

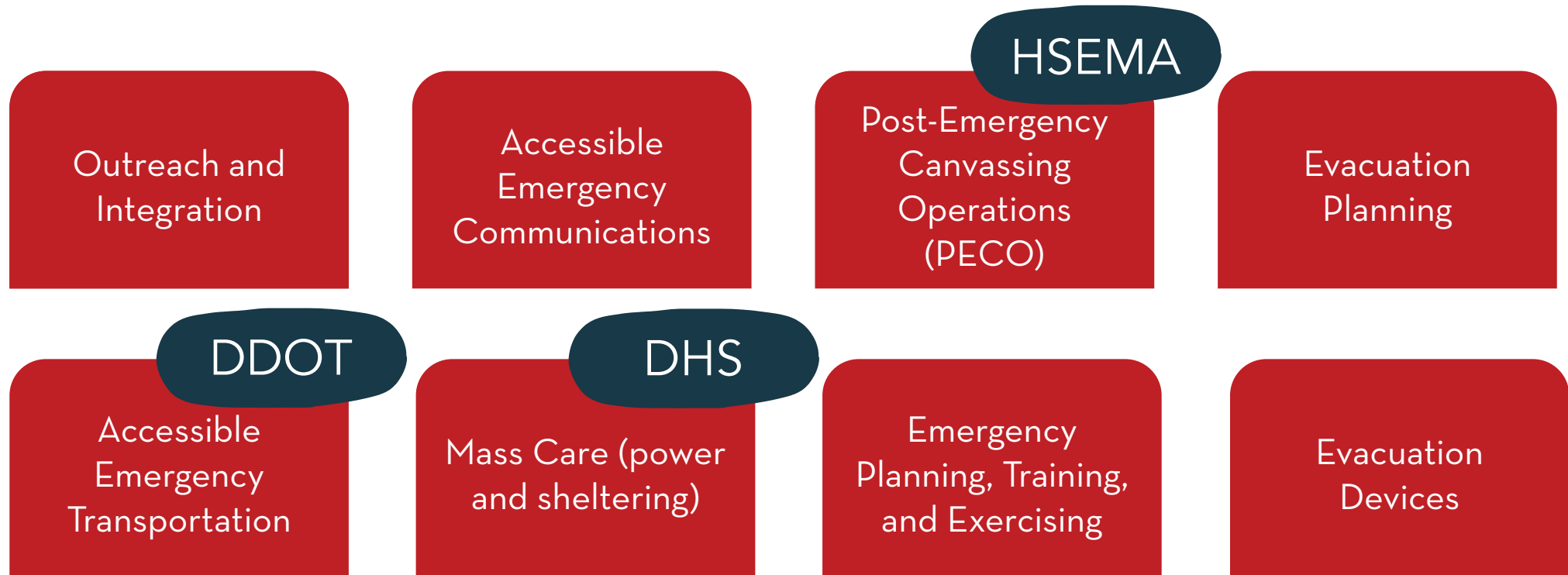


DC HSEMA Disability, Access, and Functional Needs (DAFN) Program

DDS Provider Leadership Meeting

Thursday, December 14th, 2023

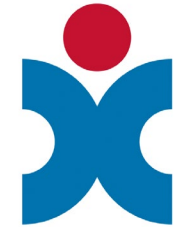
Goal: Ensure the needs of people with disabilities and other access and functional needs are met before, during, and after disasters



HSEMA DAFN Program Collaboration



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- Provide disability-specific perspective and recommendations on emergency planning efforts
- Advise on the District’s Disability, Access, and Functional Needs program



- Review plans, training, and other materials
- Identify resources and subject matter support
- Serve as non-political advocate for DAFN program

What's Next?



“There are two primary choices in life: to accept conditions as they exist or accept responsibility for changing them”

- Denis Waitley



THANK YOU!

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