

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

The mission of the Emergency Management Program is to “...***integrate and coordinate the actions of the health care coalition in time of emergency with the intent of establishing and maintaining an effective and timely system-level response.***”

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24-HOUR EMERGENCY NOTIFICATION:

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Founded in 1939, the Healthcare Association of Hawaii (HAH) is a non-profit organization representing Hawaii's healthcare providers. HAH is affiliated with the [American Hospital Association](#) (AHA), the [American Health Care Association](#) (AHCA), the [National Center for Assisted Living](#) (NCAL) and the [National Association for Home Care and Hospice](#) (NAHC).

Since 1988, the Emergency Management Program of HAH has served Hawaii hospitals, long-term care facilities, home care & hospice agencies, and other members of the health care coalition providing administrative & technical assistance, emergency response coordination and response teams. These services are provided in close collaboration with the Hawaii State Department of Health (SDOH) and other federal, state and county agencies. Funding is provided by member organizations with support of federal DHHS cooperative agreement grants.

PROGRAM COMPONENTS

- $\frac{3}{4}$ 3500 ft² Operations Support Center (OSC)
- $\frac{3}{4}$ Emergency Operating Center (HAHEOC) in Honolulu supporting a statewide cadre of Hospital Emergency Coordinators
- $\frac{3}{4}$ Deployable disaster teams and portable hospital systems
- $\frac{3}{4}$ Multi-tiered disaster equipment and supply system that includes a strategic reserve on Oahu and pre-positioned, mobile caches on the islands of Kauai, Maui and Hawaii
- $\frac{3}{4}$ Medical manpower management system affiliated with the *Nā Lima Kōkoʻo* program
- $\frac{3}{4}$ Statewide digital communication and information management system
- $\frac{3}{4}$ Competency-based training system
- $\frac{3}{4}$ Exercise & performance evaluation system

CONCEPT of OPERATIONS SUMMARY

WITHIN 60 MINUTES:



HAH Hospital Network Concept

HAH network of hospitals and affiliated health care organizations mobilize as a integrated system to implement a coordinated, statewide response:

- Immediate actions are taken to receive casualties, protect critical infrastructure and accommodate medical surge
- HAH Emergency Operations Center (HAHEOC) in Honolulu is activated to coordinate state-level hospital response operations & resources (MSCC tier IV)
- HAH staffs the *Hospital Services Unit* of the Department Operations Center – Hawaii State Department of Health
- HAH Area Coordinators staff their respective positions in each of the four county Emergency Operating Centers to support county-level operations (MSCC tier II and III)
- Hospital Command Centers (HCC) activate to coordinate organization-level operations and services (MSCC tier I)
- The HAH Operations Support Center (OSC) activates to provide supplemental personnel, telecommunications, medical supply, pharmaceuticals and other needs

WITHIN 4 HOURS:

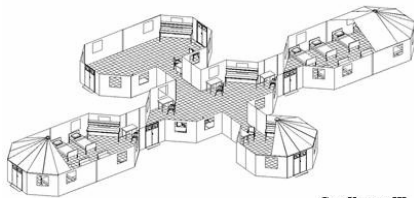


Hawaii DMAT Strike Team at Operation Lightning Rescue exercise - September 2006

10-Person Medical Strike Teams of the Hawaii DMAT¹ can be deployed to assess and augment on-scene emergency care at a Mass Casualty Incident (MCI), to conduct specialized Aero-medical Evacuation (AE), serve as the advance party to a main body DMAT deployment, or to establish an HAH Acute Care Module:

- Each uniformed team member deploys with an individual 10-patient trauma kit, Level 'C' Personal Protective Equipment, and 900 MHz tactical communications
- CBRNE capabilities include portable patient bio-chemical containment & transport units
- Equipment & supply modules provide additional telecommunications, ventilators, pharmaceuticals, infusion pumps, cardiac & physiological monitors
- All biomedical equipment is USAF flight certified
- Mission duration is up to 72 hours

WITHIN 24 HOURS:



Oahu-based 50-bed ACM configuration

Acute Care Modules (ACM) pre-positioned throughout the State can be deployed for the purposes of augmenting local hospital facilities or establishing alternative care facilities at SDOH-designated locations:

- Each system consists of a basic health care facility complete with tents, HVAC, sanitary system, showers, lighting, stretchers, and patient care supplies packaged in 22 foot, twin-axle trailers
- Staffed by pre-credentialed hospital-based personnel
- Pharmaceuticals, biomedical & communications equipment are provided from the OSC
- Mission duration is indefinite

¹ The Hawaii Disaster Medical Assistance Team is a component of the federal National Disaster Medical System (NDMS) with the primary mission to support Hawaii and US territories in the Pacific.