

Central Maine Healthcare Preparedness Coalition (CMHPC)

Thursday, June 23, 2016
 CMMC, 12 High Street, Lewiston
 Conference Rooms A/B/C

PRESENT: Whitney Allen, Central Maine Medical Center; Art Churchill, Kennebec Valley EMA; Richard Comstock, MaineGeneral; Jane Coolidge, Maine CDC; Dwight Corning, Stephens Memorial Hospital; Jessica Dagneau, St. Mary's d'Youville Pavilion; Patrick Furey, Maine CDC; Brookes Gagnon, Togus VA; Rebecca Eastman, Riverview; Bob Hand, PACE/Stephens Memorial Hospital; Mark Jacobs, Pinnacle Health & Rehab.; Angela Moore, Interim; Riverview; Robert Patnaude, Riverview; Mike Senecal, Franklin Memorial Hospital; Cathi Seraph, Maine Veterans Home; Jamee Theriault, Rumford Hospital; Todd Tracy, United Ambulance; Phil Tricarico, Riverview; Paula Varney, Harris House; Scott Verrill, Pinnacle Health & Rehab.; Kathleen Wescott, Maine CDC

GUEST: Olan Johnston, Evolve Technologies

CMRRC: Kara Walker, Director; Kris Gammon, Operations Manager

Topic	Presenter	Discussion/Talking Points	Minutes	Action/ Follow Up
Welcome /Introductions and Regional Updates	Kris Gammon, Operations Manager	Welcome and Introductions Regional Updates	We have three new members to our coalition: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Jessica Dagneau, RN from St. Mary's D'Youville Pavilion - Mark Jacobs from Pinnacle Health and Rehab - Scott Verrill from Pinnacle Health and Rehab <p>Welcome! It's great to see new members and seeing our coalition grow!</p> <p>Kara Walker mentioned the recent HAZMAT exercise MaineGeneral Medical Center participated in. She was happy to report that the hospital portion of the exercise went very well. Lessons were learned both at the hospital and on-scene at the train derailment response.</p>	
Emergency Operations Plan Seminar	Kara Walker, Director	Purpose	This plan establishes and describes the emergency response framework which will guide	<i>View powerpoint presentation at</i>



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		<p>CMHPC Roles and Responsibilities:</p> <p>CMRRC Roles and Responsibilities</p> <p>Healthcare Coalition Response Team</p>	<p>the Central Maine Healthcare Preparedness Coalition (CMHPC) as it activates to protect the health, safety and well-being of Maine residents and visitors in areas impacted by a natural or manmade health emergency disaster.</p> <p>Facilitating the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Information sharing among participants. - Resource support via mutual aid process or other sharing arrangements. - Coordination of incident response organizations (i.e. objectives, strategy and tactics are consistent for the healthcare response). - Interface between coalition and relevant jurisdictional authorities. - Coordinating and leading the CMHPC in planning for, responding to and recovering from a regional healthcare disaster. - Being primary hub for facilitating regional HCC response and recovery operations (communications, medical surge support, coordinating medical equipment and supplies, providing/receiving situational awareness and information with Maine CDC). <p>Incident Command System (ICS) based models have been validated in the management of many types of complex activities under emergency and non-emergency situations.</p>	<p>http://cmrrc.org/wp-content/uploads/2016/01/Coalition-PPT-062316-EOP1.pdf</p>




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			<p>National Incident Management System (NIMS) does not specify any one structure for managing Multiagency Coordination System (MAC) activities. CMHPC has chosen to manage a complex coalition response with the use of a Healthcare Coalition Response Team (HCRT).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Depending on the level of activation, positions will be filled with members of the CMRRC and volunteers of CMHPC that are not directly affected by an emergency. - If a Senior Policy Group is required it will be comprised of the members of the current Coalition Steering Committee (CSC) as provided for in the CMHPC bylaws. - During emergency response, personnel staffing HCRT are still employed by their "home" organization and often are responsible for some element of their home organization's response. <p>Those who volunteered to be part of our HCRT are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Whitney Allen, CMMC - Dick Comstock, MaineGeneral - Jessica Dagneau, d'Youville - Mark Jacobs, Pinnacle Health & Rehab - Angela Moore, Interim - Bob Patnaude, Riverview - Mike Senecal, Franklin Memorial - Jamee Theriault, Rumford Hospital 	<p>If you are interested in being part of this dynamic team, contact Kara or Kris.</p>



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		<p>Incident Operations</p> <p>Demobilization</p> <p>Organization and Assignment of Responsibilities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The HCRT leader provides oversight and maintenance of the HCRT. - Important initial management actions - Incident Control Objectives - Operational Period Objectives - Address safety issues for coalition - Address public information issues - Conduct liaison activities <p>The ultimate decision as to when to move from response mode to demobilization will be made by the HCRT leader based on achievement of response objectives</p> <p>The following HCRT roles will be in place:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Leader (equivalent to Command) - Operations Section - Planning Section - Logistics Section - Administration/Finance Section (as needed) 	
ISO POD and Body Bag Train-the-Trainer	<p>Olan Johnston Evolve Technologies Corporation</p> <p>Patrick Furey Maine Center for Disease Control & Prevention</p>	Train-the-Trainer	<p>Olan and Patrick provided hands-on training to coalition members. Information learned will be brought to each of your facilities for you to train your staff.</p> <p>We were also able to view the heat sealer other materials used with the MeCDC approved body bag set-up.</p>	



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			<p>Questions can be directed to Kara or Kris, as well as:</p> <p>Patrick Furey, Training & Exercise Coordinator Maine Center for Disease Control & Prevention E-Mail: Patrick.J.Furey@maine.gov Phone: 207-287-4077</p> <p>Olan Johnston, VP Government Services Evolve Technologies E-Mail: ojohnston@evolvetechnology.com Phone: 603-890-9007 ext. 119</p>	
				

NEXT MEETING:

August 25, 2016 0830 – 1130 / CMMC 12 High Street, Lewiston – Conference Rooms A/B/C

