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Ohio Department of Administrative Services (DAS)

ESF-1 – Transportation

a. Assist in procurement of needed goods and services from private contractors by identifying sources both on and off state term contract.

b. Coordinate with primary agency on the tracking of state-owned equipment and assets to facilitate mission completion.

c. Approve emergency suspension of purchasing and contracting requirements as defined in Section 125.02 - 125.11 of the Ohio Revised Code.

d. Identify state-owned buildings and/or facilities that may be suitable for use as State Transportation Staging Areas.

ESF-2 – Communications and Information Technology

a. Assist in the procurement of needed communication goods and services from private contractors by identifying and contacting sources both on and off state term contract.

b. Provide listings of technical support staff across the State of Ohio who may be used to supplement response efforts.

c. Provide information technology resources and support to ensure the cyber security and physical integrity of state emergency communications systems, including geographic information systems (GIS).

d. Maintain and support the Multi-Agency Radio Communications System (MARCS) infrastructure.

ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works

a. Provide technical assistance for inspections, emergency repairs or demolition of damaged public buildings.

ESF-6 – Tab C – Volunteer Management Support Plan

1. Identify, locate, and (if necessary) lease facility(ies) for state-level volunteer reception centers and management operations.

2. Maintain financial records of purchases made for volunteer management operations and provide them to Ohio EMA for reporting purposes.
ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan

a. Assist in identifying sources for equipment for call centers and communications equipment (telephones, cell phones, computers, and internet access) to support survivor reunification needs in shelters and other mass care facilities.

ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support

a. Provide staff to facilitate resource procurement operations (Procurement Branch Director, Procurement Branch staff); logistics management operations; donations management operations; receiving, staging and onward movement operations; EMAC operations; and other logistics and resource management operations.

b. Assist in the identification and/or purchasing of resource providers, facilities (e.g., incident command centers, field operations centers, mobilization centers, receiving and distribution centers, staging areas, and storage warehouses), supplies, equipment, and services, as needed.

c. Provide listings of buildings and facilities including State Mobilization Centers, State Receiving and Distribution Centers, State Staging Areas and State Warehouses.

d. Approve suspension of purchasing and contracting requirements as defined in Section 125.02 - 125.11 of the Ohio Revised Code after a state of emergency has been declared.

e. Provide staff to facilitate resource procurement operations (Procurement Branch Director, Procurement Branch staff); logistics management operations; donations management operations; receiving, staging and onward movement operations; EMAC operations; and other logistics and resource management operations.

ESF-7 – Tab A – Donations Management Support Plan

1. In response to State EOC missions, identify, locate, and (if necessary) lease facility(ies) for Donations Warehouses and Staging Areas.

2. Assist local jurisdictions in the identification of warehouses and/or terminal facilities for use in donations collection and management.

3. Assist in the coordination of the transportation of donated goods.

4. If needed, assist in the coordination of security operations at donations warehouses with ESF-13 – Law Enforcement.

ESF-7 – Tab B – Emergency Potable Water Procurement Plan

a. Assist in the identification and acquisition of potable water supplies.

b. Assist in identifying and procuring facilities for staging and storing potable water supplies.
c. Assist in identifying resources for the maintenance of existing State-level potable water cache(s).

d. Maintain processes and procedures to expedite the acquisition and distribution of emergency potable water to the public.

**ESF-8 – Public Health and Medical Services**

a. Coordinate the inspection of retail food establishments with local health districts.

b. Ensure the safety and efficacy of regulated foods, and conduct inspections of food processing establishments (e.g., food, dairy and meat) and distributors during emergencies.

c. Coordinate and collect food samples.

d. Arrange for and oversee embargo, removal, disposal and/or destruction of contaminated food and agricultural products.

e. Conduct sample analysis at the Consumer Analytical Laboratory and/or the Animal Disease Diagnostic Laboratory; and provide laboratory support.

f. Conduct inspections, investigations and surveillance in the event of zoonotic diseases.

**ESF-8 – Tab-A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Distribution Plan**

a. Coordinate in conjunction with ODH and the Ohio State Board of Pharmacy for the procurement of medical equipment and supplies, including maintaining contracts for bulk pill repackaging and bulk suspension reconstitution.

b. Identify and make available DAS staff that is skilled in facility operations to coordinate management, organization and warehouse availability.

c. Ensure transfer of custody of non-State facility used as RSS back to proper owner, once appropriate.

d. Provide resource support in accordance with ESF-7 (Resources Support and Logistics).

**ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan**

a. Assist in the identification of resource providers and purchasing supplies, equipment and services needed during a state-level human infectious disease emergency.

b. Provide logistical support for responders to include coordination with Ohio EMA to shelter and feed responders as well as to address other needs.
c. Coordinate with other state, federal and local agencies as needed to assist in the movement and positioning of personnel and supplies.

d. Coordinate with Ohio EMA, ODH, HHS, FEMA and local emergency management agencies as needed for staging areas.

e. Provide support for toll-free information lines.

f. Coordinate with Ohio EMA for reimbursement from the federal government.

**ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatality Incident Response Plan**

a. When faced with a fatality surge that stresses the capacity for carrying out cremations in a region or localized area, assist in the surveying of crematory facilities, embalming facilities, and funeral homes within or accessible to the region and assist in the determination of the maximum number of cremations that can be performed.

b. When faced with a fatality surge that stresses the capacity for carrying out cremations in a region or localized area, assist in the surveying of crematory facilities, embalming facilities, and funeral homes to identify storage capacity, refrigeration, and number of hearses/vehicles available to transport bodies. If, needed, assist in identifying cold storage alternatives such as refrigerated containers.

c. Provide assistance to ensure proper credentialing of persons who volunteer to assist at the scene or at an FAC. Work with the Office of Information Technology to determine the availability of existing systems to prepare ID’s and to manage a database to sort/arrange registration data by profession, etc.

d. If state-level resources and capabilities are exceeded, provide assistance through the EOC to obtain necessary resources through enacted MOUs, Inter-agency agreements, the EMAC and other agreements.

e. Provide resources for additional mortuary response units for the transportation of human remains to morgue operations sites.

**ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatality Incident Response Plan**

1. When faced with a fatality surge that stresses the capacity for carrying out cremations in a region or localized area, partner with the Ohio Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors to survey crematory facilities, embalming facilities, and funeral homes within or accessible to the region, and assist in the determination of the maximum number of cremations that can be performed.

2. When faced with a fatality surge that stresses the capacity for carrying out cremations or other final dispositions in a region or localized area, assist in the identification and
surveying of resources to support local human remains collection, identification, transportation, storage and processing operation.

3. Assist in locating facilities/buildings within Ohio with refrigeration capabilities and other capabilities that would make them useful in mass fatality incidents.

ESF-10 – Tab A – REP Incident Response Plan

a. Provide logistical and resource support to state and local entities involved in emergency response and recovery, including resources for locating, procuring, and issuing resources including equipment, supplies, and services required by emergency responders and disaster victims, and support resources for the recovery phase.

ESF-11 – Food and Agriculture

a. Assist in the identification, purchase and delivery of food items during emergencies (refer to ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support)

ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan

a. Assist in the identification of resource providers and purchasing supplies, equipment and services needed during a state-level animal disease emergency.

b. Assist with processing requests to the Controlling Board to exceed direct purchase limits and thresholds by providing release and permits prior to an emergency declaration.

c. Provide logistical support for responders to include coordination with Ohio EMA to shelter and feed responders as well as to address other needs they may have.

d. Coordinate with other state, federal and local agencies as needed to assist in the movement and positioning of personnel and supplies.

Coordinate with Ohio EMA, ODA-AH, USDA-APHIS-VS, FEMA and local emergency management agencies as needed for the opening of Field Operations Centers. (Refer to ESF #7 Resource Support in the Ohio Emergency Operation Plan if additional information is needed.)

e. Coordinate with Ohio EMA and ODA-AH regarding reimbursements from the federal government.

ESF-11 – Tab B – Ohio Veterinary Stockpile Response Plan

a. Provide assistance in assessing in-kind costs.

b. Provide assistance in tracking the State’s costs.

c. Provide assistance in managing State-level contracts.
ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation

1. In conjunction with ODHE/ODE and ODNR, assist educational institutions and other local public facilities in identifying temporary alternate locations.

Ohio Department of Agriculture (ODA)

ESF-6 – Tab B – Emergency Repatriation Plan

1. Identify organizations that can provide appropriate facilities for agricultural products quarantine cleared for entry into the United States.

ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support

a. Assist with the identification and prioritization of County and State Fairgrounds and other properties that could be used as State Staging Areas, Mobilization Centers, State Receiving and Distribution Centers and State Warehouses and other logistics and ESF-7 facilities.

b. Provide subject matter experts as needed for logistics management, EMAC, Receiving, Staging and Onward Movement and other logistics and ESF–7 operations.

ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan

a. Coordinate with ODH if a zoonotic condition exists.

b. Provide surveillance information for disease in production animals.

c. Coordinate with ODH on food safety issues.

d. Support public information and rumor control efforts.

e. Provide epidemiologic support to ODH as requested during an emergency.

f. Provide personnel to assist in response and recovery operations.

g. Provide recommendations to ODH concerning potential effects on production animals’ health.

h. Provide recommendations to ODH concerning potential effects on food safety.

i. Coordinate animal disposal activities.

j. Provide laboratory surge capacity to ODH.

k. Coordinate food disposal activities.
ESF-10 – Oil, Gas and Hazardous Materials

a. ODA will coordinate with state and local health officials to evaluate the needs and actions for protection against radiological, biological and chemical damages related to the contamination of livestock, foodstuffs and crops.

b. ODA will assist in the coordination food control operations and will assist in assessing issues related to the licensing, storing, handling and application of pesticides.

c. ODA will assist with monitoring and evaluating agricultural restoration activities and will initiate follow-up collection operations to test for the contamination of livestock, foodstuffs and crops.

State EOC-Based Response

a. Provide assistance in contacting local agricultural authorities to arrange for the use of county fairgrounds and other resources.

b. Provide assistance in obtaining food products from commercial sources.

c. Issue control actions for embargos, quarantines, isolations, confiscations or destruction of crops, livestock, and foodstuffs that may be contaminated.

d. Provide support to State and county emergency agencies in the acquisition and distribution of retail food and mass feeding supplies.

e. Assist in obtaining assistance from the USDA through State and county emergency organizations.

f. Coordinating with Federal counterparts in affected areas to estimate crop and livestock damage.

g. Coordinating with Federal counterparts to estimate food product supply and demand during an incident.

h. Forwarding disaster damage reports to the State Emergency Committee of the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service for possible aid from the USDA.

Field-Based Response


b. Provide control and assessment response support for damage to livestock, foodstuffs, and crops and addresses issues related to the licensing, storing, handling, and application of pesticides.
c. Sample and test foodstuffs for contamination.

d. Coordinate with State and local health officials to evaluate needs and actions related to livestock, foodstuff, and crops.

e. Provide damage assessment teams to County EOC.

f. Provide assistance for livestock, foodstuff, and crop sampling.

g. Provide limited laboratory analysis services for collected samples.

**ESF-10 – Tab A – REP Incident Response Plan**

a. Assist Ohio EMA and other state agencies in the planning for and direction of a statewide program for protection against radiological damage to livestock, food, and crops.

b. Plan and direct a statewide program to ensure public health and safety with regard to the consumption of milk and milk products.

c. When necessary, issue Control Actions for quarantine, isolation, confiscation, embargo or destruction of crops, stock and food that might have been contaminated.

d. Issue livestock and poultry advisories within affected areas.

e. Coordinate with the USDA and county OSU Extension Agents in affected areas in making estimates of crop and livestock damages from radiation incidents.

f. Support state and county emergency boards in the area of retail food distribution and mass feeding supplies (by providing information to food and water suppliers).

f. Control wholesale food distribution in accordance with USDA regulations and policies and state/Federal memoranda on this subject.

f. Provide personnel support to IZRRAG as indicated in the REP Operations Manual.

**ESF-11 – Agriculture**

a. Conduct agriculture assessments at the site of the disaster to determine agriculture needs and priorities.

b. Coordinate state-level agricultural emergency response and recovery.

c. Ensure coordination and cooperation among regional, State, Federal, and international agencies, and with the private sector and non-governmental associations to facilitate response efforts.
d. Request subject-matter expertise from supporting agencies to assist in the response and recovery operations.

e. Provide logistical support for response personnel in the field.

f. Coordinate with federal USDA for emergency programs and to provide liaison between federal, state and local organizations when required.

g. Test food products for biological or chemical agents of concern, including response through the Food Emergency Response Network lab.

h. Conduct product tracing to determine the source, destination, and disposition of adulterated or contaminated products.

i. Oversee the destruction and disposal of contaminated food and agricultural products.

j. Coordinate with appropriate organizations for the deployment of inspectors, sanitarians and veterinarians for agricultural response and recovery.

k. Coordinate with ODH and local health jurisdictions to establish the process for emergency food inspections and distribution.

l. Establish appropriate regulatory controls to quarantine plant material, withdraw feed from sale, and stop the sale of pesticide products.

m. Coordinate food facility decontamination at the manufacturing, warehousing and distribution level, and assist local jurisdictions with the decontamination of grocery stores and restaurants.

n. Provide agriculture advisories and related information through the State Joint Information Center as required.

o. Issue embargo and quarantine orders as needed, including the quarantine of animals determined or suspected to be infected with a dangerously contagious or infectious disease.

p. Coordinate with other State and private organizations as needed for the provision of potable water to ODA regulated facilities.

q. Cooperate with federal and state agencies through grants and MOU’s, and support federal ESF-11 missions as needed.

r. Maintain ongoing agriculture surveillance in affected communities in order to rapidly identify and address agriculture-related problems.

s. Coordinate agriculture recovery efforts at the DFO as needed.
t. As determined, seize, quarantine and dispose of materials containing plant pests to control, suppress or eradicate the pest.

u. Order the destruction of animals infected or exposed to a dangerously contagious or infectious disease.

v. Test animals for infection status during response and recovery operations, including response as USDA National Animal Health Laboratory Network lab.

w. Issue orders for the halting of interstate movement of regulated animals and plant articles and means of conveyance as needed.

x. Coordinate and facilitate the shipment, transportation and storage of foodstuffs from manufacturers, warehouses and distributors to move foodstuffs to impacted areas that are experiencing food shortages and/or to central locations for further distribution.

y. Provide local assistance with the monitoring of food supplies in mass care shelters prior to and during emergency operations to ensure proper handling and safety of food products.

z. Support State and local emergency management agencies by identifying approved sources of food products for use at mass care facilities.


**ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan**

a. Notify Ohio EMA when an animal disease case is highly likely to be a disease that may require activation of the plan.

b. Assist Ohio EMA, USDA-APHIS-VS, OHNG, ODOT and other state agencies as needed in establishing staging areas.

c. Conduct animal disease risk assessments.

d. Coordinate animal disease assessment, response and recovery.

e. Provide liaison between federal, state and local organizations.

f. Test and/or dispose of contaminated feed, animal and agricultural products.

g. Provide/support efforts to trace the disease. (Reference ORC 941 & 943)

h. Coordinate with appropriate organizations for the deployment of personnel for all animal disease assessment, response and recovery activities.

i. Establish and/or coordinate appropriate regulatory controls. (Reference ORC 941)
j. Provide advisories and related public information, coordinated with other agencies and organizations.

k. Issue quarantine orders as needed. (Reference ORC 941.07 & OAC 901:1-21-02(B))

l. Assist USDA as needed in the development of contracts with private businesses as needed for activities including, but not limited to, animal euthanasia, disposal, appraisal, cleaning and disinfection.

m. Coordinate with law enforcement organizations for site security and related issues. (Reference ORC 941.05)

n. Coordinate with USDA-APHIS-VS for the use strategic vaccination to prevent the spread of the disease.

o. Coordinate animal disease surveillance activities.

p. Provide information and direction to support agencies on disease specifics, animal euthanasia, animal disposal, cleaning and disinfection, site security, bio-security, personal protective equipment, mobilization/demobilization procedures, the purchase of bio-security supplies and related issues throughout emergency assessment, response and recovery.

q. Provide web sites for animal disease information.

r. Maintain coordination with Animal Health Agencies in other states.

s. Assist USDA as needed with issues related to the coordination of animal and material appraisal and compensation to owners.

t. Coordinate animal euthanasia activities.

u. Coordinate cleaning and disinfection.

v. Maintain a contact list at ODA-AH for all internal personnel.

**ESF-11 – Tab B – Ohio Veterinary Stockpile Response Plan**

a. Pre-Incident
   i. Identify, approve and prepare RDCs to receive, store, and stage materials.
   ii. Collaborate with the APHIS District Office to plan potential ICS organizational structures and provides training and exercises that support deployment of NVS countermeasures and other resources.
   iii. Identify and employ inventory management systems.
iv. Collaborate with the APHIS District Office to define processes to request vaccines following APHIS approval of the State’s vaccination plan during an event.

v. Collaborate with the APHIS District Office and the Department of Health to request human antiviral medication from the NVS to support animal health responders that are checked in to the incident.

b. Incident Response

i. Establish a unified command with the APHIS District AD and delegate authority to an incident commander.

ii. Determine the complexity of an incident in conjunction with the APHIS District Office, resources the incident response requires and those the State has available, and need to request NVS countermeasures.

iii. Coordinate with the APHIS District AD and the APHIS Regional Office to quickly request NVS countermeasures so they are received before the depletion of the State’s resources.

iv. Confirm the availability and suitability of pre-identified RDCs for receiving, storing, staging, and issuing NVS countermeasures and other resources.

v. Activate RDCs before the arrival of NVS and other shipments.

vi. Provide resources such as equipment, supplies, and personnel to support incident command and NVS countermeasure receipt and use.

vii. Alert agencies, NGOs, and commercial businesses that support RDC functions in the plan.

viii. Activate the communications plan to alert stakeholders.

ix. Implement measures with law enforcement to secure RDC inventory, personnel, equipment, and management.

x. Report the status of RDC operations to ODA, the State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC), multi-agency coordination center, stakeholders, and others as appropriate.

**ESF-11 – Tab C – Dangerous Wild Animal Response Plan**

a. As the Primary Agency, coordinate and report on State-level dangerous wild animal emergency responses in Ohio.

b. Ensure close coordination and cooperation among regional, State, and local agencies, and with the private sector and nongovernmental associations, to facilitate response efforts.

c. ODA will receive notification from either the animal owner or from law enforcement via one of the following 24-hour telephone numbers: 855-DWA-OHIO (855-392-6446), 888-456-3405, or 614-728-6220. These telephone numbers will be maintained by the ODA.

d. Notify the Ohio EOC Watch Desk if and when a dangerous wild animal emergency has occurred.
e. Coordinate with Ohio EMA when a dangerous wild animal emergency is likely to require
activation of this plan. Please refer to the Basic Plan of the Ohio Emergency Operations Plan
(EOP) and the State EOC Standard Operations Plan (SOP) for procedures on State EOC
activation and operations.

f. Coordinate with peer organizations for assessment of the situation and regularly report the
results of the assessment(s) back to Ohio EMA.

g. Coordinate with both response and recovery personnel at the emergency site(s).

h. Provide personnel to assist in response and recovery operations as needed at the site(s), at the
staging area(s), and at the local EOC(s).

i. Coordinate the transport of confiscated and/or captured dangerous wild animals, as needed.

j. Provide diagnostic and testing services through the ODA Animal Disease and Diagnostic Lab
(ADDL), as needed.

k. Identify temporary housing for confiscated and/or captured dangerous wild animals.

l. Coordinate with the appropriate organizations (e.g., Ohio Veterinary Medical Association)
for deployment of veterinarians to the site(s) of the emergency, if needed.

m. Coordinate with local law enforcement organizations for site security and related issues.

n. Coordinate with local zoos for animal subject matter expertise, if needed.

o. Provide advisories and related public information, coordinated with the appropriate agencies
and organizations.

p. Coordinate training and education for dangerous wild animal emergency response activities
and exercises.

**ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation**

1. Coordinate with federal USDA for emergency programs and to provide liaison between
federal, state and local organizations when required.

**Financial Accounting Support Annex**

a. In the event of an emergency executive order, coordinate with the Office of the Governor,
OBM, and Ohio EMA on the suspension of competitive selection as prescribed in R.C.
125.061.
Drought Incident Response Annex

a. Coordinate with the U.S. Department of Agriculture in collecting information regarding critical shortages of food products and livestock feed.

b. Develop State request for federal assistance and declaration of drought related agricultural emergencies in coordination with the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

c. Plan for the emergency distribution of livestock feed.

d. Chair the Agriculture Task Force.

e. Assist in encouraging cutbacks of agricultural use of water.

Terrorism Incident Response Annex

a. Identify and report on contagious or infectious diseases in animals that are reportable to the ODA and must be reported when a case is suspected.

b. Assist in the coordination of food and agricultural safety response operations and support, and food and agriculture investigation activities.

c. Direct agricultural processes for surveillance and testing and isolation or quarantine in response to threats to agricultural assets and the food supply.

d. Establish and maintain food and agricultural safety response communication systems and coordinate the provision of timely and accurate emergency public information through the Joint Information System (JIS).

e. In coordination with DAS, through the State EOC, support and/or provide human and veterinary medical guidance, laboratories, and pharmaceuticals and supplies in response to disease and/or contamination outbreaks.

f. Coordinate with the network of veterinary, agricultural, and public health laboratories and other diagnostic facilities for response to bioterrorism incidents.

g. Provide leadership in public health investigations to determine, in collaboration with law enforcement, human and animal disease source(s)

h. Report instances of disease and/or contamination that raise the index of suspicion of terrorist or criminal involvement to the FBI.

i. As able, and as needed, dispatch public health or agriculture personnel to location(s) of suspected disease and/or contamination outbreaks.
j. Assist in coordinating with Federal, State, and local agencies to ensure the safety and security of food products in retail food establishments, food service operations and institutions.

k. Provide support for, and/or monitor and/or conduct inspections for the safety and security of food, food facilities, and/or the agricultural infrastructure in impacted areas.

l. Conduct epidemiological investigations as warranted by surveillance reports, and coordinate Federal, State, and local veterinary assistance assets/services.

m. Provide assistance in the search for possible food and agriculture contamination, plant disease or animal disease cases, and use the results from sample analyses to determine the breadth of disease and/or contamination outbreaks.

n. Support and/or conduct laboratory testing, field investigation and product tracing to determine the source, destination, and disposition of adulterated, contaminated or diseased products, plants, or animals.

o. Support and/or provide appropriate information to the public regarding the disposal of potentially contaminated food and/or agricultural products.

p. Assist in the determination of the need for and provide guidance for the embargo, detention, stoppage, condemnation, retention and seizure of food, plants and animals.

q. Assist in the determination of the need for, and provide guidance for the control of identified food products through product recall, administrative detention, and plant closures at establishments that are suspected of being contaminated.

r. Assist in the determination of the need for, and provide guidance for the disposal of contaminated or diseased food, plants or animals.

s. Use standardized protocols to detect emerging infectious agents or possible bioterrorism agents in human clinical specimens, food, animal or environmental samples.

