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Capability 4: Medical Surge - MCLEMSA

Goal:

Strengthen and further integrate the EMS response to public health and medical emergencies.

Known Gaps:

EMS response has always been involved in a public health and medical emergencies in Del Norte County. We will continue to strengthen that interaction with the MHOAC and new Healthcare Coalition program. The plan for this year will be to design and provide a number of smaller exercises that will include Public Health, First Responders, and Healthcare Coalition Members.

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Objective 1		Est. Finish Date	Staff Lead (first and last name)	Mid-Year Report		Year End Report	
LEMSA: Provide activities that the LEMSA will work on to increase Health Care Coalition preparedness and response.				Status	Primary Barrier (Describe in Notes)	Status	Primary Barrier (Describe in Notes)
		Objective					
		Q4	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
Activities		Activities					
1	Schedule and conduct meetings to plan 3 separate TTX drills designed to enhance the emergency response capabilities and relationships of our Healthcare Coalition Members.	Q3	Dennis Louy	Complete	None	Complete	None
2	Plan and prepare those drills with documentation of who was present at the planning meetings and then at the drills.	Q3	Dennis Louy	Complete	None	Complete	None
3	Complete and forward to NCEMS each AAR/IP for those three drills.	Q3	Dennis Louy	Complete	None	Complete	None
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Required Deliverables/Outputs		Deliverable(s)					
	1) Documentation						
Notes:	Mid-Year Report 12/27/2019. ACTIVITY 1: The NCEMS Liaison has continued to assist the LEMSA in developing plans, policies, procedures and trainings for all Coalitions members. Drills completed to date include: 7/18/19 A “Total Loss of Water” Emergency Evacuation TTX for Sutter Coast Hospital; 10/16/19 Earthquake / Tsunami Emergency Response TTX for our local Home Health Staff; 11/15/2019 Earthquake / Tsunami Evacuation TTX for Crescent						

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Objective 2		Est. Finish Date	Staff Lead (first and last name)	Mid-Year Report		Year End Report	
LEMSA: Provide training for first responders and Health Care Coalition members on plans, policies, and procedures for the transition from a single multi-casualty incident into a disaster response.				Status	Primary Barrier (Describe in Notes)	Status	Primary Barrier (Describe in Notes)
		Objective					
		Q4	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
Activities		Activities					
1	Schedule and conduct meetings to hold 3 drills that will cover various expanding topics from a single multi casualty incident to a disaster response. We plan to schedule one drill per quarter to assist in preparing for our Full Scale Multi-Agency Exercise.	Q4	Dennis Louy	Complete	None	Complete	None
2	Plan and prepare those drills with documentation of each agency and agency representatives who assist in the planning, preparing, and participating in the event via sign-in sheets.	Q4	Dennis Louy	Complete	None	Complete	None
3	Complete AAR/IP for those three drills.	Q4	Dennis Louy	Complete	None	Complete	None
4	We will work directly with Sutter Coast Hospital, Crescent City Skilled Nursing, Our Community Open Door Clinic, and our United Indian Health Clinic to design individualized Table Top Scenarios. These scenarios will be designed to prepare them take a more active role in our 2019-2020 Full Scale Exercise. We will develop agendas for each of the scenario planning meetings; provide written notes from each meeting along with participant sign-in sheets for each meeting and activity. An After Action Report / Improvement Plan (AAR/IP) will be completed and forwarded after each of the three tabletop scenarios.	Q3	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
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Required Deliverables/Outputs		Deliverable(s)					
	1) Training Log						
Notes:	Mid-Year Report 12/27/2019 Activity 1: Live Code Drills to date include: 6/25/2019 Med Sled Staff Evacuation Training / Drill to Crescent City Skilled Nursing; 10/17/2019 Live Code Earthquake / Tsunami Emergency Office Evacuation for DHHS Public Health Branch; 10/31/2019 Addie Meedom Crescent City Senior Living Inc. Live Code Full Response Fire and Smoke Facility Evacuation Event. Facilitated the 11/1119 Hot Wash/Debriefing and completed the AAREIP for the event. 11/6/2019 Live Code						

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Objective 3		Est. Finish Date	Staff Lead (first and last name)	Mid-Year Report		Year End Report	
LEMSA: Participate, as appropriate, in the development, training, and testing of regional emergency transportation plans for transport of suspect/confirmed patients with Ebola or other highly pathogenic diseases between frontline hospitals, Assessment Hospitals, and Treatment Centers.				Status	Primary Barrier (Describe in Notes)	Status	Primary Barrier (Describe in Notes)
		Objective					
		Q4	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	Real Event
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1	Del Norte will participate with any regional meetings or trainings that will be testing the regional emergency transportation plan for suspect/confirmed Ebola or highly pathogenic disease.	Q4	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	Real Event
2	Will document all participation of those meetings and trainings.	Q4	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
3	Identify and select contractors capable of responding to an Ebola incident in the community.	Q2	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
4	We will share and discuss with our Coalition Members the List of Companies with Biohazard Clean-up Capability for Ebola/Emerging	Q2	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
5	We will distribute and discuss copies of the CDPH 2016 Decontamination Template for Ebola Virus and Emerging Pathogens Information Sheets.	Q2	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
6	We will schedule a Review and Training Discussion of our agencies existing Ebola and Pathogen response protocols at one of our Bi-Monthly EOC/Area Ops meetings. We will identify, discuss and resolve identified gaps.	Q3	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	Real Event
7	We will ensure that we prepare and utilize Participant Sign-In Sheets to assist with participation documentation.	Q3	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	Real Event
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Required Deliverables/Outputs							
				Deliverable(s)			
1) Documentation of regional planning with the Healthcare Coalition and Operational Area partners.							
2) Patient tracking procedures for EMS							
Notes:		Mid-Year Report 12/27/2019 Activities1-7: Our newly hired OES Manager /MHOAC has been very busy playing catch-up, maintaining, and moving forward with current OES/Health events and trainings. I will be working with both our OES Manager/MHOAC and DHHS Program Manager to schedule an Ebola Review Presentation for either our Feb. or March EOC/Area Ops. Training meetings. I have prepared handouts of the CDPH-EPO/CDPH-CEH's Ebola Project Teams project deliverables which					

