

## Faith Based Organizations

Level	Actions					
<b>Level 1:</b>  <b>Small numbers of cases of H1N1 flu or ILI</b>	Promote prevention messaging from the pulpit, church bulletins, signage, BPHC palm cards, informational sessions	Emphasize prevention message of staying home when ill; send ill employees home	Finalize COOP plans	Implement modification of traditional practices that could spread illness	Stay informed. Sign up for alerts on BPHC website so that you have the most current guidance	Offer flu clinics at places of worship; notify members of community immunization sites
<b>Level 2:</b>  <b>Significant numbers of cases or clusters of H1N1 flu or ILI and/or increasing severity of illness</b>	Emphasize prevention message of staying home when ill	Modify HR policies to allow staff to remain home when ill or when caring for ill family member for 4 days w/o requiring physicians note to return to work	Have plans in place to support home worship visits as needed	Report to BPHC any cluster of cases/illness in congregation	Partner with BPHC on plan to care for community members who do not require hospitalization but may need in home support (food delivery, transportation, day care)	
<b>Level 3:</b>  <b>Widespread illness in the city</b>	Implement COOP plan	Deliver services in non-traditional venue if requested by BPHC to avoid large gatherings	Work with BPHC to use emergency communication network to broadcast public health messages to all members			