**Ohio Department of Commerce - Division of State Fire Marshall (SFM)**

**ESF-4 – Firefighting**

a. Through onsite liaison(s) and/or other sources, report on the risks and methods of operation, including coordination of fire and rescue activities with affected county incident/disaster areas.

b. Provide information on the availability of firefighting and EMS equipment on a statewide or area basis.
c. Provide data, information and feedback to the State EOC for the purposes of generating status reports and after-action reports.

d. Serve as trainers, advisors and SMEs; and provide onsite support for personnel who are operating through EOCs and ICSs.

e. During emergency operations, through liaisons and/or other sources, acquire reports pertaining to casualties, injuries, damages and evacuations from fire and rescue organizations, and provide them to the State EOC.

**ESF-8 – Public Health and Medical Services**

a. In cooperation with the Ohio Fire Chiefs’ Emergency Response System, coordinate local requests for EMS assistance during emergencies.

b. Provide information on availability of private medical transportation resources, including ALS and BLS ambulances, mobile intensive care units, air medical, and ambulettes.

c. In cooperation with the Ohio Fire Chiefs’ Emergency Response System, coordinate with FEMA ESF-8 when federal medical assistance is activated for Ohio.

d. In cooperation with the Ohio Fire Chiefs’ Emergency Response System, coordinate with NDMS when activated in Ohio.

e. Provide briefing information in the State EOC on statewide emergency medical activities.

f. Provide assessments of emergency medical needs in the affected communities.

g. Provide emergency medical-related information to the public.

h. Provide research and consultation on emergency medical problems as needed.

i. Assist in the identification, purchase and delivery of needed medicines, medical supplies and services during emergencies.

j. Provide guidance on personal protective equipment for EMS providers when requested.

k. Provide guidance to local EMS providers on decontamination of EMS personnel, vehicles, and equipment.

l. Provide assistance and guidance in the event of an EMS or Hospital CHEMPACK request or deployment.

m. Provide certification verification information when requested for Ohio EMS providers, including Emergency Medical Responders (EMRs), Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT’s), Advanced Emergency Medical Technicians (AEMTs), and Paramedics) responding to requests for assistance or for Federal or other States request for certified EMS personnel.
**ESF-10 – Oil, Gas and Hazardous Materials**

**General Response**

a. SFM is the lead agency for technical coordination of state agencies for fire/explosion incident response and remediation.

b. SFM can assist in communications at the off-site incident command post(s).

**Specific Responses**

a. Assist local organizations in the establishment of an off-site incident command post for emergency personnel.

b. When able, provide communications links between the field and other response organizations to aid in coordinating response units.

c. Provide information related to firefighting response to hazardous materials and the availability of firefighting equipment on an area-specific basis.

d. When appropriate, assist in the investigation of the cause, origin, and circumstances of fires and explosions.

**ESF-11 – Tab C – Dangerous Wild Animal Incident Response Plan**

a. Provide personnel to assist in response and recovery operations as needed at the site(s), at the staging area(s), and at the local EOC(s).

b. Provide general and unique services and special response equipment (e.g., Mobile Emergency Response Vehicle, State Incident Management Trailers, swift water rescue equipment, rope rescue cache, structural collapse and mobile air trailers), as needed.

**ESF-13 – Law Enforcement**

a. Perform forensic investigation of fires, explosions, illegal explosive manufacturing, illegal fireworks, and similar incidents.

b. In response to the results of forensic investigations of arsons or bombings, perform criminal investigations and arrests and assist in the prosecution of those committing arsons, bombings, and related crimes.

c. Employ, through the Fire and Explosion Investigations Bureau (FEIB), four K9 teams that are trained and certified to sense trace/detect accelerant/flammable liquids and post blast explosives.
d. Provide lab services, through the FEIB, for field evaluation and identification of explosive precursor products.

e. Through the FEIB, operate the SFM mobile command post with a radio interoperability system and a post-blast response unit with mobile lab workspace and an All-Terrain Vehicle.

**ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation**

a. Provide loans and grants to local governments, municipalities, townships, fire districts, fire departments, and volunteer fire departments for use in purchasing firefighting equipment and facilities (e.g. Small Government Fire Department Services Revolving Loan Program, Fire Department grants, and Bureau of Underground Storage Tank Regulations (BUSTR) Revolving Loan Program- all require a Governor's declaration).

**Drought Incident Response Annex**

a. Participate in the activities of the Wildfire Impact Task Force

b. Disseminate fire safety information to Ohio jurisdictions and the media.

**Ohio Department of Health (ODH)**

**ESF-1 – Tab B – Medical Countermeasure Transportation and Distribution Plan**

1. Maintain a system listing of RSS, RDS, LDS, POD, and hospital/treatment center locations by region and related transportation logistics information (e.g., site-specific logistical information).

2. Inform the ODOT Emergency Operations Coordinator and the Ohio EMA Watch Office of transportation-support requirements.

3. Provide MARCS radios to responding personnel from any support agency, as needed.

4. Review with ODOT and OHNG a timeline for delivery and quantities of MCMs from the RSS to RDS(s), LDS(s), POD(s), and hospital/treatment centers and continue to provide updates throughout the event.
   a. Provide up-to-date hardcopy and electronic lists of the addresses of activated RDS(s), LDS(s), PODs and hospital/treatment center locations by region to ODOT.

5. Arrange and coordinate, with ODOT and OHNG, the availability of resources for the loading and off-loading of MCMs at the RSS.

6. To ensure the chain of custody, each driver will be given a shipment packing list, routing information (if requested), and master Bill of Lading (BOL).
**ESF-2 – Communications and Information Technology**

a. As needed, provide access to a cache of communications equipment to assist in providing communications support to emergency operations conducted through the State EOC.

b. Assist in facilitating connectivity between State EOC-based operations and field-based response operations through the distribution and application of ODH-maintained communications equipment and systems.

c. Maintain and support the MARCS infrastructure with local health departments (LHDs) and Hospitals.

d. Through data communications, disseminate information impacting public health to LHDs and Hospitals during emergencies.

e. Provide technical support for ESF-2 as needed.

**ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works**

a. Coordinate with Ohio EPA and local agencies to maintain and/or restore sanitation standards for public works facilities in impacted areas.

**ESF-6 – Mass Care**

a. Coordinate and support local health departments (LHDs) with shelter evaluations and inspections to ensure that shelters meet health and safety standards, including those affecting populations with access and functional needs.

b. Coordinate and support LHDs in the availability of public health services that may be disrupted by sheltering.

c. Coordinate and support LHDs in the surveillance and control of infectious diseases in shelters.


**ESF-6 – Tab B – Emergency Repatriation Plan**

1. Conduct public health surveillance for communicable diseases.

**ESF-6 – Tab C – Volunteer Management Support Plan**

1. Upon request, facilitate/assist with activation and deployment of Ohio Medical Reserve Corp (OMRC) and Radiation Response Volunteer Corps (RRVC) volunteers.
2. Provide management and assistance with the use of the Ohio Responds Volunteer Registry to database administrators, who are responsible for volunteer tracking and management.

**ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan**

a. Query existing systems and programs for information that will support reunification efforts.

b. Provide guidance to ODH-regulated health care entities, health care organizations and programs to promote client well checks and support the reunification process.

**ESF-7 – Tab B – Potable Water Procurement and Distribution Plan**

a. Provide procedures for well disinfection, water sampling and lists of approved laboratories on request to local health jurisdictions.

b. Assist Public Information Officers at all levels with emergency related public communications and notices related to water outages.

c. Coordinate with Ohio EMA on the identification of social service mechanisms to be used for focused resource distribution.

d. Maintain contingency water cache at the ODH central Ohio warehouse for ready deployment, as needed.

e. Ensure the integrity of state and federal owned resources are tracked according to jurisdictional requirements and manufacturer specifications.

**ESF-8 – Public Health and Medical Services**

a. Conduct assessments and monitor health conditions in the communities affected by the emergency and where possible, determine where health problems could potentially occur.

b. Maintain ongoing epidemiological surveillance and investigation of affected communities in order to rapidly identify and address health-related emergencies.

c. Coordinate and support inspections of food service sanitation programs and private water system and water hauling programs.

d. Provide consultation/technical assistance for household sewage disposal, housing sanitation, vector control and health nuisances.

e. Coordinate state emergency response to health and medical problems through the State EOC for assessment, response and recovery.

f. Coordinate health recovery efforts at the JFO as needed.
g. Coordinate with local health districts in their emergency inspection programs.

h. Support the continued delivery of non-emergency health care programs by local health districts throughout the emergency.

i. Assist with the coordination of evacuation and sheltering-in-place of hospital, long-term care facilities, nursing home and affected communities.

j. Coordinate supply of pharmaceuticals, medical equipment and supplies as needed during the emergency.

k. Provide health and medical advisories and news releases; and health and medical-related information to the public.

l. Coordinate and support community containment, isolation and quarantine strategies.

m. Coordinate and support examinations and analyses of possibly hazardous and contaminated substances throughout the emergency.

n. Coordinate and support mass fatality management.

o. Coordinate and support hospital bed and patient tracking.


q. Coordinate and support mass prophylaxis, dispensing or vaccination of the community.

r. Maintain vital statistics and vital records.

s. Monitoring and inspection of long-term care facilities.

t. Locate and coordinate local, regional, state and federal health and medical resources for response.

u. Coordinate and support community environmental health to include vector control, waste management, wells, food supplies and indoor/outdoor environment.

**ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Dispensing Plan**

1. Maintain a roster of personnel to provide 24/7 essential staffing at the RSS.

2. Direct MCM management and coordinate MCM functional elements during a MCM response.
3. Identify and provide essential staffing requirements and volunteer coordination for the RSS.

4. Identify and maintain Ohio RSS warehouse site(s).

5. Notify the State EOC when an incident has occurred that requires an MCM response.

6. Coordinate with ESF-7 (Logistics) to determine the current levels of on-hand statewide inventories and vendors that could procure additional resources.

7. Determine when to recommend that the Governor or designee request deployment of SNS and other MCMs from the CDC to a designated receiving location in Ohio. The decision will be based on the current state-wide availability of medical supplies.

8. Provide subject matter expertise to the State EOC Executive Group regarding the activation and implementation of the Ohio MCM plan.

9. Process requests for MCMs submitted by local emergency response agencies through the State EOC.

10. Coordinate RSS operations with partner agencies.

11. Provide RSS tactical communications information to ESF-2 (Communications).

   a. Coordinate with ESF-2 on the assignment of talk groups for Multi-Agency Radio Communications System (MARCS) radios assigned to the RSS and transportation vehicles.

   b. Ensure that tactical communications are established and maintained at RSS.

   c. Ensure that each POD and treatment center location has a designated point of contact (POC) to collect and communicate needs through local EOC and the State EOC.

12. Determine and allocate the type and quantity of MCMs to be distributed to hospitals/treatment centers and POD sites within local health jurisdictions.

   a. Determine the apportionment of MCMs to RDS, CDS, PODs and/or hospital/treatment centers on the basis of health, epidemiologic investigations, intelligence, populations or projected inventory availability data.

   b. Ensure, in coordination with ESF-1, that MCMs will be distributed to the identified RDS, CDS, hospital/treatment centers and/or POD sites.

13. Coordinate applicable security, inventory control, repacking, transportation and chain of custody transfers in coordination with ESF-13 (Law Enforcement), and ESF-1 (Transportation).
a. Ensure that a designated state official, who is registered with the Drug Enforcement Administration, or their designee, is present to accept custody of MCMs.

b. Maintain MCM inventories.

c. Ensure the orderly receipt of MCMs; including proper storage and security measures; and requesting technical support from the CDC.

d. Ensure that appropriate shipping documents [e.g. Bill of Lading (BOL), packing lists] are provided to all drivers.

e. Ensure that all drivers and Ohio responders are trained and briefed on the MCM functional elements, including chain-of-custody protocol.

14. Provide dispensing and vaccination guidance and sample protocols to local health jurisdictions and hospitals.

15. Collaborate with the Ohio State Pharmacy Board, Ohio Pharmacists Association and Retail Pharmacy Chains to identify tactics to bolster a mass dispensing campaign in Ohio.

16. Provide health and medical advisories and ensure related public information is communicated in coordination with ESF-15 (Emergency Public Information and External Affairs) and the State Joint Information Center (JIC).

17. Initiate demobilization of RSS site operations.

   a. Determine an inventory of all unused MCMs (pharmaceuticals, medical equipment and containers) from PODs and treatment center sites, CDS, RDS and the RSS.

   b. Initiate the return transport of unused MCMs through ESF-1 Tab B, the Ohio Medical Countermeasure Transportation and Distribution Plan.

ESF-8 – Tab B – CHEMPACK Plan

1. Manage the CHEMPACK Program and oversee the receipt, storage, monitoring, maintenance and deployment of CHEMPACK Program assets.

   a. Ensure that the ODH designated cache site location meets CDC guidance respective to size, lighting, ventilation, temperature, sanitation, humidity, space and security.

   b. Authorize any non-emergency movement of CHEMPACK resources, including pre-positioning assets for special events and permanent relocation within the ODH designated cache site, or permanent relocation to outside facilities.
c. Coordinate communications with the CDC and ODH designated cache sites for the completion of any sustainment operations.

d. Assist the Division of Emergency Medical Services (OEMS) in the development of educational materials to enhance the recognition of nerve agent events and awareness of available CHEMPACK resources among first responders and healthcare personnel.

ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan

a. Facilitate state-level human infectious disease emergency response.

b. Notify Ohio EMA when a human infectious disease emergency is identified.

c. Coordinate with CDC, other states, local health jurisdictions, and healthcare facilities.

d. Coordinate and conduct human infectious disease assessments, surveillance activities, and epidemiologic investigations to determine needs and priorities.

e. Provide guidance on infection control practices, including but not limited to the following:

   i. Advisories for mass prophylaxis
   ii. Isolation/quarantine
   iii. Disinfection/decontamination
   iv. Personal protective equipment
   v. Vector control

f. Issue public health orders and review orders issued by LHDs.

g. Support vector control efforts throughout the state.

h. Support decisions related to critical public health and medical resources, including the Strategic National Stockpile (SNS). (See ESF-8 Tab A for further details on the SNS and medical countermeasures.)

i. Support the provision of health-and-medical information to the public and partner agencies.

j. Provide/coordinate laboratory testing capability for clinical and environmental specimens.

k. Support the provision of technical assistance and guidance for food safety in coordination with ODA.

l. Provide technical assistance and guidance for private water supply and household sewage system issues.
m. Provide recommendations in coordination with Ohio EPA regarding the management of infectious waste.

n. Support decisions and provide guidance to the Ohio Fire Chiefs’ Association (OFCA) and the Ohio Emergency Medical Services (OEMS) related to EMS response and patient transport.

**ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

a. Work with local jurisdictions to ensure that the morgue process facilitates EDRS use. As needed, provide assistance to local registrars and guidance on EDRS use to best support the affected region.

b. Through the ODH’s Bureau of Vital Statistics (VS), provide administrative support of the EDRS system, and at the direction of the Director of Health will track the number of EDRS reported incident-related fatalities.

c. Make available state assets for use during a mass fatality situation.

d. As able, provide assistance through the ODH VS to make estimates of the number of confirmed deaths using EDRS and information from the Incident Commander(s) or Unified Command in consultation with the County Coroner/Medical Examiner, local Health Commissioner or other local authority and provide the estimate to the JIC for proper dissemination.

**ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

1. As needed, support the provision of state assets for use during mass fatality incidents; in particular, mobile cooling units, personal protective equipment, and body bags.

2. In coordination with local jurisdictions, provide support to local stakeholders using the EDRS system, to expedite its proper utilization during mass fatality incidents.

3. Support tracking the official death count by establishing an incident marker in EDRS that can be used to associate deaths with the mass fatality incident.

4. Provide an official count of incident-associated deaths reported in EDRS. (This function is separate and apart from situational awareness about the mass fatality incident and does not support real-time, tactical decision making.)

5. Provide guidance on infectious/contaminated remains to promote responder safety and protect public health.

6. As appropriate, exercise public health authorities to support fatality management, in particular orders related to the conveyance and to the disposition of remains.
**ESF-10 – Oil, Gas and Hazardous Materials**

**General Response**

a. ODH is the lead state agency for incidents involving nuclear, radiological or biological incident response and remediation.

b. ODH will provide technical assistance support for incidents involving chemical response and remediation which may include: provision of recommendations to other state agencies on mitigating or eliminating public health exposures related to hazardous chemicals, and providing recommendations to the public on health effect and how to reduce or eliminate exposures.

c. ODH’s lead response function in a Hazmat incident is to minimize or limit significant exposures to radiological material and biological agents, as well as provide technical coordination of state agencies for nuclear, radiological or biological incident response and remediation.

d. ODH will coordinate the Dose Assessment Group in the State EOC for nuclear or radiological incidents and will:

i. Make protective recommendations for the general public, the institutionalized, first responders, and other emergency workers.

ii. Passes these protective recommendations to the Executive Group (if operational) for approval or directly to appropriate local officials, Unified Command, or local Incident Command.

e. For biological incidents, ESF 8’s Tab C, “Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan” discusses this process for protective recommendations and actions.

f. As the lead agency for biological incidents, ODH will report to the State EOC and activate ESF 8 Public Health and Medical Services Plan including Tab C, “Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan”.

h. ODH will be consulted for input on spill containment and cleanup for any incident involving a biologic agent.

i. ODH will evaluate radiation risks to the public, provide protective recommendations to responders and the public, provide technical support to local medical, public health, and emergency response actions, and provide information on health effects and recommendations on long-term population monitoring and recovery activities.

**State EOC-Based Response**
a. Provide representatives to lead the State EOC Assessment Group, perform dose projections/plume modeling or other assessment of the hazard, review protection action guidelines, develop and issue protective recommendations.

b. Provide advice to local health departments.

c. Develop recommendations for mass prophylaxis and make appropriate recommendations to local officials or public health organizations; coordinating and directing radiological sampling by local or state field monitoring teams.

d. Coordinate and direct radiological monitoring by local emergency responders.

e. Make ODH laboratory facilities available to the Ohio EMA and other State agencies following an incident.

f. Make physicians available to answer medically related questions.

**Field-Based Response**

a. Assess the impact of a release and evaluate cleanup alternatives.

b. Report results of assessments and incident information to the State EOC.

c. Liaise with County Emergency Operations Centers and federal responders.

d. Provide technical assistance and support on management and disposal of debris, and infectious and solid waste.

e. Provide technical assistance and support to local water treatment facilities to protect water supplies.

**Restoration Response**

a. In coordination with Ohio EPA and U.S. EPA as applicable, specify the radiological site cleanup criteria that satisfy the state’s free-release criteria listed in 3701:1-38-22 of the Ohio Administrative Code or that have been negotiated and are as low as reasonable achievable while ensuring public health and safety of the critical group or affected population.

b. In coordination with Ohio EPA and U.S. EPA as applicable, review and approval of the site remediation plan and activities by the owner/operator or contractor.

c. In coordination with Ohio EPA and U.S. EPA as applicable, perform confirmatory radiological monitoring to verify the site cleanup criteria have been met by the owner/operator or contractor and that the site is ready for release and reutilization.
d. In coordination with Ohio EPA and U.S. EPA as applicable, ensure that efforts to control the spread or migration of radiological contamination are established along with a program to collect and control radiological waste in accordance with the Debris Management Plan.

e. Evaluate and assign radiological dose to the members of the affected population, including emergency workers.

f. Establish a program to track long term health effects from the radiological dose, in coordination with the CDC.

g. Coordinate the release of reentry health and safety information to the public or affected population.

h. Lead the state’s reentry activities, including coordinating the sampling of food, water, wildlife, and the environment by other state agencies, as appropriate.

i. Provide guidance related to spill containment and cleanup for any incident involving a radiological/nuclear agent.

Bureau of Radiation Protection (ODH-BEHRP)

Radiological Incident Field-Based Response

a. Dispatch ODH Health Physicist representatives/team to assist local officials, the Incident Commander, hospital, or the affected facilities, depending on the magnitude and scope of the event.

b. Obtain radiological data for the Incident Commander and State EOC.

c. Advise the Incident Commander on techniques to minimize radiation exposure to emergency responders.

d. Advise the Incident Commander on radiological monitoring.

e. Advise the Incident Commander on control of radiological contamination.

f. If the Assessment Group of the State EOC is not operational, provide an assessment of the incident and protective recommendations to local officials or incident command.

g. Provide health advice based on monitoring results.

h. Investigate exposures and potential health problems from radiological/ nuclear materials exposures.

i. Coordinate with ODH Bureau of Environmental Health.
j. Coordinate with local health departments to ensure the capability of safe food handling at mass feeding centers established for an incident.

k. Provide guidance concerning collection of samples for nuclear or radiological incidents.

l. Maintain the proper chain of custody for samples/evidence that is sent to the ODH lab for analysis.

Chemical Incident-Related State EOC and Field-Based Response

a. Ensure the safety of private water through private water system sampling, oversight of LHDs, and the provision of public information.

b. Coordinate with Ohio EPA and local health departments on the identification of alternate water supplies to individuals.

c. Coordinate with Ohio EPA on assessing public health exposure and impacts from release of toxic chemicals to the environment.

d. Provide health advisories and recommendations.

Bureau of Infectious Diseases (BID) – Biological Incident-Related State EOC Response

a. Provide health advisories and recommendations to local health departments, medical providers, and the general public.

b. Develop recommendations for mass prophylaxis and making appropriate recommendations to local health departments and medical providers.

c. Provide recommendations regarding patient testing, where needed.

ESF-10 – TAB A – REP Incident Plan

a. Serve as the primary source of direction and control in the areas of radiological dose assessment, recovery, reentry, return, and relocation guidance. Provide the recommendation of protective actions for the public.

b. Upon notification, dispatch personnel to the JIC (technical liaison), State EOC (Dose Assessment Team), primary county EOC (liaison), and utility EOF (liaison) as per established procedures.

c. Provide personnel to the affected area to serve on the state FMTs.

d. Develop and issue recommendations for the use of KI as a thyroid blocking agent.
e. Supply the thyroid-blocking agent KI in advance of an incident to the Ohio EMA Resident Radiological Analyst for pre-distribution to emergency workers, and to county health departments for storage/distribution to institutions and to the general public.

f. ODH-BEHRP is responsible for developing and maintaining a listing of hospitals and other medical facilities for use in radiation incidents.

g. Upon arrival at the SEOC, ODH-BEHRP will begin working on protective recommendations, assist with the performance of dose assessment, and provide quality assurance (QA) checks and interpretations of dose projections.

h. Coordinate with county and Federal counterparts.

i. Provide rapid, accurate assessment of the consequences of a radiological release from a nuclear facility. After the Dose Assessment/Lead Agency Room is operational (and then as required), advise the Governor or governor’s designee on appropriate protective action recommendations for the affected counties.

j. Provide personnel to the area to screen and prepare radiological samples for transport to a radiological analytical laboratory. For the case of BVPS incidents, West Virginia may also have samples screened and transported for analysis by ODH laboratory. An ODH Health Physicist will be present to ensure adequate safeguards are taken and proper chain of custody documents are maintained to assure radiological samples are received in optimal condition.

k. Provide personnel to support the IZRRAG as indicated in the REP Operations Manual.

l. Issue recommendations to emergency workers and to institutionalized individuals to take KI if the dose to the thyroid is projected to exceed U.S. FDA Guidance.

m. Issue recommendations for the general public to take KI.

