

# PREHOSPITAL PECC

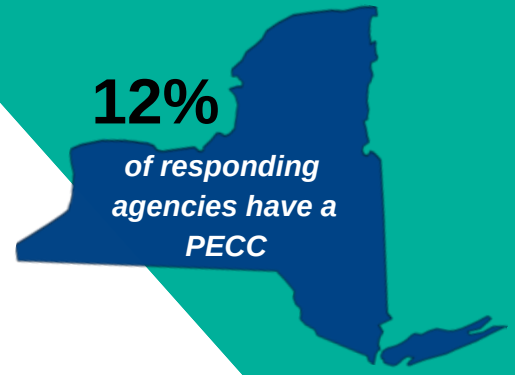
## What is a Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinator?

*A Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinator (PECC) is an individual or individuals who are responsible for coordinating pediatric-specific activities. A designated individual who coordinates pediatric emergency care need not be dedicated solely to this role; it can be an individual already in place who assumes this role as part of their existing duties. The individual may be a member of your agency, or work at a county or region level and serve more than one agency.*

**Whether your agency is urban, rural, volunteer or paid, various staffing models can fit your needs.**

- Individual within the agency dedicated solely to the PECC role
- Multiple individuals within the agency sharing the PECC role
- Individual within the agency with the PECC role as an additional duty
- Program Agency serving a region as the PECC
- Other individual serving multiple agencies or a region as the PECC

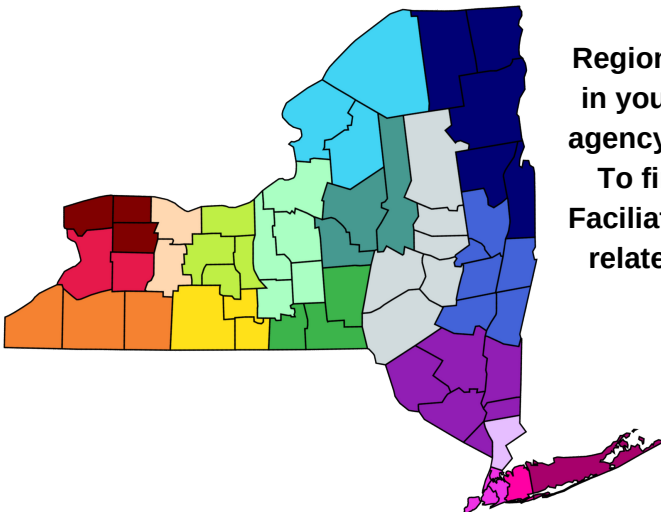
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**The Prehospital Pediatric Emergency Care Coordinator is responsible for:**

- Being a resource for education on pediatric medications, equipment, and supplies;
- Promoting and sharing pediatric continuing-education opportunities;
- Encouraging pediatric simulations/hands-on pediatric skills assessments; and
- Encouraging that fellow providers follow pediatric clinical-practice guidelines

**Regional Facilitators are available in your region to help make your agency more "pediatric prepared". To find out who your Regional Faciliator is and for more pediatric related information, please visit [nyspecc.org](http://nyspecc.org)**



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