epidemiologist, Health Emergency Information & Risk Assessment Division of Health Emergencies and Communicable Diseases WHO, Regional Office for Europe

In this event you will learn about WHO’s Early Warning Alert and Response System (EWARS) and we will challenge you to see if you can identify and contain outbreaks as a humanitarian worker in an epidemics scenario.

Register your participation by 16 May via:
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Programme

15.45 Registration

16.00 Welcome Remarks
   Prof Flemming Konradsen, Director, School of Global Health

16.10 Introduction: Dr. Kristoffer Vogler, course leader for Health in Emergencies & Refugee Health, University of Copenhagen

16.15 Presentation
   Speaker: Colleen Acosta
   Title: WHO’s Early Warning Alert and Response System

17.00 Coffee Break

17.15 Epidemics challenge using EWARS

18:50 Summing up and closing remarks
   Assoc. Prof Peter Furu, Head of Studies, Master of Disaster Management

Speaker

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