**ESF-11 – Food and Agriculture**

a. Coordinate with ODA and local health jurisdictions to establish the process for emergency food inspections, investigation and advisories.

b. Provide laboratory personnel and space, as available, to support laboratory surge capacity.

c. Provide guidance and technical assistance to local health jurisdictions, the food industry, and the public for food safety, private water systems and water hauling programs.

d. Provide health and medical advisories, recalls, and news releases; and health and medical-related information to the public as it relates to the consumption of food.
**ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan**

a. Evaluate human health risk as determined by the disease agent. Liaison between Agriculture authorities, CDC and local health department partners to ensure that recommendations being provided to workers and others are appropriate and consistent.

b. Coordinate surveillance with local public health authorities for potential human illness among individuals exposed to a zoonotic disease, to include exposure assessment and evaluation for symptoms.

c. Coordinate with local public health authorities and medical professionals any investigation and management of ill individuals and their contacts.

d. Assist with response activities to encourage and ensure that individuals exposed to animals with a zoonotic disease take appropriate personal protection measures, to include PPE.

e. Provide epidemiological personnel to assist in response and recovery operations.

f. Provide recommendations to ODA-AH concerning any potential effects of animal disposal plans on human health.

**ESF-11 – Tab C – Dangerous Wild Animal Response Plan**

a. Coordinate with ODA for inspections, investigations, and advisories, if needed.

b. Provide laboratory personnel and space, as available, to support laboratory surge capacity.

c. Assist with laboratory testing of animal specimen samples, if needed.

d. Provide subject matter expertise and information on potential animal diseases, which may be transmitted to humans (i.e., zoonotic disease).

e. Coordinate with Ohio EMA, ODA, and ODNR if a zoonotic condition exists in the escaped or released dangerous wild animal(s).

f. Provide information and direction to Support Agencies on human infectious disease transmission, prevention, treatment, and infection control practices, including isolation/quarantine and disinfection/decontamination, if needed, during a dangerous wild animal emergency.

g. Assist with public health and/or medical advisories and news releases, if needed.

h. Coordinate with the appropriate organizations for deployment of local health department personnel to the site(s) of the emergency, if needed.
i. Assist in the coordination of public information and rumor control efforts throughout the emergency.

**ESF-13 – Tab C – MCM Security Plan**

a. Maintain a listing of RSS, RDS, CDS, POD, and hospital/treatment center locations by region and related transportation logistics information (e.g., specifics regarding drop off at location).

b. Provide RDS, CDS, POD and hospital/treatment center locations to OSHP as necessary.

c. Coordinate with OSHP to ensure that site surveys for each RSS are completed.

d. Inform OSHP regarding arrival time and location of the MCMs in Ohio.

e. Coordinate with ODOT, OHNG, and OSHP to provide the State EOC current information on the overall status of MCM distribution operations.

**ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation**

1. Begin analysis and preparation to fulfill the agency’s assigned responsibilities in the five existing recovery strategies.

2. Examine possible provision of funds, if available, to affected local health jurisdictions for continued public health services to the affected population.

3. Examine possible provision of staff, if available, to affected local health jurisdictions until the local health jurisdiction regains its former capability.

4. Examine mechanisms to provide expedited licensing/registration of health and medical service facilities/services that fall within ODH’s regulatory authorities.

**Drought Incident Response Annex**

a. Provide increased surveillance of private water supplies and water haulers through the appropriate district offices.

b. Issue registrations for private water system contractors.

c. Analyze water well samples from local health departments upon request.

d. Analyze water samples from bathing beaches at Lake Erie.

e. Provide public instructions on means of disinfecting drinking water.
f. Provide information on food safety.

g. Local health departments issue permits to drill water wells, register water haulers, and inspect vehicles.

h. Provide technical information regarding private water supplies as resources allow.

**Terrorism Incident Response Annex**

a. Assist in the coordination of mass fatality operations, in accordance with the Acute and Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plans, respectively.

b. Work in close partnership with local public health epidemiology, animal health and environmental health entities, and poison control to provide timely data to assure implementation of effective prevention, detection, and control measures, including treatment.

c. Monitor BioWatch analyses.

d. Perform or obtain laboratory testing on clinical specimens or environmental samples as required by the bioterrorism incident, e.g. white powder specimens.

e. Provide human and veterinary medical guidance, and support access to laboratories, pharmaceuticals and supplies.

f. Coordinate with the response network of public health laboratories and other diagnostic facilities for bioterrorism incidents.

g. Provide leadership in public health investigations to determine human and animal disease source(s), in collaboration with law enforcement.

h. Report instances of disease and/or contamination that raise the index of suspicion of terrorist or criminal involvement to the FBI.

i. As able and as needed, dispatch public health personnel to location(s) of suspected disease outbreaks and/or radiological/chemical contamination.

j. Assist in the coordination with Federal, State, and local agencies to ensure the safety and security of food products in retail food establishments, food service operations and institutions.

k. Provide support for, and/or monitor and/or conduct inspections for the safety and security of food and food facilities in impacted areas.

l. Provide assistance in the search for possible food and agriculture contamination and animal disease cases, and use the results from sample analyses to determine the breadth of disease outbreaks and/or contamination.
m. Support and/or conduct laboratory testing, field investigation and product tracing to determine the source, destination, and disposition of adulterated, contaminated products or diseased animals.

n. Support and/or provide appropriate information to the public regarding the disposal of potentially radiologically contaminated food and/or agricultural products.

o. Assist in the determination of the need for and provide guidance for the embargo, detention, stoppage, condemnation, retention and seizure of food, plants and animals due to radiologic contamination.

p. Assist in the determination of the need for and provide guidance for the control of identified food products at food service operations and retail food establishments that are suspected of being contaminated through product recall, administrative detention, or other means.

q. Provide technical assistance regarding impacted retail products that are intended for consumption and/or inhalation that may be radiologically contaminated.

Ohio Department of Job and Family Services (ODJFS)

ESF-6 – Mass Care

a. Coordinate with local county departments of job and family services for the implementation of disaster assistance programs, including:

   i. Assistance to eligible families with an emergent need due to the incident with use of available Temporary Assistance to Needy Families (TANF) funds
   ii. Assistance to eligible elderly or disabled individuals with an emergent need to the incident with use of available non-TANF (state-only) funds
   iii. Federal disaster emergency food stamp program
   iv. Provision of departmental representatives as needed to give advice & assistance to impacted persons.
   v. Provision of child care services for residents as a result of the incident.

b. Provide Federal Disaster Unemployment and Re-Employment Assistance.

c. Assist private relief organizations and/or public agencies in distributing emergency supplies, as necessary.

d. Assist employees in solving special employment problems that may arise as the result of an incident.
ESF-6 – Tab B – Emergency Repatriation Plan

ODJFS and the County Department of Job & Family Services Offices are the principal agencies for providing temporary financial and supportive services to repatriates. Under this Plan, ODJFS will have responsibility for the following:

1. Administrative and Operational Support
   a. Schedule ERC workers and maintain staffing patterns.
   b. Establish and maintain a list of participating staff/volunteers.
   c. Operate the Department of Defense Automated Repatriation Reporting System (ARRS) – The national plan developed by HHS requires use of this system to register repatriates. Upon activation, the USDOD will provide the system software and hardware. ODJFS will work with USDOD for training prior to events. ODJFS will work with OEMA and the ERC Facility Manager on equipment needs in preparation.
   d. Develop and publish detailed procedures as needed.

2. Repatriate Assistance Services
   a. Ensure that necessary translators are available. Upon their arrival at the ERC, authorized ODJFS staff will provide repatriates with a Welcome Packet.
   b. Brief, interview, register and process repatriates.
   c. Existing procedures to obtain foster care and other child care will be used for children traveling without a parent or designated guardian. For children traveling with parents, ARC assistance with provision of ERC childcare services will be requested.
   d. Assist with phone bank setup and operations. Provide a telephone phone bank for repatriates to use at the ERCs, provide a minimum of two staff to assist repatriates, and provide phone security.
   e. Assist federal, state and local public health officials as requested.
   f. Coordinate provision of medical screening, first aid, hospital care and mental health services to include pastoral care and other services as needed and identified.

3. Financial Management
   a. Track repatriation operational costs.
   b. Accept requests for reimbursement from state & local government and volunteer agencies. Costs will be reimbursed to state & local government and volunteer agencies
following guidance from HHS/Administration for Children and Families (ACF)/Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR).

4. Financial Assistance
   a. Establish a finance center, advise individuals of repayment requirements, and provide financial assistance to repatriates.
   b. Claim administrative expense from HHS/ACF/ORR for the state and agencies involved in repatriation activities pursuant to separate agreements with the Ohio Emergency Management Agency and local governments.
   c. Submit summary report(s) of expenditures within 15 days following completion of repatriation activities, as required by the National Repatriation Plan.
   d. Develop agreements with the American Red Cross or federal government for mass feeding, shelter management, personal care kits, child care, mental health counseling and onward transportation of foreign nationals not eligible for reimbursable resources and other support. American Red Cross expenses should be billed directly to the federal government in accordance with existing agreements.

ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan
   a. Provide guidance and technical assistance to county departments of job and family services and public children services agencies for reunification efforts for unaccompanied minors. Assistance to include safety assessments and safe placement.
   b. Coordinate subject matter expertise on children’s issues and legal issues related to the reunification of minors.
   c. Provide guidance to group homes, children’s residential centers, crisis care facilities, and other residential facilities on developing communication plans that provide information about the well-being of residents to their families.

ESF-10 – Tab A – REP Plan
   a. Coordinate activities of interagency operations when more than one county is involved.
   b. Provide a liaison to the SEOC.
   c. Participate in exercises to test response plans.
   d. If requested by ESF-6, assist with staffing reception and/or care centers.
Ohio Department of Natural Resources (ODNR)

ESF-1 – Transportation

a. Coordinate with the U.S. Coast Guard and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers for transportation assistance on the Ohio River, Lake Erie, and inland waterways.

b. Provide assistance for the removal of debris from transportation routes to facilitate movement and emergency access. (Refer to ESF-3 for additional debris management information.)

ESF-1 – Tab B – Medical Countermeasure Transportation and Distribution Plan

1. Maintain a list of ODNR pre-designated distribution resources to include semi-tractors, trailers and other covered delivery vehicles with drivers and supplemental security personnel; and share with ODOT as needed.

2. Communicate ODNR delivery and transportation status to the RSS.

   a. Ensure all drivers obtain sign off at the time of delivery by the designated local recipient at the RDSs, CDSs, and/or PODs and treatment centers.

   b. A copy of the signed Master Bill of Lading/Bill of Lading (BOL) (chain of custody) will be left with the local recipient and the driver will return the original BOL to the RSS.

ESF-2 – Communications and Information Technology

a. Maintain a 24-hour dispatch capability.

b. Deploy the ODNR Mobile Command Center in coordination with Ohio EMA

c. Maintain ongoing communications with field forces.

d. Provide radio equipment to supplement communications.

e. Provide technical assistance for the restoration of communications systems.

f. Provide technical support for ESF-2 as needed.

ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works

a. Provide personnel and equipment for the following public works/engineering emergency activities.

b. Provide information on state water resources.
c. Inspect dikes, levies, dams and related structures.

d. Assist with debris removal.

e. Support emergency access to remote and forested areas.

f. Coordinate floodplain management operations related to the effects of flooding and water drainage system impacts.

g. Serve as the primary liaison between the State of Ohio and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

h. Coordinate with ESF-3 team members to identify missions for the federal ESF-3 team.

**ESF-3 – Tab C – Water Retention Structure Incident Response Plan**

1. During a dam failure, activate an advisory team and provide a liaison to the State EOC.

2. Provide an on-site team to advise and support Dam Owners.

3. Following a dam failure, assist in conducting an evaluation of the failure and related damage.

4. Assist in the clearing of watercraft, swimmers and other users of lakes and downstream waterways in the inundation area.

5. Patrol lakes and recreational areas to prevent access downstream from the dam.

6. Assist in determining when it is safe for re-entry into flooded or threatened areas.

**ESF-4 – Firefighting**

a. Provide trained personnel and equipment to assist with the suppression of wildland fires throughout the forest fire protection areas of the state.

b. Provide a technical representative and support to the ICS and/or the State EOC.

c. Provide resources and/or support for rescue and related emergency response operations for wildland fires.

d. Provide information on the availability of wildland fire-fighting equipment on a statewide or area basis.

e. Report on the risks and methods of operation, including coordination of fire and rescue activities with affected incident/disaster areas under their jurisdiction.
f. Develop and maintain a Fire Season Operational Plan that establishes guidelines for fire season preparedness and response.

g. Serve as the chair of a task force, which assesses and addresses drought-related impacts and threats of wildfire. The specific activities, as well as a listing of other agencies who serve on the task force, can be found in the Ohio Drought Appendix.

h. During emergency wildland fire operations, acquire reports pertaining to casualties, injuries, damages and evacuations from fire and rescue organizations, and provide them to the State EOC.

i. Obtain additional firefighting resources via the Mid-Atlantic Interstate Forest Fire Compact, and/or from other federal and state agencies via an agreement with the U.S. Forest Service.

**ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support**

a. Provide facilities that can be used as State Mobilization Centers, State Receiving and Distribution Centers, State Staging Areas and State warehouses.

b. Provide subject matter experts as needed for logistics management, EMAC, Receiving, Staging and Onward Movement and other logistics and ESF–7 operations.

**ESF-7 – Tab B – Potable Water Procurement and Distribution Plan**

a. Coordinate possible staging areas for bottled and or potable bulk water.

b. Coordinate with OHNG on possible water uptake locations on-or-near ODNR properties.

c. Provide access points for bulk water distribution on ODNR properties outside the impacted area.

d. Provide limited potable bulk water production, transportation and distribution.

e. Assist ODOT with the transportation of bottled water.

**ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Dispensing Plan**

a. In coordination with OSHP deploy sworn officers for safety, security and enforcement in accordance with ESF-13 (Law Enforcement).

b. Provide the use of agency-owned vehicles and operators for the transportation of MCMs in accordance with ESF-1 (Transportation).

**ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan**

a. Provide surveillance for disease in wild animals.
b. Establish appropriate regulatory wild animal controls.

c. Support public information and rumor control efforts throughout the emergency.

d. Assist with disposal of infected wild animals.

**ESF-9 – Search and Rescue**

a. Upon activation of ESF-9, coordinate and report on the assignment and status of SAR missions through the State EOC.

b. Coordinate SAR resources, including: law enforcement and SAR-specialist personnel; fixed and rotary wing air assets; mobile command and communications equipment; water-based response equipment and vessels; side-scan sonar; underwater video equipment; night vision and thermal imaging equipment; land-based vehicles to support operations, including 4x4 vehicles and all-terrain vehicles; and canine units to assist in searches.

**ESF-10 – Oil, Gas and Hazardous Materials**

**Field-Based Response**

a. Coordinate field-based response activities related to the contamination of land, water, flora and fauna on public lands and in State recreational areas.

b. Assist in the transportation of response equipment and personnel.

c. Assist in the testing of public drinking water to determine its safety for consumption by humans and animals.

d. Assist with incident command and staging areas with command vehicle and tent systems which house specialized communication and law enforcement gear.

e. Through the ODNR Division of Parks and Watercraft, investigate watercraft crashes on Ohio’s waterways that involve the release of Hazardous materials into Ohio’s Waterways.

g. Through the ODNR Division of Wildlife, investigate pollution incidents which result in the death of Ohio’s fish and wildlife.

h. Through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources’ Division of Oil & Gas Resources Management, work with local first responders to ensure that they are prepared to safely respond to any oil and gas incident and provide technical expertise to responders related to the handling of oil and gas incidents.

i. Through the ODNR Divisions of Water and/or Geologic Survey, provide data, models, and interpretations of field data in relation to impacted areas' hydro geologic characteristics to determine susceptibility and extent of pollution to surface, groundwater, and aquifers.
j. Through the ODNR Divisions of Water and/or Geologic Survey, provide technical assistance on appropriate courses of action, effects on and availability of groundwater, and procurement of emergency water supplies.

**ESF-10 – TAB A – REP Incident Plan**

a. Ensure that provisions are in place for the alerting of staff and visitors on state recreational areas and provide for marine emergency access to Lake Erie islands.

b. Provide alternate aircraft and pilots for waterway notification of recreational boaters and mariners on Lake Erie, as well as personnel, watercraft, and equipment.

c. ODNR will coordinate with the U.S. Coast Guard (USCG) effort to assist in marine traffic control and lake clearing.

d. Through the Division of Wildlife, provide for the sampling of fish and wildlife within the ingestion pathway zone. ODNR may suspend fishing, hunting, and trapping in the affected area as needed.

e. Monitor recreational waterways and prescribed methods of use for areas affected by the radiological incidents.

f. Provide personnel support to IZRRAG as indicated in the REP Operations Manual.

**ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan**

a. Provide surveillance related to for disease in wild animals.

b. Conduct wild animal risk assessments to determine wild animal needs and priorities.

c. Establish appropriate regulatory wild animal controls.

d. Provide bio-security and personal protective equipment training to personnel designated for operations in the affected area based upon training provided by ODA-AH and USDA-APHIS-VS.

e. Support animal movement restrictions for captive wildlife in Ohio throughout the emergency.

f. Assist ODA-AH with law enforcement support as feasible.

g. Assist with euthanasia procedures for infected animals when ODA-AH and private resources are exhausted.

h. Assist with the disposal of infected animals and/or products.
i. Provide personnel to assist in response and recovery operations as needed at the site, at staging areas and at the State EOC.

j. Assist in evaluating disposal sites.

k. Provide personnel and equipment for onsite communications and mobile command and support trailers.

**ESF-11 – Tab C – Dangerous Wild Animal Response Plan**

a. Assist with law enforcement support, as feasible.

b. Provide surveillance related to disease in wild animals.

c. Coordinate with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service and/or the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (APHIS), if needed.

d. Conduct a risk assessment of each county’s registered, dangerous wild animal population. Assessments may, in turn, be used by responders to assist in prioritizing response efforts and attending to animal needs during a dangerous wild animal emergency.

e. Provide personnel to assist in response and recovery operations as needed at the site(s), at the staging area(s), and at the local EOC(s).

f. Provide general and unique services and special response equipment (e.g., all-terrain vehicles, trucks, communications vehicles, shelter), as needed.

**ESF-13 – Law Enforcement**

a. Support communications services for and with the Ohio EOC

b. Provide an Incident Commander to coordinate law enforcement internal and external to ODNR with respect to the department’s territorial jurisdiction and authority.

c. Provide and serve as the state’s liaison to the U.S. Coast Guard (USCG) for coordination of marine enforcement, search and rescue, port security, and marine intelligence on all federal waterways as defined in an existing MOU between ODNR and USCG.

d. Upon official request by another agency outside of ODNR’s territorial authority, provide emergency law enforcement assistance:

   i. Traffic control
ii. Perimeter or site control
iii. Investigative support
iv. Information and intelligence support
v. K-9 support for enforcement and SAR
vi. Search and Rescue operations and swift water rescue teams
vii. Law enforcement transportation (both marine and land) for medical supplies and enforcement personnel
viii. Evacuation support

ESF-13 – Tab C – MCM Security Plan

a. If needed, provide additional support for MCM transportation security services.
   
i. MCM transportation security from the RSS to the RDSs, CDSs, PODs and hospital/treatment centers will be coordinated by OSHP, with assistance from uniformed ODRC security personnel, as needed.

ii. Once delivery has been made at the local RDSs, CDS, POD, or hospital/treatment center, security responsibilities will be transferred to local law enforcement agencies.

ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation

1. Assist, coordinate and provide subject matter experts and investigators on environmental disasters dealing with fish, wildlife, recreational land, forests, water, geological mineral and oil and gas resources.

2. Assist/Coordinate a response to help in the environmental recovery of fish, wildlife, recreational land, forest, water, geological minerals and oil and gas resources.

3. Assist/Coordinate and provide health safety inspections for dams, mines, well sites, forests and fish and wildlife populations.

4. In conjunction with DAS, assist local public facilities in identifying temporary alternate locations.

5. Provide technical assistance regarding floodplain management.

6. Assist/Coordinate the administration of the National Flood Insurance Program (NFIP). Certain funds are restricted for NFIP-sanctioned or non-participating communities.

7. Assist communities in their participation and will maintain compliance with the NFIP.

8. Assist, coordinate and deploy an interagency Urban Forest Strike Team. Strike team will evaluate public tree damage, provide datasets for urban tree restoration programs, and assist with FEMA-related documentation.
9. The Division of Forestry may have grants available to assist local fire departments for hazardous fuels reduction programs, fire and emergency response equipment purchases, and federal excess equipment acquisitions. This assistance is limited to the forest fire protection area of the state.

**Drought Incident Response Annex**

a. Monitor water resources on a regular basis and report to EMA under Phase I, normal conditions.

b. Provide information on available water resources within the State.

c. Review and update public water supply plans for each community.

d. Assist communities, industries, and others to develop water conservation plans and programs.

e. Monitor hydrologic and water supply conditions, gather and interpret water data regarding supply, use and trends.

f. Maintain information on outlet discharge capacity of State-owned reservoirs and improve structural work for State-owned reservoirs as appropriate.

g. Register all water withdrawals greater than 100,000 gallons per day, collect annual reports, and analyze annual usage statewide and regionally.

h. Assist in education of the public concerning general water management needs and answer requests for water resource information.

i. Chair the following task forces; Wildfire, Fish and Wildlife, and Recreation and Tourism.

j. Mediate conflicts of source utilization in cooperation with EPA.

k. Provide technical information regarding private water supplies, as resources allow.

l. Coordinate use of Lake Erie water, in cooperation with EPA.

m. Provide information on the status of feeder canals throughout the State of Ohio.

