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John is a Director of Safety and Emergency Management for Penn Medicine and has 14 years in healthcare emergency preparedness and management, as well as Chair of the Southeast Pennsylvania Healthcare Coalition, nationally recognized for its model for Healthcare planning, preparedness, coordination and information sharing strategies. In addition, John is a member of the US Department of Health and Human Services Incident Response Coordination Team (IRCT) under the auspices of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response (ASPR). This gives John a unique perspective across the healthcare continuum from the federal level down to the local level. During the World Meeting of Families/Papal Visit, John was the lead healthcare planner for the Coalition and was actively involved in the Philadelphia healthcare preparedness, response, and recovery operations for the event.