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Objective 4		Est. Finish Date	Staff Lead <i>(first and last name)</i>	Mid-Year Report		Year End Report	
LEMSA: Participate in information sharing for immediate Bed Availability and CAHAN systems as appropriate for the LEMSA role and according to local policy.				Status	Primary Barrier <i>(Describe in Notes)</i>	Status	Primary Barrier <i>(Describe in Notes)</i>
		Objective					
		Q4	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Canceled	Administrative
Activities		Activities					
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10	Participate in quarterly Bed Availability drills.	Q4	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Canceled	Administrative
	Coordinate with the LHD and HPP Entity to register, update, and maintain EMS contacts in CAHAN.	Q2	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Canceled	Administrative
	Participate in quarterly CAHAN drills.	Q4	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Canceled	Administrative
Required Deliverables/Outputs		Deliverable(s)					
	1) Updated EMS contacts in CAHAN.						
Notes:	Mid-Year Report 12/27/2019. ACTIVITY 1: As of July 2019 our HavBED response team consists of our MHOAC, Public Health Program Manager, and a third alternate. During our Dec. 27th I updated the Sutter Coast Emergency Response Planning Team on the HavBED Program Description, Spread Sheets, and Protocols. They were very pleased to learn of this program and made immediate plans to share this information with their House Supervisor(s), their Administrator(s) on Call, and during their						

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Objective 5		Est. Finish Date	Staff Lead (first and last name)	Mid-Year Report		Year End Report	
LEMSA: Participate with the Health Care Coalition to develop/enhance written procedures for patient tracking during an incident that incorporates EMS transportation from field to hospital and interfacility transfers.				Status	Primary Barrier (Describe in Notes)	Status	Primary Barrier (Describe in Notes)
		Objective					
		Q4	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
Activities		Activities					
1	Meet with EMS provider agency leaders, first responders and/or disaster liaison to review current transportation policies/procedures at each agency.	Q2	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
2	Develop a committee to discuss and develop a -DRAFT- for the Triage Tuesday Protocols/Policy.	Q1	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
3	Select a Triage Implementation Committee.	Q1	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
4	Discuss Triage Tag Evaluation Protocols.	Q1	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
5	Purchase Triage Tags to allow implementation of our Triage Tuesday Protocols.	Q1	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
6	Provide Triage Tags, Trainings, and/or review trainings to all requesting agencies.	Q4	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
7	Schedule a Triage Tuesday Implementation Meeting prior to October 2019.	Q1	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
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Required Deliverables/Outputs		Deliverable(s)					
	1) Documentation such as meeting minutes, agenda, etc.						
	2) Patient tracking procedures for EMS						
Notes:	Mid-Year Report 12/27/2019. ACTIVITIES 1-7: Due to the busy schedules and number of continuing meetings of our First Responders and Healthcare Coalition members are already attending we decided to combine our Triage Tuesday and Field Treatment Sites meeting together. Between Jan 8, 2019 and Dec. 3, 2019 we have been able to schedule and hold seven combined meetings. As a result of these meetings we have been able to complete the seven activities listed above with our Triage Tuesday						

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Objective 6		Est. Finish Date	Staff Lead (first and last name)	Mid-Year Report		Year End Report	
LEMSA: Work collaboratively with the Local Health Department (LHD) to identify a local initiative or project to meet local needs and delineate the LEMSA role from the public health/county role. Please list deliverables below as appropriate for the identified project.				Status	Primary Barrier (Describe in Notes)	Status	Primary Barrier (Describe in Notes)
				Objective			
		Q3	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	Complete	None
Activities		Activities					
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10	Meet with HCC, EMS and hospital staff to continue finalizing the “DRAFT” recommendations, protocols, and implementation guideline for development of Casualty Collection Points.	Q2	Dennis Louy	Complete	None	Complete	None
	Develop a TTX to test the plan with a medical surge and/or transportation exercise.	Q3	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	In progress, off schedule	Real Event
	Develop an AAR/IAP.	Q3	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	In progress, on schedule	Real Event
	Update and revise the Casualty Collection plan with resolutions to the gaps identified during the exercise.	Q3	Dennis Louy	In progress, on schedule	None	In progress, off schedule	Real Event
Required Deliverables/Outputs		Deliverable(s)					
1) TTX plan for medical surge.							
2) AAR for TTX							
3) Update to CCP plan							
Notes:	Mid-Year Report 12/27/2019. ACTIVITIES 1-4: Due to the busy schedules and number of continuing meetings of our First Responders and Healthcare Coalition members are already attending we decided to combine our Triage Tuesday and Field Treatment Sites meeting together. Between Jan 8, 2019 and Dec. 3, 2019 we have been able to schedule and hold seven combined meetings. This committee was successful in developing “DRAFT” recommendations, protocols and implementation guidelines for						