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SUBJECT: Revisions to OSLDPS Web Site and the Impact on Users of the On-Line Data
Collection Tool

The Office for State and Local Domestic Preparedness Support (OSLDPS) plans to activate an enhanced web site shortly. This Information Bulletin addresses the impact of this change on users of the On-Line Data Collection Tool, and is intended to minimize any resulting confusion. Please ensure that this information is provided to all first responder and public health jurisdictions participating in your State's assessment process.

While the look and feel of the new web site will be much different from the one it replaces, the OSLDPS home page will continue to be accessible at: www.ojp.usdoj.gov/osldps. Additionally, the On-Line Data Collection Tool will still be located in the following three areas: "What's New," "Grant Programs & Equipment," and "Exercises & Assessments." Links to these areas can be found on the home page. However, the URLs for these links may differ from those on the old web site. To avoid any problems when the new site is activated, OSLDPS recommends that users who previously established bookmarks or shortcuts directly to these areas on the old web site initially go to the OSLDPS home page. They may then recreate any desired bookmarks or shortcuts with the correct URLs.

For technical assistance with On-Line Data Collection Tool, you may continue to contact the OJP toll-free help line at 1-888-549-9901. Assistance with the public health assessment may be obtained by calling the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention help line at 1-800-747-7649. You may also contact your OSLDPS program manager for additional information and assistance related to conduct of the needs assessment and development of your three-year state strategy.