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Bay Area Mass Prophylaxis Full Scale Exercise Close Out Report

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Background and Purpose

\$150,000 UASI FY13 funding approved for a regional Mass Prophylaxis exercise

- Compliments CDC City Readiness Initiative
- Core capabilities tested:
 - Health and Medical Services
 - Public Information and Warning
 - Operational Coordination





Exercise Goals

1. Rapid and coordinated deployment of Bay Area Strategic National Stockpile (SNS)
2. Strengthen public information system capabilities for crisis communication
3. Coordinate mission tasking for multiple Bay Area Public Health agencies



Exercise Training & Workshops

July 24, 2014
Synchronization
Matrix Workshop
Training

August 14
PIO Workshop
Information Sharing

August 20-21
Joint Information
Systems Training
Workshop
**Public
Information/Warning**

October 9
Multi Agency
Coordination Guide
(MAC-G) Exercise
**Operational
Coordination**

Pre-Exercise Events

November 13, 17-19
National Stockpile
(SNS) Deployment

November 13
SNS
Deployment

November 17
BioWatch Module

November 18
Public
Information
Officer Module

November 19
RSS Activations
(Distribution)

Full Scale Exercise

**November 20
0800-1200**

**Local
Emergency
Operations
Modules**

**Local
Departmental
Operations
Center Modules**

**Local Points of
Dispensing
(PODS)
Modules**

**Public Health-
led
Area Hospital
and Healthcare
Coordination**



After Action Report

The regional Mass Prophylaxis Exercise After Action Report's Improvement Plan identified the need for additional training:

- Public and Medical Health state processes
- State resource requests and status reports
- EOC Position Specific and Action Planning





Conclusions

- The UASI Medical/Public Health Working Group is working with the following Bay Area regional Medical and Public Health stakeholder groups to develop a strategic plan to address the exercise Improvement Plan items in 2015:
 - Association of Bay Area Public Health Officers (ABAHO)
 - Bay Area Mass Prophylaxis Work Group (BAMPWG)
 - Medical Health Operational Area Coordinators (MHOAC)
- The UASI Medical/Public Health workgroup will also work with the UASI Regional Training and Exercise Program to schedule training courses in 2015-2016 to meet the needs identified in the exercise.

QUESTIONS?

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