**Terrorism Incident Response Annex**

a. Coordinate with local law enforcement for maritime and port security on Lake Erie and the Ohio River.

b. Coordinate with the United States Coast Guard for maritime and port security on Lake Erie and the Ohio River
c. Support ESF-13 with law enforcement-related missions and transporting evidence when needed.

d. Provide information related to the matter to the STACC and ESF-13 lead.

Ohio Department of Public Safety - Ohio State Highway Patrol (OSHP)

ESF-1 – Transportation

a. Provide traffic control, enforcement and related services on all public roadways within Ohio during emergencies.

b. Coordinate with ODOT in developing and implementing emergency traffic control measures.

c. Provide State-level coordination and support for local law enforcement traffic control efforts during emergencies.

d. When requested, assist local authorities in emergency evacuation relocation and reentry operations.

e. Support the assessment of damage to transportation infrastructure.

ESF-1 – Tab A – Aviation Plan

a. Provide a point of contact to the Air Operations Manager at the State EOC.

b. Provide aircraft and aircrews to support disaster air operations, as needed.

c. Provide support for Aviation Communications relay.

ESF-1 – Tab B – Medical Countermeasure Transportation and Distribution Plan

1. OSHP, as the lead agency for providing security for MCMs during transport from the RSS to the RDS(s), and the Primary Agency for Tab C to ESF-13, the MCM Security Plan; will either directly provide or arrange security for the transportation of MCM resources.

2. During activation, maintain a list of OSHP designated distribution resources to include security escort vehicles with security officers; and provide to ODOT Emergency Response Coordinator as needed.

3. The Ohio State Highway Patrol (OSHP) will coordinate security functions to escort the MCM once it reaches the Ohio border and/or an Ohio airport.
4. Provide security services for MCM transportation by alternate routes as needed and directed by ODOT.

5. Provide and/or coordinate the tracking of load convoys and individual transport vehicles via security escort vehicles with ODOT.

**ESF-2 – Communications and Information Technology**

a. Provide Communications infrastructure assessments from the site.

b. Maintain data communications to all law enforcement agencies through the use of Ohio’s Law Enforcement Automated Data System (LEADS).

c. Deploy the OSHP Mobile Command Center in coordination with Ohio EMA.

d. Provide technical support for system restorations.

e. Provide supplemental radio units to state and local agencies.

**ESF-2 – Tab A – Warning Plan**

1. Maintain the State’s Primary Warning Point at the Ohio State Highway Patrol Dispatch Center in Columbus, Ohio, and maintain the State’s Alternate Warning Point at the Ohio State Highway Patrol Post in Cambridge, Ohio.

2. Support the maintenance of the Law Enforcement Automated Data System (LEADS).

**ESF-2 – Tab B – Cyber Security Plan**

a. Serve as a liaison to law enforcement at all levels.

b. Lead efforts to gather evidence, and advise local agencies regarding criminal prosecution, with assistance of DAS/OIT.

**ESF-3 – Tab B – Water Retention Structure Incident Response Plan**

1. In coordination with ESF-13 support agencies and appropriate local authorities, assist in developing plans for the implementation of a secure area around the inundation area.

2. In coordination with county and other appropriate local authorities, assist in the development and coordination of evacuation and traffic management operations.

3. Assist in the provision of investigative and crime scene services if a dam or levee breach is determined to be by intentional means (terrorist acts).
4. Assist in the coordination of additional assets through activation of the LERP.

5. Assist in the relocation of prisoners who are located in the inundation area.

6. Assist in determining when it is safe for re-entry into flooded or threatened areas.

**ESF-6 – Tab B – Emergency Repatriation Plan**

1. If and when local resources have been exhausted, provide assistance to local jurisdictions, including traffic control, crowd control, and security protection of repatriates outside the boundaries of the ERC.

**ESF-6 – Tab C – Volunteer Management Plan**

1. Assist local law enforcement with site security at the VRC location(s).

2. Assist local law enforcement with perimeter security at the incident scene.

3. Assist local law enforcement with volunteer credential verification through the Law Enforcement Automated Data System (LEADS).

**ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan**

a. Assist local law enforcement agencies in taking and resolving missing persons’ reports and assuming responsibility for unaccompanied minors.

b. Assist local mass care operations’ family reunification operations.

**ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support**

a. Provide security and traffic control for State Mobilization Centers, State Receiving and Distribution Centers, State Staging Areas and State Warehouses.

b. Provide subject matter experts for logistics management, EMAC, Receiving, Staging and Onward Movement and other logistics and ESF–7 operations.

**ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Dispensing Plan**

a. Provide 24/7 security at the RSS in conjunction with OHNG, ODNR and DAS, including:
   
   i. Providing MCM security functions.
   
   ii. Securing MCMs during loading, transport, delivery and transfer of custody.
   
   iii. Coordinating with ESF-2 and OHNG to support communications for all aspects related to maintaining MCM security.
b. Coordinate with ESF-2 response agencies to ensure that OSHP vehicles that are assigned to MCM transportation missions have proper interoperable communications equipment.

c. Coordinate MCM transportation security to the RSS site.

d. Assess and evaluate the security needs of the RSS warehouse that are State owned or leased properties.

e. Coordinate or provide security at activated RSS sites to protect MCMs, as well as, Ohio responders working at the RSS.

f. Based on the transportation strategy and as detailed in ESF-1 (Transportation), coordinate with ODOT and OHNG to support the security of transportation routes from the RSS warehouse to RDS, CDS, PODs, and or Treatment Centers. Based on situation and resources this may include additional county or local distribution sites.

g. Coordinate with the U.S. Marshal Service, the Federal liaison, and local law enforcement agencies as necessary.

h. In coordination with OHNG, ensure security of transportation vehicles and drivers to escort MCMs until local custody of the MCMs is established.

i. OSHP will screen and verify that drivers and Ohio responders have proper credentials for security and transportation mission.

j. Coordinate security escort of the CDC SNS Services Advance Group (SSAG) from airport to RSS warehouse and other locations as directed.

k. Coordinate transportation security for out-of-state deliveries.

l. Provide emergency re-route mapping for deliveries as necessary in consultation with ODOT as detailed in ESF-1.

**ESF-8 – Tab B – CHEMPACK Plan**

1. Provide the transportation and security for the movement of CHEMPACK resources from the host cache site to first responders and healthcare personnel as set forth in the CHEMPACK Program Operational Plan.

2. Receive the initial call for activation and begin the notification of activation per the CHEMPACK Program Operational Plan.

3. Provide OSHP dispatch and posts with the proper training and exercises for CHEMPACK plans and procedures.

4. In the event of a CHEMPACK activation, notify the host hospital of all known information
about the incident, particularly size and locale upon initial call-up.

**ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan**

a. If the incident is terrorism-related, coordinate law enforcement activities with the FBI.

b. If a public health response requires limitation of movement operations, collaborate with local law enforcement to enforce limitation of movement measures.

**ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

a. When needed and with proper authority, assist local law enforcement with security at the incident scene, the morgue site and at family assistance centers through ESF-13.

b. When needed and with proper authority, assist with the evacuation of human remains and preservation of a mass fatality scene, and assist the C/ME in safeguarding personal effects found on and with the dead.

c. When needed and with proper authority, provide assistance to ensure that C/MEs and law enforcement work together to provide security at the scene, the morgue site, and at family assistance centers.

**ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

1. A Governor's declaration allows Ohio National Guard response and/or resources including security support and fatality search and recovery.

2. Provide security support to law enforcement operations at incident sites, collection points, morgue sites, FACs and other locations; as required.

3. Provide the resources of the Fatality Search and Recovery Team (FSRT) to assist with the search for, and recovery of human remains to applicable collection points in a Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and high yield Explosives (CBRNE) or non-CBRNE environment.

**ESF-9 – Search and Rescue**

a. Provide aviation support via fixed-wing and rotary-wing aircraft equipped with special features such as “night-sun” and “FLIR” – Forward Looking Infrared.

b. When needed and with proper authority, provide personnel and material resources to support local jurisdictions with site security and access restrictions in impacted areas.

c. If local communication resources are insufficient, provide communications resources to support local SAR operations.
ESF-10 – Oil, Gas and Hazardous Materials

General Response

a. OSHP's support response function in a Hazmat incident is to provide support to other State and local law enforcement agencies. Usually, this support consists of traffic control and information gathering and dissemination.

b. OSHP can provide the Ohio State Highway Patrol Emergency Command Vehicle to Sheriff Departments, Police Departments, and emergency management agencies. The Emergency Command Vehicle is a mobile command post and communications center. It contains specialized radio and telephone equipment that enables technicians to coordinate all law enforcement and emergency frequencies.

c. The OSHP Office of Licensing and Commercial Standard's Motor Carrier Enforcement Unit and the Office of Field Operation's Crash Reconstruction Unit have a role in restoration activities of investigating accidents involving commercial carriers in order to assist the courts or the PUCO in assessing penalties against the owner/operator.

State EOC-Based Response

a. Contact the State EOC to report when a Hazmat incident occurs.

b. Provide assistance through the OSHP communications network in the State EOC.

c. Coordinate information from the field for use in the State EOC regarding site evacuation routing.

Field-Based Response

a. Coordinate field operations and information with local EOCs via OSHP Post Commanders or Assistant Post Commanders and/or District Staff Officers.

b. Respond to off-site incident command post and provide area control.

c. Provide traffic control, enforcement, traffic crash investigation, criminal investigation operational support on state highways and State-owned or -leased property.

d. Provide assistance with area control, evacuation, and emergency rescue operations in coordination with local law enforcement agencies.

e. Provide rotary wing and/or fixed wing aircraft for reconnaissance operations.

f. Transport equipment to an incident site via rotary wing and/or fixed wing aircraft.

g. Assist in the voluntary evacuation of people and property.


**ESF-10 – TAB A – REP Incident Plan**

a. OSHP operates both NAWAS for warning and emergency communications and LEADS, a notification system for OSHP posts and other law enforcement agencies that may be used as a backup to disseminate nuclear incident information to and from county authorities as required. The OSP Hub (located in the State EOC/JDF) serves as the primary point of contact for initial notification of incidents involving DBNPS, PNPP, BVPS, and FERMI incidents.

b. Provide transportation for radiological samples from the sample screening point to a designated sample testing laboratory. This assistance should be coordinated through ESF-1.

**ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan**

a. Support the provision of law enforcement to quarantined areas and related sites during animal disease emergencies as directed by the Governor.

b. Provide bio-security and personal protective equipment training to personnel designated for operations in the affected area based upon training provided by ODA-AH and USDA-APHIS-VS.

c. Assist ODA-AH with law enforcement support as requested. (Reference 941.05 of the ORC)

d. Provide personnel and equipment to assist in response and recovery operations as needed at the site, at staging areas and at the State EOC. Coordinate with local law enforcement throughout response and recovery.

e. If the event is not related to terrorism, coordinate with the Federal Office of the Inspector General for federal law enforcement support.

f. If the event is terrorism related, OSHP will coordinate with the FBI for law enforcement support. (Refer to the State of Ohio Terrorism Incident Annex)

g. Coordinate with local law enforcement throughout assessment, response and recovery.

h. Support animal movement restrictions and embargoes in Ohio and at its borders throughout the emergency.

i. Assist in the movement of state resources during animal disease emergencies.

**ESF-11 – Tab B – Ohio National Veterinary Stockpile Plan**

a. Assist in the assessment of on-site security needs for state owned or leased properties.

b. As able, provide security escorts as it relates to their OSHP powers and duties.
c. Assist in the coordination of on-site security personnel for state owned or leased properties.

**ESF-11 – Tab C – Dangerous Wild Animal Response Plan**

a. Initiate dangerous wild animal emergency e-notification procedures if and when notified of a dangerous wild animal emergency by ODA.

b. Notify the applicable county Sheriff and local OSHP post/dispatch center through the Law Enforcement Automated Data System (LEADS).

c. Share dangerous wild animal emergency information through the Ohio Emergency Operations Center, as needed.

d. Assist with law enforcement support, as feasible.

e. Provide personnel to assist in response and recovery operations as needed at the site(s), at the staging area(s), and at the local EOC(s).

f. Assist with community control to limited access areas.

g. Assist with the implementation of site-specific traffic control and security plans.

h. Provide general and unique services and equipment (e.g., communications vehicles, armored vehicles, aviation assets, special response teams, mechanical robot), as needed.

i. Assist with dangerous wild animal search.

**ESF-13 – Law Enforcement**

a. Operate the National Warning System (NAWAS) and LEADS warning systems for alerting local government and state departments and agencies in cases of emergencies.

b. Support communications services for and with the Ohio EOC.

c. Provide liaison support to local EOCs as required.

d. Coordinate with ODOT in the determination of routes and control points for evacuation actions.

e. Coordinate with PUCO on the issuance and enforcement of guidelines pertaining to specific materials or carriers on Ohio roadways during an emergency.

f. Coordinate with the Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation in the evacuation and transfer of the penal inmate populations.
g. Assist in traffic control actions, to include the notification of evacuation and arrival times in the event evacuations are necessary, and confirm that access limitations to the site of the disaster have been established.

h. Assist in specialized search and rescue operations, as requested by local authorities.

i. Provide law enforcement support (to include security) for state facilities, institutions, services, officials, and resources.

j. Assist in evacuation support for institutional persons.

k. Evaluate assistance needs and requests and coordinate subsequent relief actions with local forces within resource and jurisdictional limitations.

l. In the event of a riot or other civil disorder, and upon the request of a sheriff or the chief executive of the municipal corporation, the Governor may order the OSHP to enforce criminal laws in the area affected by the riot/disturbance when conditions indicate that local authorities are unable to contain the situation. Through the superintendent and individual troopers, the Governor may designate such support until the termination of the emergency. (ORC 5503.02)

**ESF-13 – Tab B – Correction Facility-Prison Support Plan**

1. Provide an initial response to a prison incident from local OSHP Post(s); and if additional resources are needed, provide, as able, assistance from the District and adjacent Districts. Response will be determined based on the incident and the need as identified by the institution Incident Commander and the local Post Commander.

2. Coordinate with ODRC in the evacuation and transfer of the penal inmate populations.

3. Provide law enforcement support (to include security) for state facilities, institutions, services, officials, and resources.

4. Assist in evacuation support for institutional persons.

5. Provide a Mobile Command/Communication Vehicle and aviation support to include helicopter and fixed wing aircraft.

6. Provide communications devices, including a hostage drop telephone and intelligence gathering devices.
**ESF-13 – Tab C – MCM Security Plan**

a. Provide security for MCMs during transport from the RSS to the RDS(s), CDS(s), POD(s), and/or or Hospitals.

b. Complete security assessments for each RSS site in coordination with ODH.

c. Identify, acquire and maintain security resources to include escort vehicles with security officers; and share with ODOT when needed:

d. Coordinate with the U.S. Marshalls Service to escort the MCMs once it reaches the Ohio border and/or an Ohio airport.

e. Coordinate for MCM transportation security services from the RSS(s) to the CDS(s), POD(s) and hospital/treatment centers with assistance from uniformed ODRC and ODNR security personnel, as needed. Once delivery has been made at the RDS(s), CDS(s), POD(s) and/or hospital/treatment centers, security responsibilities are transferred to local law enforcement.

f. Provide security services for MCM transportation for other routes as needed in coordination with ODOT.

g. Provide and/or coordinate the tracking of security convoys and individual security transport vehicles.

h. Provide security services during the return of unused MCMs from the RDSs, CDS(s), POD(s) and/or hospitals/treatment centers to the RSS; as needed.

i. Provide an OSHP Liaison at the RSS to provide current information on the status of security assessments and the security posture.

j. Coordinate with ODOT, OHNG, and ODH to provide the State EOC current information on the overall status of MCM distribution operations.

**Terrorism Incident Response Annex**

a. Through STACC-based Intelligence Analyst, support criminal investigations associated with terrorism-related incidents.

b. As needed, provide and support security measures at incident sites.
Ohio Department of Transportation (ODOT)

ESF-1 – Transportation

a. Coordinate with damage assessment teams to determine the types of damage to, and repairs needed for, transportation infrastructure and systems.

b. Coordinate with ESF-1 Support Agencies to develop and prioritize ESF-1 missions.

c. Maintain awareness of state-owned transportation assets and equipment that may require movement to ensure timely execution of missions.

d. Provide alerts to and receive information from impacted ODOT Districts and Divisions, and provide on-going internal communications and coordination.

e. Take the lead in reporting and briefing on ESF-1 missions and activities and the status of transportation routes, assets and systems.

f. Support the transportation of state emergency personnel and goods, and the provision of services to disaster sites.

g. Assist in the establishment of State Transportation Staging Areas.

h. Coordinate with and support Port Authorities, the Ohio Rail Commission, airports, bus companies and other public and private transportation providers during incidents.

i. Assist with permit processing and the waiving of permit fees.

j. Procure equipment and services from private contractors as needed.

k. Coordinate with and assist local transportation organizations and authorities regarding emergency repairs to transportation infrastructure and systems.

l. Assist Support Agencies with emergency transportation response and recovery missions by providing fuel and maintenance for State-owned vehicles.

m. Provide aviation support and coordination through the Division of Aviation. (Refer to Tab #1 Aviation Support Plan)

ESF-1 – Tab B – Medical Countermeasure Transportation and Distribution Plan

1. Maintain a list of pre-designated resources from ODOT and this Plan’s Support Agencies for the RSS to manage logistical support in conjunction with ODH, OSHP and OHNG - separated by responding agency.
2. Provide additional information on pre-determined equipment, drivers and locations, which are detailed in the ODOT MCM Resource Manual, and is maintained by the Agency’s Emergency Management Coordinator.

3. Facilitate the involvement of ODOT Supervisors in managing the transportation of MCMs to-and-from RSS, RDS(s), LDS(s), POD(s), and hospital/treatment centers.

4. Provide ODOT personnel with Multi-Agency Radio Communications System (MARCS) radios if needed, in addition to their normal communication systems.

5. Facilitate and coordinate the procurement and assignment of transportation equipment and personnel for transportation of MCM from RSS to RDS(s), LDS(s), and/or to POD(s) and hospital/treatment centers.

6. Assign at least one ODOT Liaison to the activated RSS during MCM operations. The ODOT Liaison will coordinate with Support Agencies on delivery needs and delivery confirmations prior to resource, will establish communications with the ODOT Emergency Management Coordinator working in the State EOC via the District EOC or direct contact as needed.

7. Identify ODOT staff to provide 24/7 coverage at the RSS to manage logistical support in conjunction with ODH, OSHP and OHNG, including:
   a. The logistical support of MCM transportation
   b. Transport, delivery and transfer of custody
   c. Coordination of communications for all aspects related to MCM transportation.

8. ODOT Aviation will provide air assets as needed, and available.

9. Provide guidance for continuous transportation and delivery to RDS(s), LDS(s), PODs, and hospital/treatment center locations in collaboration with its Support Agencies for the duration of the event.

10. Coordinate transportation between the RSS and a repackaging facility and/or the ODH Managed Inventory cache.

11. Lead the ESF-1 Work Group in the creation and real-time assessments of transportation and distribution routes for use during MCM-related events to determine the best routes at that time based on current road conditions.

12. Assist in opening or closing roads or highways as necessary and provide emergency route mapping for MCM deliveries; as necessary.

13. Provide information to Support Agencies providing MCM transportation resources regarding roadway and weather conditions via www.ohgo.org.
14. Review with OSHP and OHNG to determine which routes are the most efficient transportation routes from the RSS warehouse to activated RDS(s), LDS(s), and/or PODs and hospital/treatment centers. Alternate routes will be approved at the RSS by the ODOT Liaison and OSHP Security Supervisors prior to departure.

15. If pre-planned routes are determined to not be the most efficient routes, ODOT will use route software to determine routes based on load and destination information provided to them by ODH.

16. In coordination with ODH, utilize the ODH Transportation Formula to determine the optimum number of facilities to which deliveries can be made within the prescribed period of time.

17. Tracking of load convoys and individual transport vehicles will be conducted and/or coordinated via OSHP security escorts and ODOT at the RSS facility.
   a. Communicate the delivery and transportation status to the Ohio EOC.
   b. Communicate delivery and transportation status to the designated RDS(s), LDS(s), POD(s) and hospital/treatment centers and to the RSS.
   c. Ensure all drivers obtain sign off at the time of delivery by the designated local recipient at the RDS, LDS, and/or POD, and hospital/treatment center. Documentation will be provided to ODOT at the RSS.
   d. A copy of the signed Master Bill of Lading/Bill of Lading (BOL) (chain of custody) will be left with the local recipient and the driver will return the original BOL to the RSS.

18. Based on ODH guidance, direct transportation activities for Support Agencies to pick up and return unused MCMs from RDS(s), LDS(s), PODs, and hospital/treatment center sites, back to the RSS warehouse.

19. Provide annual RSS MCM transportation training and exercise materials to ODOT personnel.

**ESF-2 – Communications and Information Technology**

a. Maintain 24-hour staffing of the Ohio EOC during emergencies.

b. Through data communications, provide information on road conditions during emergencies.

c. Provide technical assistance for the restoration of communications systems.

d. Provide radio equipment to supplement communications.

e. Provide technical support for ESF-2 as needed.

**ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works**
a. Conduct and/or support debris clearance operations on interstates, U.S. routes and State Routes.

b. Upon a Governor’s declaration, support local debris operations, as available.

c. Conduct and/or support necessary short-term and long-term repair operations on IS, US and SR transportation routes.

d. Provide technical recommendations as requested by ESF-3 organizations during emergencies.

**ESF-3 – Tab B – Water Retention Structure Incident Response Plan**

1. In conjunction with county law enforcement authorities, develop and coordinate evacuation and traffic management plans.

2. Coordinate and implement procedures to route traffic (pedestrian, private and commercial vehicles, rail, etc.) around larger metropolitan areas.

**ESF-4 – Firefighting**

a. Assist in maintaining access to arterial roadway corridors for firefighting equipment.

b. Provide equipment such as trucks, backhoes, loaders, dozers, etc. as permitted by statute.

c. Provide information to the State EOC regarding road conditions, including opened, closed and impaired routes.

**ESF-6 – Tab B - Emergency Repatriation Plan**

1. If and when local resources have been exhausted, provide assistance to local jurisdictions to arrange and coordinate ground transportation as needed.

**ESF-6 – Tab C - Volunteer Management Plan**

1. Coordinate transportation resources for the support of local and state volunteer management operations.

**ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support**

a. Provide recommendations, briefings and maps on routes and other transportation issues associated with logistics and ESF-7 operations.

b. Provide transportation assets and coordination for logistics and ESF-7 operations in accordance with ESF-1 – Transportation.
c. Provide facilities that can be used as State Mobilization Centers, State Receiving and Distribution Centers, State Staging Areas and State Warehouses.

d. Provide subject matter experts as needed for logistics management, EMAC, Receiving, Staging and Onward Movement and other logistics and ESF-7 operations.

