**Purpose:** To work through various Courses of Action that will help you strategically reach your desired End State. Can also be used for various Branches (i.e., different scenarios)

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| EM Phase | Mitigation | Prevention/Protection | Response |  |  |  |  |  |  | Recovery |
| D+ Sample Time Phase | D- Years/Decades  | D- Weeks/Years Prior | D+ 0.5 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 10 | 20 | 30 | 40+ |
| CDC Pandemic Intervals(Example) |  |  | Investigation/Recognition | Initiation | Acceleration | Peak | Deceleration |  |
| Plan Time Phase (User Defined) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| COLUMNS | (Mitigation Strategies) | (Prevention/Protection Strategies ) | (Immediate Response Strategies) | (Continuous Response Strategies) | (Strategies for transition to Recovery) | (Initial Recovery Strategies) |
| Title: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Branch OneTitle: |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Branch TwoTitle: |  |  |  |  |  |  |

S = Scenario Event; D = Decision Point; A = Response Action with owner in () Owners can be ESFs, Agencies, Organizations, Task Forces, etc. . Arrows indicate dependencies.

Course of Action Evaluation (rank each one 1, 2, or 3 in each category)

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| Criteria  | Weight | Course of Action 1: | Course of Action 2: | Course of Action 3: |
| Adequacy |  |  |  |  |
| Feasibility |  |  |  |  |
| Acceptability |  |  |  |  |
| Completeness |  |  |  |  |
| Distinguishability |  |  |  |  |
| Compliance with guidance |  |  |  |  |
| Aligns with research |  |  |  |  |
| Scores |  |  |  |  |