

5 WAYS CDC Helped You Last Year

“Science, surveillance, and service.
We bring it all together to protect Americans 24/7.”

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1 Trained public health workers, laboratorians, and healthcare workers worldwide through **more than 372,000** hours of continuing education aimed at improving health

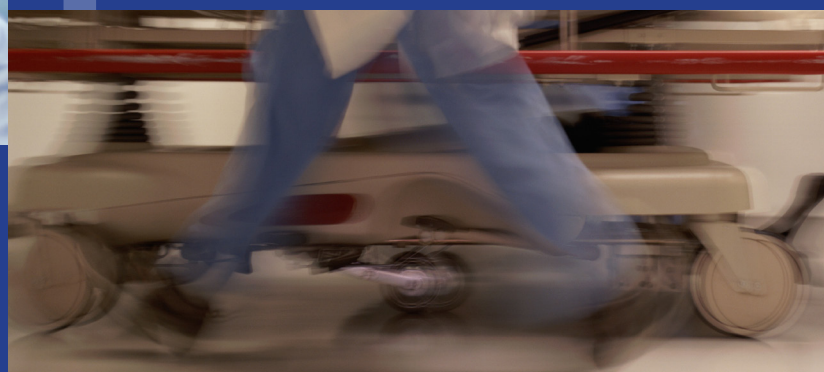


2 **149 Epidemic Intelligence Service officers** actively responded to public health threats within the U.S. and around the world

3 Released more than **400 scientific reports** in the *Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report*, including a year-long series dedicated to promoting the health of rural Americans



4 Ensured that the **260,000 U.S. clinical laboratories** had access to training, guidance, and standards to support the **13 billion lab tests** conducted each year—about **40 tests** per year for every person living in the United States



5 **Tracked 65%** of emergency room visits nationwide within 48 hours, providing near real-time data on symptoms and emerging health threats including natural disasters