**ESF-7 – Tab A – Donations Management Plan**

1. Provide and/or assist with the transportation of donated goods from donations warehouses to specified sites.

2. Provide appropriate cargo, vehicles, and drivers for the transportation of donated goods.

**ESF-7 – Tab B – Potable Water Procurement and Distribution Plan**

a. Assist in the transportation and delivery of bottled water from established collection sites to predetermined distribution sites in the area of operations.

b. Assist in distribution and delivery operations to impacted populations.

**ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Dispensing Plan**

a. Provide transport to-and-from repackaging site for the state pharmaceutical cache.

b. Provide transport to-and-from the ODH Vendor Managed Inventory Contractor and the ODH RSS.

c. Coordinate with ODH to manage transport from the activated RSS to RDS, CDS, PODs/treatment centers as detailed in ESF-1, Tab B, the Ohio Medical Countermeasure Transportation and Distribution Plan.

d. Provide current and updated information on the status of transportation routes throughout the state, as detailed in ESF-1, Tab B, the Ohio Medical Countermeasure Transportation and Distribution Plan.

e. In cooperation with OSHP and local law enforcement, assist in opening, closing, and maintaining access to roads or highways as needed.

f. Provide emergency re-route mapping for deliveries as necessary.

g. Coordinate with ODH, OSHP and OHNG to identify transportation routes from the RSS warehouse to all RDS, CDS, PODs and treatment centers.

**ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan**

a. Assist in the movement of state resources during a human infectious disease emergency.
b. If a public health response requires limitation of movement operations, coordinate access to or closure of transportation routes.

**ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

a. When faced with a fatality surge that stresses the capacity for carrying out cremations in a region or localized area, assist in the surveying of crematory facilities, embalming facilities, and funeral homes to identify storage capacity, refrigeration, and number of hearses/vehicles available to transport bodies.

**ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

1. During fatality surges, provide resources as available for the transport of deceased when standard decedent transportation means need to be augmented.

2. Assist in the mapping and dissemination of information on transportation routes for those involved in the transportation of the deceased from recovery through final disposition.

3. As needed, develop systems to identify and provide suitable training for the temporary employment of persons for the recovery and transportation of the deceased.

**ESF-9 – Search and Rescue**

a. Provide for the transportation of supplies and equipment to impacted area(s).

b. Provide vehicles to assist in establishing access to SAR mission(s) area(s).

c. Provide both fixed wing and rotary wing aircraft.

d. Coordinate all aviation assets for the State.

e. If necessary, ODOT will intercede with the Federal Aviation Administration to limit or restrict the air space near the scene of the mission(s).

**ESF-10 – Oil, Gas and Hazardous Materials**

**General Response**

a. ODOT's support response function in a Hazmat incident is to provide information, equipment, and area traffic flow control related to highways, bridges, aviation and mass transportation facilities.

b. ODOT is notified when a spill occurs on a State route which may affect traffic and when a cleanup may block a roadway.
State EOC-Based Response

a. Provide information and personnel to Ohio EMA, the IC, and/or the off-site ICP related to road conditions, impassable state roads or restricted areas.

b. Coordinate the ODOT communications network in the field

Field-Based Response

a. Provide traffic assistance to the Incident Commander, and/or the off-site ICP.

b. Coordinate with local entities to determine and designate both available and prohibited routes of travel in the incident area.

c. Assist in maintaining access to state corridors for first responders.

d. Assist the State EOC in providing area reconnaissance during an incident situation.

e. Provide engineering damage assessment teams.

f. Provide aerial transportation for radiological monitoring teams and field samples to lab sites.

g. Provide vehicles, heavy equipment, and materials such as sand, oil dry, kitty litter etc.

h. Provide signage as requested by the Incident Commander to safely regulate traffic speeds in the hazard area.

i. Assist with construction and engineering services on State highways in an incident area.

j. Provide estimates for costs to restore state highways and/or rest areas that have been damaged by hazardous materials.

ESF-10 – TAB A – REP Incident Plan

a. Provide traffic and roadway information to assist local authorities in the development and determination of the best available travel/evacuation routes prior to and during radiological emergencies.

b. Provide equipment and resources as needed to maintain the flow of traffic on State, US and Interstate Highways in cooperation with other support agencies, including snow/ice removal; necessary repairs to pavements/structures, and detours to allow traffic to proceed.

c. Through ODOT Aviation, provide for the transport of State of Ohio personnel to impacted areas, weather permitting. This assistance should be coordinated through ESF-1.
d. Through ESF-1, coordinate the transport of radiological samples from the sample screening point to designated laboratories.

**ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan**

a. Assist in the movement of state resources during animal disease emergencies.

b. Provide biosecurity and personal protective equipment training to personnel designated for operations in the affected area based upon training provided by ODA-AH and USDA-APHIS-VS.

c. Assist in the disposal of infected animals and/or products.

d. Assist in cleaning and disinfecting premises and equipment by providing personnel and equipment.

e. Provide personnel to assist in response and recovery operations as needed at the site, at staging areas and at the State EOC.

**ESF-11 – Tab C – Dangerous Wild Animal Response Plan**

a. Utilize the Traffic Management Center to monitor roadway traffic in the affected area(s) throughout the emergency.

b. Assist with the implementation of site-specific traffic control (e.g., placement of signage, establishment of roadblocks, roadway mapping), as requested by the incident commander.

**ESF-12 – Energy**

a. During emergencies and within statutory authorities, provide resources to assist energy utilities in gaining access to power lines and other power generating and transmission equipment to repair lines and restore service to their customers.

**ESF-13 – Tab B – Correction Facility-Prison Support Plan**

1. As authorized, provide personnel resources to act as operators for requested equipment.

2. Provide traffic control devices and technical assistance

3. Provide engineering technical assistance and other transportation-related support.

4. Where local ODOT sites are in close proximity to a facility, provide, as able, access to use of ODOT sites for use as a staging area.
ESF-13 – Tab C – Ohio Medical Countermeasure Security Plan

a. Coordinate with OSHP to identify and preplan transportation routes from the RSS warehouse to all RDSs and from RDNs to all CDSs, PODs and hospital/treatment centers.

b. Review with OSHP and OHNG to determine if pre-planned routes are the most efficient transportation routes from the RSS warehouse to activated RDSs, and from RDSs to the activated PODs and hospital/treatment centers. Alternate routes will be approved at the RDS(s) by the Transportation and Security Supervisors prior to departure.

ESF-14 – Community Recovery and Mitigation

1. Provide engineering damage assessment as needed for infrastructure/critical facilities recovery operations.

2. Provide civil engineering support for building and infrastructure assessments.

3. Conduct damage assessments of transportation infrastructure to include roadways, bridges, signals, drainage etc.

4. Coordinate and share information with Ohio EMA regarding possible request to USDOT to approve the Emergency Relief Program.

Terrorism Incident Response Annex

a. Support the establishment and maintenance of transport systems and mechanisms to assist in the timely delivery and receipt of samples or specimens for laboratory testing.

Ohio Department of Transportation-Office of Aviation (ODOT-AVI)

ESF-1 – Tab A – Aviation Plan

a. Provide an Air Operations Manager at the State EOC.

b. In coordination with responding state agencies, provide and/or facilitate aviation resources to assist in emergency response and recovery operations.

c. Provide or recommend maintenance facilities and personnel for logistical support to OSHP, ODOT, ODNR and CAP aircraft during disaster response operations.

d. Assist in the coordination of the notification, deployment, and arrival of aviation assets.

e. Coordinate with public and private agencies/organizations to determine the availability of specialized aviation assets.
f. Provide qualified personnel to assist in the management of air operations.

g. Establish Temporary Flight Restrictions (TFR) as required or as appropriate.

h. Air Operations Manager:

   i. Liaise with aviation resource agencies.
   ii. Maintain and update aviation resource lists and track the status of aviation resources during operational response.
   iii. Identify and activate necessary personnel.
   iv. Assist in identifying the need for Temporary Flight Restrictions, and coordinate these requests with the FAA.
   v. If requested by the FAA, establish restricted airspace management operations.
   vi. As necessary, identify and establish forward staging areas and associated logistical support necessary for flight operations.
   vii. Brief the State EOC on the status of air operations, including: current missions, available aircraft by type, locations of staging areas, and priorities for aviation support.
   viii. Advise State EOC personnel on aircraft capabilities, recommendations for appropriate missions by type of aircraft, and restrictions or costs associated with use of private-sector aircraft.
   ix. Respond to requests for aviation support from the State EOC.
   x. Maintain Daily Aviation Activity Logs.
   xi. Assist in the coordination of aircraft maintenance and logistical support.

Ohio Emergency Management Agency (Ohio EMA)

ESF-1 – Transportation

a. Coordinate and facilitate requests for and the processing of Governor’s Emergency Declarations.

b. Coordinate with local EMA Directors to ensure that State ESF-1 agencies and their personnel are able to work with appropriate local officials and technicians on local mission assignments.

ESF-1 – Tab A – Aviation Plan

a. Provide support for radio communications systems for aviation resources.

b. Provide space at the State EOC or other location for a communications room for the Ohio Wing CAP and amateur radio operator’s radios and communications.

ESF-2 – Communications and Information Technology

a. Responsible for the coordination of emergency communications.
b. Manage communications capabilities within the Ohio EOC.

c. Provide state mobile communications as needed during emergencies.

d. Assess communications infrastructure following a disaster.

e. Prioritize assistance based on assessments.

f. Maintain Ohio EMA’s access to the GETS (Government Emergency Telecommunications Service) system to enable the state to have contact with federal, state, local, and tribal government, industry, and non-governmental organization (NGO) personnel in performing their National Security and Emergency Preparedness (NS/EP) missions.

g. Evaluate, define and assign emergency missions to team members and other organizations as required.

h. Provide technical assistance and advice to local, state, and federal organizations.

i. Establish and maintain the automated computer system needed for Ohio EOC operations.

j. Establish data communication links for state agency computers as needed in the Ohio EOC during emergencies.

k. Deploy mobile communications assets.

l. Provide ongoing maintenance and restoration of Ohio EMA owned systems.

m. Deploy and install transportable communications systems to include radio base stations, satellite links and portable communications equipment.

n. Establish video conferencing links as needed.

o. Obtain remote video images or remote TV broadcasts as needed from the disaster.

**ESF-2 – Tab A – Warning Plan**

1. Maintain access to information and warning messaging through the National Warning System.

2. Maintain access to NOAA Weather Radio reports and warnings.

3. Maintain the State of Ohio Rain/Snow Monitoring System (STORMS) to provide the National Weather Service with real-time precipitation data for use in flood forecasting and to provide data to other federal, state and local users.
4. Maintain operational readiness of public warning systems through the Ohio Emergency Alert System and the Public Safety Emergency Notification System.

5. Maintain the Ohio NAWAS System to enable the receipt and dissemination of national-level warnings and other emergency information.

6. In cooperation with the National Weather Service, support the dissemination of emergency weather information to and from local weather service offices through the NOAA Weather Radio System.

**ESF-2 – Tab B – Cyber Security Plan**

a. Coordinate information flow between County EMA’s and DAS/OIT.

b. Assist in mitigating physical-world effects of cyber incidents.

c. Provide information of interest from their local partners to OHS for intelligence coordination.

d. Provide logistical support and State EOC management.

**ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works**

a. Notify elements of ESF-3 when public works and engineering capabilities are required for state assessment, response and recovery activities during emergencies.

b. Provide coordination for debris management and long-term recovery operations.

**ESF-3 – Tab B – Water Retention Structure Incident Response Plan**

1. Coordinate and assist in the identification of infrastructure priorities for dam or levee failure aerial reconnaissance.

2. Assist state agencies in developing plans to relocate and/or support facilities that are located in-or-near inundation areas to ensure continuity of operations.

3. Coordinate with federal, state, and local agencies to provide assistance in support of dam and levee failure operations.

4. Through the EOC Executive Group, coordinate and assist in the establishment of communications with and assistance from the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC), the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, and other agencies as required.
5. Coordinate emergency information for public release through ESF-15 (Public Information) in the State EOC and prepare and disseminate public information through appropriate news media.

6. Facilitate the activation of mutual aid agreements with federal agencies, other states, private industry and relief organizations, and between local governments.

7. Provide regular information updates through the State EOC to impacted jurisdictions.

**ESF-4 – Firefighting**

a. Coordinate and facilitate emergency/disaster fire operations when the State EOC is activated or as directed by the Governor.

**ESF-6 – Mass Care**

a. Coordinate with all support agencies on the ESF-6 team to provide accurate overviews of ESF-6 activities to Ohio EOC personnel.

b. Coordinate and report on emergency mass care activities of state-level organizations responsible for sheltering, feeding, bulk distribution, counseling, providing first aid, and related social services and welfare activities that are required to assist incident survivors.

c. Request additional resources (EMAC, federal, private sector, etc.) to fulfill mission requirements when ESF-6 response resources have been exhausted.

d. Provide coordinating and reporting support for mass care operations in response to catastrophic events both inside and outside the State of Ohio that necessitate the evacuation and sheltering of large populations for extended periods of time.

e. Assist in the coordination of family reunification operations.

f. Facilitate and coordinate the application of EMAC-based resources and other out-of-state support services for both catastrophic and non-catastrophic incidents, and facilitate and coordinate interstate cooperation during mass care operations.

g. Provide direction and support to local jurisdictions for the provision of sheltering and feeding operations.

h. Facilitate and coordinate the application of mass care resources provided to, or received in response to, EMAC system requests.

i. Facilitate and coordinate interstate cooperation of non-EMAC mutual aid during mass care operations.
j. Assist in the dissemination of information to impacted residents regarding both local and
destination sheltering operations outside their immediate area during catastrophic events.

k. Support consistent mass care standards and sheltering training across the state, and
coordinate planning between many levels of government for the provision of integrated mass
care services.

l. Provide direction and support to local jurisdictions for their immediate provision of the
rescue, sheltering, feeding and medical care of companion animals.

m. Support local-level companion animal relocation, care and reunification operations.

n. Support mass care operations during the activation of the Ohio Strategic National Stockpile
Plan, including sustenance support (food, water, cots, etc.) of the public and the staff;
planning for the support of local sustenance and sustainment of local shelter-in-place
operations; and the support of local treatment facilities during pandemic situations.

o. Provide support and coordination for the evacuation of large populations to destination
shelters due to both man-made and natural incidents.

p. Provide direction and support to local jurisdictions for shelter-in-place, restriction of
movement, non-congregate and sustenance sheltering operations that result from pandemic
and other incidents.

ESF-6 – Tab B – Emergency Repatriation Plan

1. Provide operational support and coordination for the repatriation process for the following:

   a. Maintain communications with federal agencies during repatriation operations to ensure
      proper representation at the ERC and/or Incident Command.

   b. Provide technical staff to coordinate and plan ERC communications needs, and arrange
      for installation of telephone and information systems.

   c. Prepare and coordinate the Governor’s state of emergency declaration as needed.

   d. Make requests for mutual aid assistance to support this plan through State-level mutual
      aid agreements or through the Emergency Management Assistance Compact.

2. In coordination with the Ohio Department of Agriculture for use of the Ohio Veterinary
Emergency Responders database, coordinate the response of veterinary assistance through
Ohio’s eight Regional Animal Response Teams for the isolation and/or quarantine of pets
that have been cleared for entry into the United States.
ESF-6 – Tab C – Volunteer Management Plan

1. Coordinate and report on state agency resources and missions for the support of local volunteer management operations.

2. Activate and coordinate the Department of Public Safety Emergency Resource Team (DPS ERT) for local assistance or for state-level volunteer reception center staffing.

3. Maintain operational and fiscal records pertaining to volunteer management operations.

4. Activate EPCS based on criteria thresholds, and maintain coordination with state partners.

ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan

a. Develop, maintain, coordinate, and activate emergency preparedness plans that address evacuation and reunification operations.

b. Provide guidance on state laws and procedures that provide guidance and procedures for missing persons, including children.

c. Develop familiarity with local work, school, childcare, and juvenile justice evacuation plans.

d. Through the State Joint Information Center (JIC), develop preparedness and operational public messaging that encourages the development of Family Communication and workplace continuity plans, and develop pre-scripted messages directing the public to available reunification services.

e. Through the State JIC, deliver accessible and effective public messaging during reunification operations.

f. Coordinate and disseminate information on reunification and missing persons operations with media, social media, and ad hoc reunification system providers to ensure clear consistent messaging leading to efficient streamlined reunification services to the public.

g. Provide information to Mass Care operations about reunification and missing-persons issues that have been reported in the media.

ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support

a. Review resource requests and identify potential sources to fill them.

b. Coordinate and facilitate the acquisition and management of federal resources that requested or “pushed” into the state, and coordinate the implementation of federal-level resources within the State EOC and at incident sites.

c. Provide personnel to serve as the Logistics Section Chief and other ESF-7 positions.
ESF-7 – Tab A – Donations Management Plan

1. Based on an incident’s identified needs, notify and assemble appropriate agency resources to assess the need for the support of local jurisdiction-based donations management operations.

2. Provide equipment and support for telephones, computers and other equipment in support of Donations Hotline operations.

3. Coordinate and facilitate Donations Hotline operations.

4. Coordinate Joint Information Center operations in support of local jurisdiction- and State level-based donations management operations.

5. Coordinate support for the collection, storage, staging, warehousing and distribution of donated goods.

ESF-7 – Tab B – Potable Water Procurement and Distribution Plan

a. Through the State of Ohio Emergency Operations Center (State EOC), and in cooperation with State EOC partner agencies, assist in coordinating the staging and delivery of alternate sources of potable water to impacted populations and will assist in coordinating and implementing strategies to restore potable water system infrastructure through local emergency managers and local EOCs.

b. Develop, maintain and implement procedures to operationalize potable water incident response.

c. Assess impacts of the incident by determining:
   i. Cause and extent of water system damage
   ii. Estimated duration of system outage
   iii. Geographical area affected
   iv. Population affected
   v. Actions taken to restore system and obtain alternate drinking water
   vi. Service area water quality status
   vii. Resources needed to reactivate system
d. Maintain contact with local EOCs.

e. Communicate the resource tracking and utilization requirements to the requesting entity.

f. Evaluate and implement actions to support the local EOCs’ efforts to acquire and distribute alternate potable water:
i. Identifying, evaluating and prioritizing drinking water needs (quantity, location, incident duration, and critical facilities’ needs).

ii. Identifying potable water sources.

iii. In coordination with the impacted jurisdictions, identify secure locations for water distribution points.

iv. Identifying staffing resources needed to operate water distribution points.

v. Assist in the identification of the need for public information notices.

vi. Providing a method to track data on costs incurred in the effort to purchase and distribute potable water.

g. If the incident requires resources beyond the capability of the State, contacting FEMA to inform them of the situation, and to identify needs for alternate water resources.

h. Seek mutual aid/assistance for infrastructure repair through the Emergency Management Assistance Compact and other sources.

i. Maintain contact with the Ohio Department of Health, Local Health Districts and other agencies regarding:

   i. Cause and extent of potable water system damage
   ii. Estimated duration of potable water system outage
   iii. Geographical area impacted, including zip codes
   iv. ODH resources that have been released to local jurisdictions
   v. Population affected
   vi. Actions taken to restore potable water system
   vii. Resources needed to reactivate potable water system
   viii. Emergency potable water needs (quantity and prioritized areas)

j. Coordinate with local EMAs on the development and execution of a locally-driven long-term water plan.

k. Coordinate with local EMAs, ODH, and other social service agencies on the determination of social service providers to assist in ensuring the provision of potable water to targeted populations.

l. Communicate through the Ohio Public Private Partnership to commercial providers of water to ensure a ready supply of potable water for purchase.

m. Continue to provide assistance through local EMAs on the identification of sources for procurement of, or donation of water for target populations.
ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Dispensing Plan

a. Through the State EOC, assist in maintaining situational awareness regarding the status of local/state medical resources and potential needs.

b. Provide support for the dissemination to-and-between responding state agency partners by coordinating communications resources as specified in ESF-2 (Communications).

c. Provide redundancy in communications networks including landlines, cellular, fax, MARCS and other radio networks.

d. Coordinate with OSHP to ensure that security vehicles assigned to transportation vehicles have proper interoperable communications equipment.

e. Support public information and rumor control efforts throughout the emergency in accordance with ESF-15 (Emergency Public Information and External Affairs).

f. Provide situational assessment and coordination as outlined in the State EOP’s Base Plan and in accordance with ESF-5 (Information and Planning), including providing coordination of state resources to support the deployment of the MCM.

g. Support recovery issues, which may include, but are not limited to, reimbursement for activities between local, state, and federal agencies as specified in ESF-14 (Recovery and Mitigation).

ESF-8 – Tab B – CHEMPACK Plan

1. Maintain situational awareness of the deployment of CHEMPACK assets through the Ohio Watch Office.

ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan

a. Facilitate public information and rumor control efforts throughout the emergency through the JIC.

b. Take the lead for most recovery issues, including but not limited to, reimbursement for activities between local agencies and organizations, the state and federal agencies.

ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

a. If state-level resources and capabilities are exceeded, provide assistance through the State EOC to obtain necessary resources through enacted MOUs, Inter-agency agreements, the EMAC and other agreements.
ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

1. Assist in the drafting and distribution of public education messages to inform the public on the location of collection points/morgues, the need for personal protection (if applicable) if they will be handling bodies, and alternate processing methods that might be used to maintain dignity in death.

2. Assist in the drafting and delivery of public information statements regarding temporary and long-term storage solutions.

3. Assist in the identification, acquisition and/or provision of temporary housing for temporarily-placed emergency staff that respond to non-acute mass fatality events.

4. Assist in the development of MOAs between jurisdictions and professional organizations, e.g. pathologists, dentists, anthropologists, funeral directors, etc., to obtain ad hoc staff with specific skill sets.

5. Assist in the planning between, and the coordination of fatality management stakeholders.

ESF-9 – Search and Rescue

a. Upon activation of ESF-9, the Ohio EOC will be the central coordinating facility for local, state and federal agency SAR information and resources that are responding to state-level SAR missions.

b. Activate ESF # 15 and JIC(s)/JIS(s) ensure that necessary information is produced and disseminated to the media and the general public.

c. Activate ESF # 7 to locate and facilitate the acquisition of SAR resources that are not organic to the primary or support agencies to this plan.

d. Facilitate the request and receipt of SAR resources from other states and territories via the Emergency Management Assistance Compact.

e. Activate ESF-5 to establish and maintain complete situational awareness and develop a common operating picture of the situation.

f. Activate ESF-4 to support SAR operations and responders for the treatment and transport of rescued victims.

g. Activate ESF-10 to support SAR responders for encountered HazMat environments; to establish permissible exposure values during operations, provide specialized equipment to function in contaminated environments, and to provide critical and ongoing monitoring of and prediction of environmental contamination to assist SAR personnel with planning and conducting SAR operations.
ESF-10 – Oil, Gas and Hazardous Materials

a. Support the operations of all state agencies by providing communications, information support, and off-site coordination during emergency response and recovery. Refer to the Ohio State Emergency Operations Plan, ESF-5 for more detailed information.

b. Activate the State EOC to coordinate state agencies’ response operations.

c. Activate the State EOC’s Assessment Room to perform dose assessment and concentration exposure determinations.

d. Maintain contact with field-based personnel to assist with the coordination of field-based operations and providing information to the State EOC.

e. Through the Ohio EMA PIO, support field-based Joint Information Center operations and coordinate incident-based information with the State EOC.

