Abstract

The 120 Cities/133 Urban Areas Boston Preparedness Pilot: A Case Study
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A wide number of state and federal participants including MassGIS, USGS, NIMA, Boston Police, Boston EMS, Boston Fire, MEMA, and NOAA, have been involved in the Boston Preparedness Pilot. This project has explored identifying and beginning the assembly of the critical infrastructure data necessary to support first responders. In addition to assessing and collecting these data, the project has developed a robust database schema designed to flexibly and efficiently store these data in the hopes that national data sets can be "rolled up" from the individual efforts of each of the 133 urban areas.

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