



Hampton Roads Metropolitan Medical Response System

Achieving Preparedness Through Regional Cooperation

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Overview

- Mission
- Disaster Medical Support Unit
- Mass Casualty Evacuation and Transport Unit
- Funding



Mission

- Support and enhance Hampton Roads public safety, hospital, public health and emergency management response capabilities to manage mass casualty incidents during the early hours critical to life-saving and population protection to include:





Mission



- ✓ terrorist acts using WMD/CBRNE
- ✓ epidemic disease outbreaks



Mission



- ✓ natural disasters
- ✓ hazardous materials incidents
- Support integration of existing disaster and emergency operations plans



Disaster Medical Support Unit

- Augments and enhances emergency medical response resources in region
- 8 units located in Chesapeake, Hampton, Newport News, Norfolk, Portsmouth, James City County, York County & Virginia Beach



Disaster Medical Support Unit

- Will support up to 250 patients depending on nature of injuries
- Jurisdictions responsible for maintaining and transporting to incident as mutual aid resource



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Mass Casualty Evacuation and Transport Unit

- Augments and enhances evacuation and mass casualty transport in region
- Propose to locate 8 units in Chesapeake, Hampton, Newport News, Norfolk, Portsmouth, James City County, York County & Virginia Beach
 - ✓ Co-locate with DMSU





Mass Casualty Evacuation and Transport Unit

- Chesapeake completed. Newport News ready by June 1
- Plan to have at least 4 in service before hurricane season
- Jurisdiction contributes school bus, radio. HRMMRS purchases conversion kit, paint, AC, lights/siren, liner, ramp



Mass Casualty Evacuation and Transport Unit

- Not an ambulance – designed for transport of yellow and green triaged patients
- Can transport 18 litter and 10 ambulatory patients + at least 2 attendants and 1 driver
- Capacity of 11+ ambulances



Mass Casualty Evacuation and Transport Unit

- Multifunction capability
 - ✓ Hospital/Nursing home evacuation
 - ✓ Special needs transport
 - ✓ Public safety personnel rehab
 - ✓ Temporary shelter for displaced citizens
- Jurisdictions responsible for maintaining and transporting to incident as mutual aid resource





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Funding

• FY 1999 DHHS Contract	\$2,000,000
• FY 2003 DHS Contract	\$1,520,000
• FY 2004 DHS Grant	\$1,929,606
• FY 2005 DHS Grant	\$ 910,368
• FY 2006 DHS Grant	\$ 929,320
• FY 2007 DHS Grant	\$1,032,580
• FY 2008 DHS Grant	\$1,284,884
• FY 2009 DHS Grant	\$1,284,884





Funding

- Sustainment Budget of \$0.20 per capita per year from 16 jurisdictions
 - ✓ Training & exercises
 - ✓ Replacement of expired medications and supplies
 - ✓ Plan updates/administrative support
 - ✓ HRMMST vehicle maintenance
 - ✓ HRMMST communications





Summary

- Your leadership and support have enhanced our preparedness for a mass casualty event in Hampton Roads, but...
 - ✓ continued support for training and exercises, and
 - ✓ continued federal and jurisdictional funding will be needed to sustain HRMMRS capabilities.