ESF-10 – TAB A – REP Incident Plan

a. Provide prompt field radiological measurements.

b. Assist in the development of and provision for accident assessment information, and the recommendation of protective responses and recovery, reentry, return, and relocation actions.

c. Dispatch a representative to the utility EOF and to the county EOC to serve as the state's liaisons during an emergency.

d. Dispatch a representative to the JIC to serve as the state's spokesperson.

e. Coordinate with county agencies through Ohio EMA's Resident Radiological Analyst.

f. Coordinate the statewide Emergency Alert System (EAS).

g. Receive initial notification of emergencies involving DBNPS, BVPS, PNPP, and Fermi-2 facilities by OSP Hub at the State EOC/JDF, who immediately notifies Ohio EMA.

h. Upon receipt of notification, initiate an immediate call-down to appropriate personnel and agencies, to include the Governor.

i. Coordinate through ESF-6 the activities of all volunteer relief organizations during an emergency or recovery from an emergency.

j. Organize and operate field monitoring and response teams for the plume exposure pathway.

k. Establish a centralized command and control facility at the State EOC for state governmental agencies to effect liaison and assistance operations with county EOCs.
l. Provide space in the State EOC for the Radiological Assessment Branch.

m. Provide for communications and data transfer between the nuclear power plant, state and county EOCs and the Field Monitoring Teams via dedicated telephone line or radio net.

n. Maintain the capability, instruments and expertise necessary for field radiation monitoring to confirm dose projection; detect concentration levels for Iodine-131 (I-131) as low as $10^{-7}$ uCi/cc (3.7E-3 Bq/cc); and perform other field survey operations in the plume or effluent pathway, per established procedures.

o. Provide access to e-Data system.

p. Provide Dose Assessment Software and a trained operator to project dose rates and integrated dose based on either plant parameters, field monitoring team data, or data provided by the utility, and then compare these projections with the PAGs.

q. After the plume has been deposited on the ground and no further release of radioactive material is expected, Ohio EMA will establish and coordinate the operations of a Field Team Center (FTC) near the affected area to serve as a dispatch point for the ingestion pathway sampling teams. The FTC may be co-located with the Federal Radiological Monitoring and Assessment Center (FRMAC), established by DOE.

**ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan**

a. Support ODA-AH by providing statewide coordination during animal disease assessment, response and recovery.

b. Assist in the identification of biosecurity and personal protective equipment training to support agencies and the identification of bio-security and personal protective equipment training to agency personnel designated for operations in the affected area.

c. Assist in identifying contractors for the disposal of animals and/or products.

d. Assist in the provision of personnel to assist in assessment, response and recovery operations as needed at the site, at staging areas and at local EOCs.

e. Employ the Ohio Responds Database to identify and contact veterinary personnel to provide services (surveillance, euthanasia, quarantine) and other volunteers as needed.

**ESF-11 – Tab B – Ohio National Veterinary Stockpile Plan**

a. Activate the State EOC and Emergency Support Functions as appropriate.

b. Manage State EOC-based incident management logistics support.

c. Coordinate resource sourcing and allocation.

d. Manage the State’s EOC finance/administration section, including the State of Ohio’s procurement.
e. Coordinate with the principal Federal Officer for Federal procurement.

f. Facilitate and coordinate the statewide response.

**ESF-11 – Tab C – Dangerous Wild Animal Response Plan**

a. Upon notification of a dangerous wild animal emergency, contact the ODA to assess whether this plan requires activation.

b. Contact the applicable county EMA director to ensure local notification has been made and/or offer support from the State, if necessary.

c. If the ODA’s assessments indicate that a State-level response operation may be required, Ohio EMA will notify the appropriate organizations listed in this plan based on the needs of the event.

d. Open the State EOC to assess and monitor mission requests, as appropriate.

e. Support ODA by providing statewide coordination and deployment of assets during dangerous wild animal response.

f. Support public information and rumor control efforts throughout the emergency.

g. Coordinate with ODA for the provision of training to Support Agencies and provide training to agency personnel designated for operations in the affected area(s).

h. Employ the Ohio Responds Database to identify and contact veterinary personnel and other qualified volunteers to provide special services (e.g., surveillance, euthanasia, quarantine), as needed.

i. Assist in identifying and selecting contractors.

j. Provide personnel to assist in response and recovery operations as needed at the site(s), at the staging area(s), and at the local EOC(s).

k. Provide general and unique services and equipment (e.g., communications vehicle), as needed.

**ESF-13 – Tab B – Correction/Prison Facility Support Plan**

1. Provide communication equipment, as available, to include: encrypted radios and a portable satellite telephone system with dish with up-link and down-link capabilities.

2. Provide, as able, access to programmable communications equipment capable of communicating with ODRC facilities.
ESF-14 – Community Recovery and Mitigation

1. Facilitate discussions with support agencies on impacts they are seeing in their specialized areas (e.g. is ODOT planning on requesting an Emergency Relief declaration from the U.S. Department of Transportation?).

2. Provide data regarding declaration thresholds and program requirements to the State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) leadership, as it relates to the FEMA and SBA disaster assistance programs and the State Disaster Relief and State Individual Assistance Programs.

3. Prepare Governor’s Request letter for a Presidential or SBA Agency only disaster declaration.

4. Review local mitigation plans in impacted area to scope out possible mitigation projects.

5. Work closely with other state agencies that provide financial assistance programs to ensure best use of resources (e.g. OWDA and OPWC).

6. Coordinate transition of ESF-14 Phase actions to the FEMA Joint Field Office (if applicable).

7. In conjunction with the State Disaster Recovery Coordinator, coordinates activation of a State Long Term Recovery Committee (if applicable).

Financial Accounting Support Annex

a. Coordinate with OBM to determine and provide funding.


c. Provide information, recommendations, and technical advice to the Office of the Governor, Ohio Legislators, State Controlling Board, and OBM.

d. Coordinate with ESF-7 and ESF-14 for the acquisition of federal resources and direct support.

Drought Incident Response Annex

a. Provide chairperson for the Drought Assessment Committee and the Drought Executive Committee.

b. Coordinate the use of Ohio National Guard water trailers and Ohio EMA pipe and pumps for use by local communities.

c. Coordinate drought-related press releases through the Joint Information Center.
d. Maintain coordination with agency-based Public Information Officers to ensure consistency in drought-related information through the Joint Information System.

e. Support the creation and distribution of drought information to the public.

f. Develop written updates of the Ohio Drought Response Plan and submit to DAC members for review, recommendations and approval.

**Ohio Environmental Protection Agency (Ohio EPA)**

**ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works**

a. As needed, inspect, evaluate and provide assistance to public water works during state-declared emergencies as needed.

b. Provide regulatory oversight and technical assistance on debris management, including all solid waste (e.g., scrap tires, vegetative or woody debris, general refuse, garbage, home furnishings, etc.), demolition debris, and infectious waste, and hazardous waste (household hazardous waste should be managed separately to the extent practical).

c. Coordinate with ODH BRP – RAD waste management and disposal issues

d. Coordinate with the Ohio Department of Health and local agencies to assist in the restoration of sanitary conditions through proper management and disposal of sewage and other waste streams.

e. Support and provide technical assistance to public to water supplies and public water works in impacted areas.

f. Provide technical assistance and support for chemical and petroleum releases or other issues of environmental concern.

**ESF-3 – Tab C – Water Retention Structure Incident Response Plan**

1. Assist in addressing the recovery needs of hazardous waste facilities and other public infrastructure (water treatment plants, orphan drums, etc.) that have been impacted by an inundation resulting from a dam or levee failure.

**ESF-7- Tab B – Potable Water Procurement and Distribution Plan**

a. Take actions to ensure the safety and reliability of the public potable water supply by coordinating with local water supply utilities and local health departments.

b. Ensure the safety of emergency potable water supply (bottled and hauled water).
c. Provide technical assistance on the restoration of public potable water systems (reliability and safety) and on reducing the potential for contaminant leaching.

d. Assist in the coordination of the lifting of water boiling orders and water restoration priorities.

f. Assist Public Information Officers at all levels with public communication and notices related to water outages.

g. Provide financial assistance for the procurement and installation of point of use filters that are capable of removing contaminants from water at locations that have been identified through sampling.

h. Coordinate with Ohio Department of Health on identification of the target populations.

**ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Dispensing Plan**

a. Provide pharmaceutical disposal technical assistance; as needed.

b. Provide pharmaceutical disposal support in accordance with ESF-10 (Hazardous Materials).

**ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan**

a. Coordinate safety of the public water supply.

b. Provide recommendations in coordination with ODH concerning the potential effects on the public water supply and waters of the state.

c. Provide recommendations in coordination with ODH regarding the management of wastewater, especially in association with decontamination efforts.

d. If an environmental release is linked to, or responsible for, a human infectious disease emergency, the Ohio EPA will provide coordination regarding site assessment activities.

e. Provide personnel to assist in response and recovery operations as needed.

f. Provide information and direction regarding treatment and disposal infectious waste and disposal of solid waste.

g. Conduct site assessments when the human infectious disease emergency is linked to an environmental release.

h. Provide technical assistance regarding drinking water availability in consultation with local authorities.

i. Provide technical assistance regarding waste water disposal issues and the protection of waters of the State of Ohio.
j. Provide lists of registered transporters of infectious wastes and provide expedited registration for new transporters in an emergency situation. Provide information regarding location of infectious waste treatment facilities and technical assistance regarding the management of infectious wastes.

k. Provide technical assistance regarding solid waste disposal.

l. Provide technical assistance and consultation to ODH for private water supply and household sewage system issues.

m. Provide assistance with addressing decontamination issues.

**ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

a. If requested by the Director of the Ohio Department of Health or a county Health Director, assist C/MEs in ensuring the environmental regulations are followed in carrying out temporary storage of human remains under the direction of the Coroner.

**ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

l. As needed, assist C/ME, the local Health Commissioner or other local authorities in ensuring the environmental regulations are followed in carrying out temporary mass storage under the direction of the C/ME.

**ESF-9 – Search and Rescue**

a. Provide consultation and recommendations on environmental factors that could impact the application of SAR resources and operations, including hazardous and/or extremely dangerous substances.

b. Provide Division of Environmental Response & Revitalization (DERR) personnel, which are assigned to districts throughout the state) for on-scene assessment of potential chemical exposures during SAR missions.

**ESF-10 – Oil, Gas and Hazardous Materials**

**General Response**

a. Ohio EPA’s lead response function in a chemical Hazmat incident will be to support local response efforts; and provide technical assistance to abate water, land and air pollution, protect human health, and to ensure the safety of public waters and drinking water supplies.

b. Ohio EPA will provide technical assistance on the management and disposal of solid, infectious, and hazardous wastes. Chapters 3704, 3734, 3745, 3750, and 6111 of the ORC provide the legal authority for the Ohio EPA’s actions.
c. Testing of public drinking water will be coordinated between Ohio EPA and local public water utilities. Local water utilities will be responsible for taking the lead on notifying the public of any water use restrictions.

d. Field Response: The Ohio EPA is designated under section 3750.06 of the ORC to receive notification of oil and hazardous substances (CERCLA-103) releases to the environment from facilities and transporters. The Division of Environmental Response, Investigation, and Enforcement (DERIE) provides notification to other state agencies, as necessary. Ohio EPA On-Scene Coordinators (OSCs) respond to Hazmat incidents. Upon arriving at a Hazmat incident, OSCs investigate and assess the source and extent of pollution, and evaluate or initiate containment measures. The OSC provides technical assistance to the local Incident Commander, and provides direction to the owner/operator that is responsible for cleanup.

e. Ohio EPA's role in restoration activities in response to a Hazmat incident is related to cleanup. This involves coordinating the removal, neutralization, and proper disposal of hazardous and contaminated materials from the incident scene.

a. Ohio EPA is the state's liaison to the USCG, USEPA and RRT. If the state determines that it requires additional technical assistance, or that the incident will exceed the state's financial limitations, the state, through OEPA's DERIE will request assistance from the USCG, USEPA and RRT.

State EOC-Based Response

a. Provide a representative to the Assessment Room to coordinate and assist with chemical dose projection and other assessment functions

b. Serve as a liaison with U.S. EPA and USCG when their assistance is involved or when requesting activation of an incident-specific Regional Response Team in accordance with the National Contingency Plan.

c. Direct environmental sampling of soil, water, and vegetation and coordinate sample analysis services through contracted and in-house laboratories.

d. For chemical waste-related operations, serve as the lead agency for the regulation of hazardous waste management (except for transportation registration and regulation operations).

e. For chemical waste and/or other contaminated materials-related operations, advise local jurisdictions on the management and disposal of chemical waste and/or other contaminated materials.

f. Provide assistance to local jurisdictions in obtaining Federal assistance for the restoration of damaged public facilities and property.
g. For chemical incidents, direct and monitor the decontamination of public waterways and potable water facilities.

h. For radiological incidents, provide a representative to Dose Assessment Group for field monitoring team liaison, coordinating sampling to determine the restricted zone, and for participation in the Ingestion Zone Re-entry and Recovery Advisory Group.

Field-Based Response

a. Assist in the assessment of the impact of a release and evaluate cleanup alternatives.

b. Report results of assessments and incident information to the State EOC

c. Liaison with County Emergency Operations Centers and federal responders.

d. Provide technical assistance and support on management and disposal of debris, and infectious and solid waste.

e. Provide technical assistance and support to local water treatment facilities to protect water supplies.

f. Assist ODH with the collection of samples from a suspected biological incident.

g. For radiological incidents, assist ODH with assessment by conducting environmental samplings of soil, water, and vegetation to quantify the level of radioactive contamination.

ESF-10 – TAB A – REP Incident Plan

a. Provide a liaison to the primary county EOC that will be responsible for OEPA operations at the local level and may provide guidance or interpretation of guidance to county commissioners as a member of the county EOC dose assessment group.

b. Provide personnel to the State EOC when notified to serve on the state Radiological Assessment Branch to fulfill the role as the FMT Communicator.

c. Provide general assistance in the areas of protective action, recovery, reentry, relocation and return guidance.

d. Evaluate whether public water supplies with sources in the affected areas are safe for consumption.

e. Ensure wastewater treatment facilities in impacted areas are functional.

f. Upon activation of the FTC, provide personnel, equipment, and vehicles necessary to carry out the environmental sampling missions for radionuclide concentration analysis and coordinate with local/regional/Federal counterparts.
g. Provide personnel support to IZRRAG, as indicated in the REP Operations Manual.

**ESF-11 – Food and Agriculture**

a. Work with ODA and ODH to identify potentially hazardous material impacts on food supplies.

b. Provide technical assistance for disposal-related issues.

**ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan**

a. Provide technical assistance with respect to the disposal of uncontaminated, contaminated, or potentially contaminated animals and/or materials.

b. Provide guidance and technical assistance regarding bio-security training and personal protective equipment for personnel at the site based upon training provided by ODA-AH and USDA-APHIS-VS.

c. Provide guidance in obtaining bio-security supplies.

d. Provide personnel to assist in response and recovery operations as able and as needed at the site, staging areas and at the State EOC.

**ESF-11 – Tab B – Ohio National Veterinary Stockpile Plan**

a. Provide assistance with environmental assessments.

b. Assist in the processing of environmental permitting for the disposal of infected waste.

**ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation**

1. Coordinate with regulated facilities (public water, domestic water, wastewater, landfills, hazardous waste disposal sites, etc.) for compliance with facility plans and state and federal regulations.

2. Provide technical assistance regarding compliance with EPA regulations regarding water, wastewater, generators of infectious waste, transport of scrap tires, etc.

**Drought Incident Response Annex**

a. Monitor water quality on a regular basis and report to EMA under Phase I, normal conditions.

b. Recommend voluntary cutbacks in water usage.

c. Initiate recommendations for water conservation based upon recognized priorities.
d. Mediate conflicts of source utilization in cooperation with DNR.

e. Post streams where water quality standards are not met.

f. Coordinate with the Department of Health on the release of drought-related health advisories.

g. Assist in encouraging cut-backs of industrial use of water.

h. Chair Public Water Supply Task Force.

**Public Utilities Commission of Ohio (PUCO)**

**ESF-1 – Transportation**

a. a. Work with ESF-1 support agencies to determine the need for special permits, waivers or temporary exemptions, from some or all appropriate safety regulations, for motor carriers that are operating in intrastate commerce in response to an emergency or natural disaster.

b. Facilitate the granting of special permits, waivers or temporary exemptions, from some or all appropriate safety regulations for motor carriers that are operating in intrastate commerce in response to an emergency or natural disaster.

c. Facilitate communication with railroads to coordinate the ceasing of rail operations in designated emergency areas and to address routing needs to prevent blocked crossings.

**ESF-2 – Communications and Information Technology**

a. Act as an information link with phone companies.

b. Provide technical support for ESF-2 as needed.

**ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works**

a. Provide emergency coordination for information between public works and the Ohio EOC as needed during emergencies.

b. Support evaluation and repair of public utilities’ systems following state-declared emergencies.

**ESF-7 – Tab B – Potable Water Procurement and Distribution Plan**

a. Assist in the restoration of public potable water systems.

b. Assist in the coordination of water restoration priorities.
c. Assist the local health departments in identifying non-public water systems that have been impacted by the emergency, and advise local emergency managers of potential alternate water supply needs.

d. Assist Public Information Officers at all levels with public communication and notices related to water outages.

**ESF-10 – Oil, Gas and Hazardous Materials**

**General Response**

a. In the event of a hazardous materials transportation incident, PUCO will provide technical assistance and information regarding the vehicles, packaging and practices used to transport hazardous materials by highway and rail.

b. PUCO will provide points of contact for companies that transport hazardous materials in the state of Ohio by highway and rail.

c. Immediately following a Hazmat incident, PUCO Transportation Department staff will begin activities consistent with the agency’s regulatory responsibilities.

d. PUCO’s authority to regulate motor carriers is found in §4923.03 (private carriers) and §4921.04 (for-hire carriers) of the Ohio Revised Code. These sections direct PUCO to supervise and regulate the safety, service and transport of hazardous materials by private motor carriers and for-hire motor carriers in Ohio.

e. PUCO is Ohio’s motor carrier regulatory agency and is the lead state agency for the Motor Carrier Safety Assistance Program (MCSAP) administered by the United States Department of Transportation (US DOT) Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration (FMCSA). The MCSAP provides federal funding for many of the motor carrier safety and enforcement activities conducted by the PUCO and the Ohio State Highway Patrol. As Ohio’s MCSAP lead agency, the PUCO is responsible for developing the state’s Commercial Vehicle Safety Plan as well as providing information to the FMCSA regarding Hazmat incidents involving the interstate and intrastate highway transport of hazardous materials, hazardous wastes and hazardous substances.

f. PUCO railroad inspectors are certified by the Federal Railroad Administration (FRA) to enforce the USDOT safety and hazardous materials requirements for railroads transporting hazardous materials into, out of, or through Ohio. The PUCO assists the FRA in the investigation of incidents involving the rail transport of hazardous materials.

a. PUCO’s transportation department’s Hazmat specialists are trained to the Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA) and National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) requirements for technician level emergency responders.
b. PUCO’s transportation department can provide personnel and communications resources when needed by other agencies. The PUCO consumer services department can obtain information from electric, gas, water, or waste water utilities on the status of service in areas affected by a Hazmat incident.

State EOC-Based Response

a. Reporting to the STATE EOC to provide technical and regulatory information and coordinate agency field staff as needed;

b. Functioning as state liaison with federal commercial vehicle and railroad safety agencies (i.e. Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration, Federal Railroad Administration, Research and Special Programs Administration, Federal Highway Administration, etc.);

c. Maintaining communications with other state agencies to dispatch/transfer supplies and materials needed for handling a Hazmat incident; and

d. Providing information on applicable Hazmat transport requirements.

Field-Based Response

a. PUCO Transportation Department field staff will respond to the site of a highway or railroad hazardous materials transportation incident to assist in assessment and response operations.

b. Provide technical details and specifications on the construction performance and use of the bulk and non-bulk packaging used to transport hazardous materials by highway and rail

c. Provide carrier contacts and information on the regulatory status of individual highway and rail carriers operating in Ohio.

d. Provide communications resources to State-level lead agencies.

ESF-10 – TAB A – REP Incident Plan

a. As outlined in Section 4905 of the Ohio Revised Code, the jurisdiction, supervision, power, and duties of the PUCO extend to every public utility and railroad whose plant or property lies wholly within the state.

b. During an emergency, through the Commission Chair, coordinate the overall information flow on status of public utilities in an affected area and ensures that appropriate actions are taken in restoration of services, including requiring competing companies to link telephone lines until permanent repairs can be affected, when communications are crucial to the disaster response activities.
c. Provide staff and vehicles from districts to supplement other state resources during an emergency, including radiological monitoring capabilities, as available.

**ESF-12 – Energy**

a. Provide leadership and a coordinated overview of statewide electricity and fuel usage, emergency activities, energy needs, and repair status during state emergency response and recovery operations.

b. As able, coordinate the accurate and timely reporting of customer outages, fuel shortages and repair time estimates.

c. Interface with federal ESF-12 as required during emergencies.

d. Staff the Ohio EOC in order to seek resolution to problems within the scope of energy emergency rules.

e. Maintain an internal Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) that addresses the following:
   i. 24-hour notification procedure for staff
   ii. Internal energy (electricity and fuel) response procedures and strategies
   iii. Management assignments during state assessment, response, and recovery operations.
   iv. Guidelines and forms necessary for implementation of ESF-12 energy response.

**Drought Incident Annex**

a. Regulated investor-owned utilities advise PUCO of their drought status, establish contact person for status reports and recommend conservation education.

b. Provide advice to PUCO regulated investor-owned utilities to follow their tariffs with regard to voluntary and mandatory conservation measures.

c. Provide reports on current status of PUCO regulated investor-owned utilities’ ability to provide service to their customers. The reports will also contain any information that the PUCO Drought Coordinator would deem necessary to assist the Drought Task Force.

d. Monitor all events that may/will affect this or other PUCO regulated investor-owned utilities.
SUPPORT AGENCIES
Adjutant General’s Department – Ohio National Guard (OHNG)

ESF-1 – Transportation

a. When a Governor’s Declaration of Emergency has been issued, and as resources are required and available, provide general and unique engineering services such as roadway debris removal and hauling, emergency road repairs, emergency erosion control and demolitions.

b. As required and as resources are available, provide air and ground transportation assets.

c. As required and as resources are available, provide assistance for the temporary repair of critical transportation infrastructure.

d. As required and as resources are available, assist in the evacuation of residents and resources from disaster areas.

e. As required and as resources are available, support assessment of damage to transportation infrastructure.

ESF-1 – Tab A – Aviation Plan

a. Provide a point of contact for the Air Operations Manager at the State EOC.

b. Provide aircraft to support disaster air operations.

c. Provide personnel and equipment to provide aviation communications.

ESF-1 – Tab B – Medical Countermeasure Transportation and Distribution Plan

1. Maintain the capability to provide ground transportation of MCMs from the RSS to RDSs, CDSs, and/or PODs and treatment facilities.

2. Provide space at the RSS and any secondary RSS location for storage of ODH “Go Kits” and coordinate access with ODH personnel to check “Go Kit” equipment.

3. Provide perimeter security and control site entry point at the RSS. RSS responders will be required to provide photo ID and must be identified on the site entry authorization list (EAL) or access will be denied.

4. Provide back-up support to ODOT for planning and identification of transportation routes.

5. Communicate OHNG delivery and transportation status through the State EOC.

   a. Ensure that all drivers obtain sign off at the time of delivery by the designated local recipient at the RDSs, CDSs, and/or PODs and treatment centers.
b. A copy of the signed Master Bill of Lading/Bill of Lading (BOL) (chain of custody) will be left with the local recipient and the driver will return the original BOL to the RSS.

**ESF-2 – Communications and Information Technology**

a. If needed, a Governor’s declaration allows Ohio National Guard response and/or resources including: communications capabilities and technical support.

b. Provide technical support for ESF-2 operations, set up, and operation of emergency communications equipment, satellite systems and portable telephone systems.

**ESF-2 – Tab B – Cyber Security Plan**

a. Provide cyber incident response, as directed by the governor, regardless of scope or customer type.

b. Provide on-site assistance to critical infrastructure providers.

c. Provide supplemental incident response personnel to DAS/OIT to help manage the incident, and relieve personnel/reduce staff fatigue.

d. Support OHS in the intelligence mission.

**ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works**

a. When a Governor’s declaration has been issued, provide general and unique services.

b. Provide personnel and equipment, as available, for the following public works/engineering emergency activities:

   i. Debris removal.
   ii. Damage assessment.
   iii. Demolition and/or emergency repairs or stabilization of unsafe public structures.
   iv. Engineering reconnaissance
   v. Delivery of potable water.
   vi. Assist with emergency drainage problems.

**ESF-6 – Tab C – Volunteer Management Plan**

1. Provide and/or assist with transportation and/or communication resources for local- and state-level volunteer management operations.
ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support

a. Provide recommendations, briefings and maps on routes and other transportation issues associated with logistics and ESF–7 operations.

b. Provide transportation assets and coordination for logistics and ESF-7 operations in accordance with ESF-1 – Transportation.

c. Provide facilities that can be used as State Mobilization Centers, State Receiving and Distribution Centers, State Staging Areas and State Warehouses.

d. Provide subject matter experts as needed for logistics management, EMAC, Receiving, Staging and Onward Movement and other logistics and ESF-7 operations.

ESF-7 – Tab A – Donations Management Plan

1. Provide and/or assist with the transportation of donated goods from donations warehouses to specified sites.

2. Provide appropriate cargo, vehicles, and drivers for the transportation of donated goods.

ESF-7 – Tab B – Potable Water Procurement and Distribution Plan

1. Assist in the transportation of resources for the distribution of bottled and/or hauled water. Specific assignments of responsibility could include:

   a. Assist in transporting and/or delivering bottled water from established collection sites to predetermined distribution sites in the area of operations.

   b. Assist in distribution and delivery operations to impacted populations.

   c. Provide engineering equipment and/or personnel support to assist water supply utilities in restoring water distribution systems.

   d. Provide Reverse Osmosis Water Purification Units (ROWPUUs), with, operators to designated sites.

ESF-8 – Public Health and Medical Services

a. Coordinate with Department of Defense.

b. Facilitate delivery and storage of medical supplies.

c. Assist with patient movement.
d. Assist with the procurement of health care supplies and equipment for affected communities as required and permissible.

e. Assist with locating alternate storage sites for health care supplies and equipment.

f. Assist with locating alternate transportation services for transporting health care supplies and equipment.

**ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Dispensing Plan**

a. Provide a facility for use as an RSS warehouse.

b. Identify OHNG staff to provide 24/7 assistance and logistical support at the RSS in conjunction with ODH, OSHP and ODOT.

**ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan**

a. Provide personnel to assist in response and recovery operations at staging areas, in local EOCs and at the Ohio EOC.

**ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

a. A Governor's declaration allows Ohio National Guard response and/or resources including security support and fatality search and recovery.

b. Provide security support to law enforcement operations at incident sites, collection points, morgue sites, family assistance centers and other locations as required.

c. Provide the resources of the Fatality Search and Recovery Team (FSRT) to assist with the search for, and recovery and transportation of fatalities to applicable collection points in a CBRNE or non-CBRNE environment.

**ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

1. A Governor's declaration allows Ohio National Guard response and/or resources including security support and fatality search and recovery.

2. Provide security support to law enforcement operations at incident sites, collection points, morgue sites, FACs and other locations; as required.

3. Provide the resources of the Fatality Search and Recovery Team (FSRT) to assist with the search for, and recovery of human remains to applicable collection points in a Chemical,
Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and high yield Explosives (CBRNE) or non-CBRNE environment.

**ESF-9 – Search and Rescue**

a. Provide search and rescue support resources, including, but not limited to: debris removal, emergency road repairs, and emergency erosion control, demolition, and decontamination.

b. Provide ground and/or air transportation services for food, water, and medical supplies to support SAR operations in stranded areas.

c. Provide and/or transport emergency potable water resources to support SAR operations.

d. Provide air reconnaissance/survey platforms, global positioning systems for accurate pinpointing of locations, the establishment of SAR grids, air transportation of victims and rescuers and serve as a communications link (MARCS, UHF, VHF, and AM). OHNG aviation resources include both fixed and rotary-winged aircraft.

e. Provide the resources of the Homeland Response Force (HRF), a joint service team of service members trained to assist and support civil authorities after a major catastrophic event. HRF capabilities include command and control, security, search and extraction, decontamination and medical triage.


g. Provide both land and water-based helicopter rescue hoist capability.

h. Provide back-up helicopter medical evacuation and casualty evacuation beyond the capability of civil helicopter EMS providers.

i. Upon approval of the Federal Aviation Administration and Secretary of Defense, provide RQ-11B Raven unmanned aerial system (UAS) to support SAR operations with electro-optical and infrared aerial video imagery.

j. Facilitate communication and coordination between Ohio State Highway Patrol (OSHP) and the United States Air Force Rescue Coordination Center (AFRC) as required.

**ESF-10 – Oil, Gas and Hazardous Materials**

a. If it is suspected or confirmed that a weapon of mass destruction has been used, provide support to civil authorities through the 52nd Civil Support Team at a CBRNE incident site by:
i. Identifying unknown CBRNE agents and substances.
ii. Assessing current and projected consequences.
iii. Advising on response measures.

**ESF-10 – TAB A – REP Incident Plan**

a. Provide transportation for radiological samples from the sample screening point to a designated sample testing laboratory. This assistance should be coordinated through ESF-1.

**ESF-11 – Food and Agriculture**

a. Assist Ohio EMA in the mitigation and possible containment of a wide-spread outbreak affecting the agricultural community in Ohio.

b. Assist local, state and federal agencies in the distribution of essential services to impacted populations and communities.

**ESF-11 – Tab B – Ohio National Veterinary Stockpile Plan**

a. Provide distribution vehicles and drivers for the transport of materiel.

**ESF-13 – Law Enforcement**

a. Provide law enforcement support services, including:

   i. Security of critical facilities and geographical locations to guard against criminal activity and/or provide presence and stability.
   ii. Road blocks and traffic control.
   iii. Mobile security/station security.
   iv. Provide assistance during evacuation operations (i.e. transportation, traffic control, coordination).
   v. Provide street mission-capable units for riot control.
   vi. Liaison team(s) to LEA(s).
   vii. High risk personnel security.
   viii. Conduct searches, seizures, and detention of civilians upon authorization of the Governor and upon proper training.

**ESF-13 – Tab B – Correction/Prison Facility Support Plan**

1. Transportation

   a. Provide air and ground transportation assets for evacuation and transportation of personnel, supplies, equipment, and other resources.
b. Assist in debris management operations including the provision of line-haul assets, engineer assets, and personnel for debris removal and transportation.

c. Provide resources for individual and small group evacuation and transport including: 1. Buses and qualified drivers for mass evacuation and transport, 2. Ambulances for medical evacuation and transport, 3. Aviation resources (helicopter) for individual and small group evacuation, and 4. Air ambulance (helicopter) for medical evacuation and transport.

d. Provide transportation supplies, equipment, and resources for the transport of bulk materials and goods.

e. Provide damage repair resources and equipment including engineer assets and equipment to temporarily restore/repair infrastructure (roads, culverts, barriers).

f. Provide line-haul assets for the moving of equipment and supplies.

2. Communications

a. Deploy communication resources for assigned emergency missions.

b. Assist in the provision and setup of emergency communications equipment, including satellite systems and portable telephone systems.

3. Public Works and Engineering

a. Provide general and unique engineering services such as debris hauling, emergency road repairs, and emergency erosion control and demolitions (ESF3).

b. Assist in demolition and/or emergency repairs or stabilization of unsafe public structures.

c. Assist in the delivery of potable water.

4. Medical Services

a. Provide delivery of medical supplies.

b. Support local EMS teams and health care operations by providing medical services and equipment.

5. Law Enforcement
a. Provide resources for: security of critical facilities to guard against criminal activity, road blocks and traffic control, mobile security/station security, search and rescue (SAR) actions, and evacuation assistance.

b. Serve as a secondary response team for local and state law enforcement officers should the situation worsen and warrant intervention during a prison riot situation. OHNG may also provide guards at the prison entrances, inmate intake entrances (sally ports), and at designated sites within the cell blocks if needed.

c. Provide street mission-capable units for riot control.

ESF-13 – Tab C – MCM Security Plan

a. Provide perimeter security and control site entry point at the RSS. RSS responders will be required to provide photo ID and must be identified on the site entry authorization list (EAL) or access will be denied.

b. Communicate any known security threats or status changes to the OSHP Liaison.

Terrorism Incident Response Annex

a. As needed, provide and support security measures at incident sites.

b. As needed, provide security and or transportation resources for the delivery and receipt of samples or specimens for laboratory testing.

Department of Administrative Services - Office of Information Technology (OIT)

ESF-2 – Tab B – Cyber Security Plan

a. Maintain communication with the ESF-2 Primary Agency (Ohio EMA) regarding overall planning, communication, and coordination.

b. Provide staff for State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC) activations.

c. Request and manage support agency assistance.

d. Provide resources and guidance to state/local/non-governmental organizations (NGO’s), and private sector stakeholders and partners.

e. Plan strategies to meet preparedness, response, and recovery objectives.
f. Develop a cyber-related resource manual, inclusive of key contacts for SLTT law enforcement cyber incident reporting, checklists, procedures, roles and responsibilities, and other job aids.

g. Develop reporting mechanisms/information flow charts to communicate cyber-related information to all state, local, tribal, and territorial agencies; cyber partners, tab contacts, stakeholders; and the private sector.


**Office of Budget and Management**

**Financial Accounting Support Annex**

a. Coordinate with Ohio EMA to determine the need and availability of state funds in response to an incident.

b. Upon activation of the State EOC, OBM will disseminate the memorandum provided by the Finance Section Chief to all state agency fiscal office contacts.

b. In the event of an emergency executive order, coordinate with the Office of the Governor, DAS, and Ohio EMA on expediting the procurement of response resources.

c. Coordinate with Ohio EMA and other state-level agencies regarding the State Controlling Board process for the release and transfer of funding.

**Ohio Attorney General's Office (AGO)**

**ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan**

a. Provide legal guidance to state agencies and departments concerning human infectious disease issues, including limitation on movement (e.g. quarantine orders), indemnification and human resource issues, as needed.

**ESF-10 – TAB A – REP Incident Plan**

a. The attorney general's office represents the various State of Ohio departments, commissions, boards, and department heads, state officers, and employees in any legal matters pertaining to the State of Ohio.
b. If specific legal questions arise with regard to any particular departments or agencies, that department or agency shall have the responsibility to contact its own Assistant Attorney General or in-house counsel who can more readily and efficiently handle questions for that department or agency.

**ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan**

a. Provide legal guidance and advice to state agencies and departments.

**ESF-13 – Law Enforcement**

a. Provide legal guidance and advice to state agencies and departments upon request.

b. Provide laboratory assistance for investigation and/or evidence analysis upon request, through the Bureau of Criminal Investigation and consistent with its statutory jurisdiction, Ch. 109. Ohio Revised Code.

**ESF-14 – Community Recovery and Mitigation**

1. Provide technical assistance with the Post Disaster Contractor Registration Program, designed to protect affected communities from contractors who try to take advantage of them following a disaster. Trigger mechanism: Local government must pass an ordinance requiring contractors to register before doing work in the affected area.

2. Investigate fraud associated with disaster assistance and assures consumer protection during emergency response and recovery.

**Ohio Auditor of State (AUD)**

**Financial Accounting Support Annex**

a. Provide support and guidance to state agencies and local auditors during an incident.

**Ohio Board of Embalmers and Funeral Directors (OBEFD)**

**ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

1. When faced with a fatality surge that stresses the capacity for carrying out cremations in a region or localized area, assist in the surveying of crematory facilities, embalming facilities, and funeral homes within or accessible to the impacted region, and assist in the determination of the maximum number of cremations that can be performed.

3. When faced with a fatality surge that stresses the capacity for carrying out cremations or other dispositions in a region or localized area, assist in the surveying of crematory
facilities, embalming facilities, and funeral homes to identify storage capacity, refrigeration, and number of hearses/vehicles available to transport bodies.

4. Assist in the identification, acquisition and/or provision of facilities that could serve the purpose of centralized temporary collection points/morgues in close proximity to dense populations where death rates are highest.

5. Assist in the drafting and delivery of public information statements regarding storage solutions, particularly regarding the employment of long-term temporary storage, stressing that remains will be placed in separate storage containers (body bags).

Ohio Board of Pharmacy (OBP)

ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management andDispensing Plan

a. Provide information and recommendations regarding pharmaceutical dispensing/administration issues, labeling and repackaging.
   
   i. In coordination with ODH, develop dispensing and vaccination sample protocols.
   ii. Coordinate messages for the pharmacy community in accordance with ESF-15 (Emergency Public Information and External Affairs).

b. Oversee repackaging of bulk antibiotics into smaller unit of use bottles, if necessary.

ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan

a. Provide recommendations to ODH concerning pharmaceutical issues.

Ohio Bureau of Workers’ Compensation (BWC)

ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan

a. Provide technical assistance and consultation on worker health and safety measures and precautions.

Ohio Department of Aging (ODAge)

ESF-6 – Mass Care

a. Advocate for the needs of older adults and their caregivers in the incident area.

b. Serve as liaison to the twelve Area Agencies on Aging (AAA) in Ohio, which may have the following roles in emergencies and disasters:
i. Coordinate with and support local aging service providers to support mass care needs and activities.
ii. Identify and address unmet needs among older adults and their caregivers.
iii. Contact clients who receive long-term support and services to determine if they are safe, are in need of evacuation and/or need assistance to remain in their homes.
iv. Ensure that relocated clients continue to receive needed long-term care support and services.

v. Participate in EOCs, DRCs and/or sheltering operations.
vi. Assist older adults and their caregivers in establishing their eligibility for disaster relief services and disaster assistance programs.

vii. Facilitate the Pre-Admission Review process for older adults that need to be temporarily relocated to long-term care facilities.

c. Regional Representatives of the Office of the State Long-Term Care Ombudsman

i. Communicate with first responders about support needs for consumers of long-term care of any age and in any location.
ii. Identify and assure that unmet needs are met.
iii. Follow displaced consumers to assure that they are able to return to their preferred home as soon as possible.
iv. Provide assistance to consumers with selecting alternative long-term services and supports as needed.

v. Assist individuals with recovery of personal property.

vi. Communicate with regulatory agencies and the State LTC Ombudsman.

d. Coordinate the access and use of data and information available from the Annual Statewide Survey of Long-Term Care Facilities (nursing homes and residential care facilities) and ODA’s Long-term Care Consumer Guide to support the identification of sheltering options and alternatives.

ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan

a. Provide guidance to nursing homes, assisted living, and other residential facilities on the development of communication plans that provide information about the well-being of residents to their families.

b. Post-incident, provide guidance to local response agencies on providing welfare checks.

c. Assist local response agencies in encouraging clients to register their status in the reunification system of record.

d. Assist with the coordination of aging-related operations associated with family reunification-centered mass care operations.
ESF-14 – Community Recovery and Mitigation

1. Identify funds, if available, and strategies to meet unmet needs and support delivery of long-term care supports and services.

2. Examine possible provision or redeployment of staff to support management and delivery of long-term care supports and services in the disaster area.

Ohio Department of Commerce (ODOC)

ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation

1. Division of Financial Institutions:
   a. Work with the regulated entities (state chartered banks, savings institutions and credit unions) to provide for office and branch relocations or the approval of temporary locations.

2. Division of Securities:
   a. Expedite an approval and/or registration process for securities transactions.

3. Division of Liquor Control:
   a. If the physical location of a business is destroyed, altered or is closed for more than thirty days, inspect the permit premises depending on the situation.

4. Division of Unclaimed Funds:
   a. Revise deadlines for money holders and finders and may be required to work with electronic reporting entities.

Ohio Department of Commerce, Ohio Bureau of Occupational Health and Safety (ODOC-OHS)

No agency-specific assignments of responsibility.
Ohio Department of Commerce - Division of Industrial Compliance (ODOC-IC)

ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works

a. Provide building inspectors as needed at the site of the emergency.
b. Provide information to Ohio EOC personnel on industries affected by the disaster.

ESF-10 – Oil, Gas and Hazardous Materials

General Response

a. The Division of Industrial Compliance and Labor’s will assist in protecting the public, the environment, and property as it relates to employed persons, places of employment, and buildings and establishments.
b. This protection could involve providing industrial hygienists for sampling and monitoring, however, industrial hygienists are not trained or equipped to provide these services in uncontrolled environments (i.e., outside of the industrial or workplace setting).
c. The Division will only become involved in restoration operations that are related to building codes and worker protection.

State EOC-Based Response

a. Provide information on hazardous materials from hardcopy and computer database sources.
b. Provide backup sample analysis capabilities through laboratory contracts.

Field-Based Response

a. Conduct field-based monitoring.
b. Provide basic sample analysis services.

ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation

a. Provide emergency building inspection services (structural, electrical, mechanical, plumbing) in an emergency or disaster response situation.
b. Assist with assessing damage to residential and commercial structures.
Ohio Department of Commerce, Division of Real Estate and Professional Licensing (ODOC/REPL)

ESF-8 – Tab D - Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

a. Assist in the identification and registration of additional burial sites in Ohio in response to mass fatality surge incidents.

ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

1. Assist in the identification and registration of additional burial sites in Ohio in response to mass fatality surge incidents.

ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation

a. Work with the real estate brokerage agencies to provide for office and branch relocations or the approval of temporary locations.

Ohio Department of Developmental Disabilities (DODD)

ESF-6 – Mass Care

a. Provide shelter to and address the needs of persons with developmental disabilities who reside in the State-run developmental centers, and assist in coordinating resources for unmet needs among the developmental disabilities population in the incident area.

b. Provide direction and support to for shelter-in-place, restriction of movement and sustenance sheltering operations.

c. Provide direction and support to local jurisdictions for the provision of services to institutionalized populations that need special considerations in sheltering and evacuation situations, including security, special housing needs, and other special needs.

ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan

a. Providing guidance and resources to support reunification services for people with access and functional needs, including people with disabilities and at-risk individuals.

ESF-8 – Public Health and Medical Services

a. Coordinate drinking water, waste disposal and environmental safety information with local health departments and ODH.

b. Provide a listing of laboratories offering microbiological, organic and inorganic analysis.
c. Supply personnel and materials to support mass fatality response and expanded mortuary services in impacted jurisdictions, including the set up and support of the State’s mobile morgue asset.

Ohio Department of Education (ODE)

ESF-6 – Mass Care

a. Coordinate and support local school districts and private schools involved in mass care operations.

b. Provide listings of schools that can be used for shelters or to support shelter activities to local sheltering organizations and emergency management officials when requested.

c. Coordinate and support local food preparation services involved in mass care operations.

d. Provide direction and support to local jurisdictions for shelter-in-place, restriction of movement, non-congregate and sustenance sheltering operations that result from pandemic and other incidents.

ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan

a. Assist local school districts, colleges and universities and individual educational institutions in developing and maintaining school emergency preparedness plans and processes that address lockdown procedures (to protect from imminent threats such as gunmen), shelter-in-place (to protect from the threat of contamination or weather events), evacuation, relocation, and reuniting of students with their parents, legal guardians, and families.

b. Assist local response agencies with resolution of Family Education Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) questions as they relate to family reunification.

ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Dispensing Plan

a. Coordinate and support local school districts and private schools involved in mass dispensing or mass prophylaxis operations in accordance with ESF-7 (Resource Support and Logistics) and ESF-15 (Emergency Public Information and External Affairs).

ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation

1. Advise the Chancellor and/or State Superintendent on issues of statewide importance affecting education.
2. Coordinate with educational institutions for the implementation of a comprehensive program of emergency assistance to those affected following a disaster.

3. In conjunction with DAS, assist educational institutions and other local public facilities in identifying temporary alternate locations.

4. Conduct damage assessments of educational institutions infrastructure to include buildings, grounds, transportation resources, etc.

**Ohio Department of Higher Education (ODHE)**

**ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation**

1. Advise the Chancellor and/or State Superintendent on issues of statewide importance affecting education.

2. Coordinate with educational institutions for the implementation of a comprehensive program of emergency assistance to those affected following a disaster.

3. In conjunction with DAS, assist educational institutions and other local public facilities in identifying temporary alternate locations.

4. Conduct damage assessments of educational institutions infrastructure to include buildings, grounds, transportation resources, etc.

**Ohio Department of Insurance (ODI)**

**ESF-10 – TAB A – REP Incident Plan**

a. Administer Ohio's insurance laws, licenses insurance companies and personnel.

b. Provide a representative to the State EOC to address public concerns regarding insurance.

c. If necessary, provide a representative to the affected area outside the RZ.

**ESF-14 – Community Recovery and Mitigation**

1. Investigate any complaints against insurance companies doing business in the state.

2. Assist in the administration of insurance programs following a disaster.

3. Provide information to individuals, governments and businesses on insured losses to assist with damage assessment, recovery and mitigation, for both immediate needs and long-term recovery.
4. Provide technical assistance and information to help Ohioans best understand their insurance coverage and navigate the insurance claim filing process.

5. Prompt insurance companies to quickly process claims and to be a catalyst in the recovery and rebuilding phases.

Ohio Department of Medicaid (ODM)

ESF-14 – Community Recovery and Mitigation

1. Provide access to and verification of medical coverage/pharmacy benefits in the event of disaster to assure verification of payment and to validate eligibility.

Ohio Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (Ohio MHAS)

ESF-6 – Mass Care

a. Provide shelter to and coordinate necessary activities to support regional hospital operations and to assure continued treatment and services.

b. Support community response as resources allow.

c. Coordinate and monitor state behavioral health activities to address survivor needs in coordination with local mental health boards.

d. Provide behavioral health clinical consultation services to State EOC staff.

e. Provide representatives to assist local mental health and/or joint Alcohol, Drug and Mental Health (ADAMH) Service Boards and Regional, County and Community Mental Health Centers in providing supportive services and treatment to incident survivors.

f. Provide temporary shelter in behavioral healthcare facilities as available.

g. In coordination with American Red Cross, ADAMH Service Boards, Community Behavioral Health providers, County EMAs, State agencies, community partners and local housing authorities identify shelter and emergency housing as available for persons receiving mental health, and or alcohol and drug addiction services in the incident area.

h. Provide direction and support or the provision of services to state hospital in-patient populations that need special considerations in sheltering and evacuation situations, including security, special housing needs, and other special needs. State hospitals will address locally
identified emergency needs to patients and as determined clinically appropriate to patient need in coordination with local boards and providers and families.

**ESF-6 – Tab B – Ohio Emergency Repatriation Plan**

1. Arrange for making mental health services available to repatriates.

**ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan**

a. Provide guidance to adult care facilities, and other department licensed residential facilities on communication plans, and providing information as allowed by state rules and regulations about the well-being of residents to families or others identified by impacted residents during family reunification-centered mass care operations.

b. Assist local behavioral health response agencies in encouraging clients to register their status in the reunification system of record.

c. Assist with the coordination of behavioral health-related services associated with family reunification-centered mass care operations.

**ESF-8 – Public Health and Medical Services**

a. Conduct assessments and monitor healthcare conditions in impacted communities, and where possible, determine where health problems could potentially occur.

b. Coordinate the acquisition and movement of healthcare supplies.

c. Assist with state emergency response to health and medical problems through the State EOC for assessment, response and recovery.

d. Conduct analysis of healthcare facilities data entered in the Surgenet platform.

e. As requested, provide situational reports of healthcare activity to healthcare leadership and state agencies.

f. Provide Crisis Communication assistance to hospitals through Regional Coordinators and other means.

g. Assist the American Red Cross as well as independent shelters in family reunification operations.

h. Assist with the coordination of the evacuation and sheltering-in-place of hospitals.

i. Support the continued delivery of healthcare to the community by impacted hospitals.

**ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Dispensing Plan**
a. Provide teams of behavioral health responders to address the needs of RSS responders and families.

b. Provide pharmacists to oversee pill repacking and labeling of state cache.

**ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious disease Incident Plan**

a. Coordinate and assist local behavioral health authorities to provide behavioral health support and services to victims, first responders, recovery workers, healthcare workers, families, children, organizations, and the community-at-large.

b. In collaboration with local behavioral health authorities assure appropriate level behavioral health interventions (e.g. crisis intervention, information and referral, debriefing, psycho-education, community outreach) are available and accessible to persons and communities that may be impacted.

c. In collaboration with behavioral health authorities provide disaster mental health communication materials and information to persons impacted, emergency response partners and the general public.

d. Provide resources and facilities, as available, and appropriate and necessary to support recovery operations.

e. In collaboration with local behavioral health authorities and community providers, assess behavioral health needs of first responders, emergency workers, recovery workers, victims, families and communities.

f. Coordinate with local behavioral health authorities to assess appropriate behavioral health interventions needed and provide resources as available to meet behavioral health needs of persons and communities impacted.

g. Provide culturally appropriate disaster behavioral health materials, risk communication, information and messages to bolster resiliency and provide psychological strength to persons and communities impacted.

**ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

a. If local resources are unable to adequately respond to need, assist in securing support services to local mental health and behavioral health boards.

b. Provide assistance, as able, for the acquisition and coordination of psychosocial teams to provide psychological aid to fatality management workers and families of victims at FACs and at the incident site.

c. If local resources are unable to adequately respond to need, assist in securing support services to local alcohol and drug addiction services agencies.
ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

1. If local resources are unable to adequately respond to need, assist in securing support services other mental health and behavioral health assistance providers.

2. Provide assistance for the acquisition and coordination of behavioral health teams to provide behavioral health support to fatality management workers and families of victims at FACs and at the incident site.

ESF-8 – Tab F – Mass Casualty and Medical Surge Plan

a. If local behavioral health resources of Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services (ADAMHS) Boards, Community Mental Health Services (CMHS) Boards and local behavioral health community provider entities are unable to adequately respond to incident-related needs, ODMH/AS will assist with the identification and coordination of resources to support impacted community behavioral health response to ongoing and acute service needs for mass casualty-producing event survivors and responders.

ESF-10 – Tab A – Radiological Emergency Preparedness (REP) Incident Response Plan

a. Provide a representative to the State EOC to coordinate mental health operations with the overall activities of the agency and the activities necessary to provide staff, supplies, and facilities to treat victims suffering from psychological distress resulting from the emergency.

b. If necessary, assist ODJFS in staffing and providing appropriate services to reception and care centers.

c. Assist in training staff on signs and symptoms of stress that may occur during crisis periods.

d. If necessary and available, provide access to facilities under direct control of the department for use as shelters, non-medical mass care centers, and as possible locations for temporary mobile shelters, as appropriate.

ESF-11 – Tab A - Animal Disease Incident Plan

a. Provide Critical Incident Stress Debriefing (CISD) teams and related mental health teams and personnel to address the specific issues faced by animal owners, responders and members of communities affected by the consequences of animal disease.

ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation

1. In collaboration with local behavioral boards, community providers, state hospitals and facilities, other state agencies and community partners, coordinate the activities and services
necessary to address behavioral health needs of persons impacted by the disaster event in the immediate aftermath and over the long-term.

2. Provide representatives and/or other resources to assist impacted local Mental Health and/or joint Alcohol, Drug Addiction and Mental Health Services Boards and behavioral health services providers in provision of supportive services and treatment to disaster survivors.

Ohio Department of Public Safety (ODPS)

ESF-6 – Tab C – Volunteer Management Plan

1. Provide the DPS-ERT to staff state-level VRCs or to support local-level volunteer management operations.

ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support

a. Provide personnel and equipment to manage and operate State Staging Areas, Mobilization Centers, State Receiving and Distribution Centers and State Warehouses.

b. Provide subject matter experts as needed for logistics management, EMAC, Receiving, Staging and Onward Movement and other logistics and ESF–7 operations.

ESF-7 – Tab A – Donations Management Support Plan

1. If needed, provide purchasing services in support of donations management operations.

ESF-10 – Tab A – REP Plan

a. Upon activation of the State EOC, the ODPS Legal representing the Ohio EMA shall be present to address legal questions that may arise.

Terrorism Incident Response Plan

1. Ohio Department of Public Safety, Division of Ohio Homeland Security, Statewide Terrorism Analysis & Crime Center (STACC)

   a. Coordinate information and intelligence between state, local and federal partners

   b. Expediously identify, process, analyze, evaluate and disseminate (as appropriate) threat information.

   c. Monitor, process, organize, analyze, evaluate, document, and disseminate appropriate incident related information, intelligence and data in a manner that allows it to be easily visualized and understood.
d. Support law enforcement information needs.

**Ohio Department of Public Safety – Bureau of Motor Vehicles (BMV)**

**ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support**

a. Provide a Donations Hotline Coordinator(s) and personnel for the Donations Management Hotline as needed.

**ESF-7 – Tab A – Donations Management Plan**

1. Provide Donations Hotline telephone operators and supervisors.

**Ohio Department of Public Safety - Division of Emergency Medical Services (OEMS)**

**ESF-8 – Public Health and Medical Services**

a. Provide information on the availability of emergency medical service resources on a statewide or area basis.

b. Manage the typing and tracking of emergency response resources in and via the ERS.

c. Coordinate and facilitate the dissemination of information with ESF-8’s Primary Agency through the State EOC.

d. Coordinate and facilitate the dissemination of information to local response organizations regarding resource requests through regional and county ERS coordinators.

e. Provide data, information and feedback to the State EOC for the purposes of generating status reports and after-action reports.

f. During emergency operations, acquire reports pertaining to casualties, injuries, damages and evacuations from fire and rescue organizations, and provide them to the State EOC.

**ESF-8 – Tab B - CHEMPACK Plan**

1. Assist in the development, instruction, and distribution of educational materials to enhance the recognition of nerve agent events and awareness of available CHEMPACK resources among first responders and healthcare personnel.

2. Develop, and as needed, revise statewide treatment protocols for Emergency Medical
Systems and hospitals.

**ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan**

a. Assist in identifying and arranging for transportation of infectious individuals.

b. Disseminate guidance on infection control practices to local EMS agencies and providers, including but not limited to, guidance on disinfection/decontamination and personal protective equipment.

**ESF-11 – Tab C – Dangerous Wild Animal Response Plan**

a. Provide subject matter expertise on matters related to emergency medical services.

b. In conjunction with the Ohio Fire Response Plan and SFM, assist with the coordination of EMS response, including, but not limited to the identification of available resources, matching resource requests with available resources, and providing information to ensure EMS provider safety.

**Ohio Department of Public Safety - Ohio Homeland Security (OHS)**

**ESF-2 – Tab B – Cyber Security Plan**

a. Provide intelligence support to DAS/OIT during the incident.

b. Coordinate tracking down information from divergent sources.

c. Provide a clear picture of the incident, attackers, and second-order effects, in support of the response effort.

d. Handle tips that come in through their suspicious activity reporting line.

**ESF-6 – Tab C – Volunteer Management Plan**

1. Coordinate the credentialing of members of the Ohio Public Private Partnership (OP3) through the EPCS system.

2. Activate the EPCS system based on criteria thresholds and maintain coordination with state partners.

**ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support**

a. Assist public and private sector entities with returning to normal operations in the wake of a disaster by sharing critical information with OP3 members.
b. Provide situational awareness of imminent threats on a need to know basis through voluntary information sharing between OP3 members

c. Build and support a comprehensive network of businesses, associations, and state agencies to jointly participate in disaster prevention, planning, response, and recovery efforts.

d. Utilize the Homeland Security Information Network (HSIN) to securely share homeland security information with partnership members.

e. Support the Emergency Partner Credentialing System (EPCS), a credentialing system that allows OP3 private sector partners to access disaster scenes easier.

**ESF-8 – Tab B – CHEMPACK Plan**

1. Maintain the OSHP HUB/Columbus Communication Center’s Contact Information Management Systems (CIMS) 24/7/365 Points of Contact roster and site location of all CHEMPACK assets.

2. Annually, test all emergency CHEMPACK POC contact numbers.

**ESF-10 – TAB A – REP Incident Plan**

a. Coordinate the effort to enhance the protection of critical infrastructure and key resources in Ohio, including activities of state and local government agencies’ to enhance security at nuclear power plants, and to provide notification of credible threats against these power plants when information becomes available.

b. Provide assistance or a representative to the State EOC if DBNPS, BVPS, or PNPP declares any stage of Emergency Classification Level (ECL) resulting from a credible threat against that power plant (ECL level typically an Unusual Event), or declares any higher ECL resulting from a suspected or direct act of terror or sabotage on the affected nuclear power plant.

c. Provide leadership and expertise in the Executive Group of the State EOC, for any act requiring DBNPS, BVPS, or PNPP to declare an ECL of Alert or higher resulting from:

i. An actual or suspected act of sabotage or terror attack on the plant.

ii. A site-specific credible threat of imminent attack within the Protected Area of an affected nuclear power plant.

iii. Any actual or suspected credible threat affecting security.

iv. Any more severe level of threat or attack requiring a higher ECL in accordance with the respective nuclear power plant’s emergency notification plan/procedures.

**ESF-13 – Law Enforcement**

a. Coordinate the implementation of the LERP
b. Operate the Strategic Analysis Information Center in an extended capacity, as the situation dictates.

c. Coordinate information and intelligence exchange between state, local and federal partners

d. Identify, process, analyze, evaluate and disseminate, as appropriate, threat information.

e. Monitor, process, organize, analyze, evaluate, document, and disseminate appropriate incident-related information, intelligence, and data.

f. Provide for the support of law enforcement information needs.

**Terrorism Incident Response Annex**

1. Ohio Department of Public Safety, Division of Ohio Homeland Security, Statewide Terrorism Analysis & Crime Center (STACC)
   
a. Coordinate information and intelligence between state, local and federal partners

b. Expeditiously identify, process, analyze, evaluate and disseminate (as appropriate) threat information.

c. Monitor, process, organize, analyze, evaluate, document, and disseminate appropriate incident-related information, intelligence and data in a manner that allows it to be easily visualized and understood.

d. Support law enforcement information needs.

**Ohio Department of Rehabilitation and Correction (ODRC)**

**ESF-1 – Transportation**

a. As required, and as resources are available, provide transportation equipment and personnel to assist in the transportation of equipment and supplies.

b. As required, and as resources are available and permitted for use, provide transportation equipment and personnel to assist in the transportation of evacuated persons.

**ESF-1 – Tab B – Medical Countermeasure Transportation and Distribution Plan**

1. Maintain a list of ODRC pre-designated distribution resources to include semi-tractors, trailers and other covered delivery vehicles with drivers and supplemental security personnel; and share with ODOT as needed.
2. Communicate delivery and transportation status to the RSS.
   a. Ensure all drivers obtain sign off at the time of delivery by the designated local recipient at the RDSs, CDSs, and/or PODs and treatment centers.
   b. A copy of the signed Master Bill of Lading/Bill of Lading (BOL) (chain of custody) will be left with the local recipient and the driver will return the original BOL to the RSS.

**ESF-2 – Communications and Information Technology**

a. Maintain communications systems within all prisons throughout Ohio.

b. Deploy communications equipment to supplement emergency needs as required.

c. Provide technical support for ESF-2 as needed.

**ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works**

a. Provide prison work crews to serve as manpower labor for debris removal and other manual labor emergency-related activities.

b. Provide equipment in the form of backhoes, shovels, wheelbarrows, tractors, rakes, power tools, axes, power saws and other manual labor tools.

**ESF-3 – Tab B – Water Retention Structure Incident Response Plan**

1. Assist in the relocation of prisoners who are located in the inundation area.

2. Assist local governments with prisoner transport.

**ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support**

a. Provide facilities that can be used as State Mobilization Centers, State Receiving and Distribution Centers, State Staging Areas and State Warehouses.

b. Provide personnel to assist with staffing of State Mobilization Centers, State Receiving and Distribution Center, State Staging Areas and State Warehouses as needed.

c. Provide subject matter experts as needed for logistics management, EMAC, Receiving, Staging and Onward Movement and other logistics and ESF–7 operations.

**ESF-7 – Tab B – Potable Water Procurement and Distribution Plan**

a. Assist in the transportation and delivery of bottled water from established collection sites to predetermined distribution sites in the area of operations.
b. Assist in distribution and delivery operations to impacted populations.

**ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Dispensing Plan**

a. Provide semi-tractors, trailers and other covered delivery vehicles with drivers for distribution of MCMs from the RSS to other sites as needed, i.e. resource support in accordance with ESF-1 (Transportation).

b. Provide security at ODRC sites and support transportation security in coordination with ODOT, OHNG and OSHP in accordance with ESF-1 (Transportation).

**ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan**

a. Provide personnel throughout the emergency as requested by ODA-AH (i.e. cleaning and disinfection, disposal)

b. Provide decontamination service teams, and personal protective equipment.

c. Provide special HAZMAT response teams as able and as appropriate.

d. Assist in the movement of state resources during animal disease emergencies.

**ESF-11 – Tab B – Corrections Facility/Prison Support Plan**

**ESF-13 – Tab C – MCM Security Plan**

c. If needed, provide additional support for MCM transportation security services.

i. MCM transportation security from the RSS to the RDSs, CDSs, PODs and hospital/treatment centers will be coordinated by OSHP, with assistance from uniformed ODRC security personnel, as needed.

ii. Once delivery has been made at the local RDSs, CDS, POD, or hospital/treatment center, security responsibilities will be transferred to local law enforcement agencies.

**Ohio Department of Taxation (TAX)**

No agency-specific assignments of responsibility.

**Ohio Department of Veteran’s Services (ODVS)**

**ESF-6 – Mass Care**

a. In incident response, provide overnight shelter services and food and water to 100+ persons for up to a week.
Ohio Department of Youth Services (ODYS)

ESF-13 – Tab B – Correction/Prison Facility Support Plan

1. Provide security personnel to assist with conducting population counts, conducting area and offender searches, handcuffing and securing inmates, transporting inmates and conducting perimeter security measures.

Ohio Development Services Agency (ODSA)

ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works

a. Coordinate with private contractors and identify federal, state, and local programs that can be used to support ESF-3 assessment, response, and recovery operations.

ESF-6 – Mass Care

a. Assist with the identification of available housing in communities impacted by an incident and coordinate referrals of incident victims to appropriate emergency housing to meet short and long-term needs.

b. Upon request by Ohio EMA, assist with the identification of available housing in communities affected by emergencies and provide referrals to incident victims for housing and related services.

c. Maintain support to persons in emergency shelters and temporary housing through local Community Action Agencies and other non-profit agencies.

ESF-12 – Energy

a. Facilitate communications with Community Action Agencies (CAA) at disaster sites to determine the following:

   i. Number of households requiring energy assistance
   ii. Types of energy assistance needed by disaster victims.
   iii. Deficiencies in local energy programs and capabilities that could be addressed by state or federal assistance.

ESF-14 – Community Recovery and Mitigation

a. ODSA’s can assist with long-term recovery from a disaster, primarily in the areas of infrastructure and housing.
b. Following disasters, ODSA works with communities to amend or extend current grants in order to meet the needs of the citizens in the affected area.

c. The majority of ODSA’s funds are to assist low- and moderate-income residents in the areas of home repairs, rehabilitation, new construction, rental assistance, assistance with monthly payments, utility tap-ins, financial counseling and other eligible activities after the initial state or federal (FEMA) assistance has been provided.

d. ODSA also supports networks of local partners who can provide support to private businesses after a disaster and administers a variety of tax incentive programs that may be able to support economic recovery.

e. Maintain and update inventory of the programs offered by the community action agencies in the state that could be called upon to provide direct service or technical assistance at the site.

f. Assist with the identification of available housing in communities impacted by a disaster and coordinate referrals of disaster survivors to appropriate emergency housing to meet short and long-term needs.

g. Coordinate for long-term recovery assistance for individuals, businesses and governments.

h. Process applications and coordinate with Ohio EMA concerning the use of Community Development Block Grants (CDBG) and other state/federal disaster assistance programs.

Ohio Housing Finance Agency (OHFA)

ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works

a. Provide technical assistance in support of ESF-3 response and recovery operations.

b. Provide staff resources through field offices to conduct housing damage assessments.

c. Provide staff resources for staffing of Disaster Recovery Centers

ESF14 – Recovery and Mitigation

1. Provide staff resources to work with owners of OHFA-funded properties in a disaster area to assess the damage to the property and help determine if the property is no longer habitable. Work with the owners to develop action plans to repair the property and relocate residents on a temporary or permanent basis.

2. Work with various housing partners to identify housing needs and available housing resources for a specific disaster area.
3. Maintain a free website to the general public, called Ohio Housing Locator, which provides information about affordable, accessible, rental housing in Ohio. Web-users can search by location, cost and features.

4. Assist the Ohio EMA, local governments, housing authorities, HUD and FEMA (if applicable) with the coordination of interim housing activities and the return of disaster survivors to permanent housing.

5. To facilitate the identification of temporary housing, coordinate the identification of available rental units using the Agency’s Constant Contact mailing list, social media, and the Ohio Housing Locator.

Ohio State Independent Living Council (SILC)

ESF-6 – Mass Care

a. Address the shelter and mass care needs of persons with disabilities who must be relocated to emergency shelters and temporary housing.

b. Provide direction and support to local jurisdictions for shelter-in-place, restriction of movement and sustenance sheltering operations.

c. Provide direction and support to local jurisdictions for the provision of services to institutionalized populations that need special considerations in sheltering and evacuation situations, including security, special housing needs, and other special needs.

Ohio State University College of Veterinary Medicine (OSU-CVM)

ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan

a. Assist in providing veterinary personnel throughout the emergency as requested by ODA-AH (i.e. surveillance, euthanasia, quarantine).

b. Provide, as able, bio-security and personal protective equipment training to personnel designated for operations in the affected area based upon training provided by ODA-AH and USDA-APHIS-VS.
Ohio Treasurer of State (TOS)

Financial Accounting Support Annex

a. In coordination with Ohio EMA, serve as the liaison to financial institutions and local and state jurisdictions during an incident.

b. Provide support and guidance to state agencies and local jurisdictions.

State Climate Office of Ohio (SCOO)

Drought Incident Response Annex

a. Assist with OSU Extension and the College of Food, Agricultural and Environmental Sciences (CFAES) to communicate with local farmers at the county level. Gather and organize reports from OSU Extension and the CFAES that indicate the near real time state of drought around Ohio. This will include improving an intercomparable (potentially instrumented) network of soil moisture conditions.

b. Archive historical climate and drought data to inform comparative analyses with actual conditions. Provide research and reports related to statewide drought conditions and durations.

c. Participate in communication of drought conditions in Ohio to regional and national drought monitoring entities (e.g. National Drought Monitor)

d. Reinforce public education and communication efforts initiated by Ohio EMA.

State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO)

ESF-14 – Community Recovery and Mitigation

1. Identify Historic Properties. Historic Properties are defined as listed in, or eligible for listing in, the National Register of Historic Places.

2. Consult on effect to Historic Properties by proposed federally-assisted projects.


4. Provide qualified historic preservation personnel (must meet the Secretary of Interior’s Professional Qualification Standards for the appropriate discipline) to serve on Damage Assessment and Damage Survey teams.
5. Provide technical advice to affected jurisdictions regarding damage to Historic Properties.

The Ohio State University- Extension Office (OSU-EXT)

ESF-11 – Food and Agriculture

a. Ensure that personnel are assigned to affected communities’ extension offices throughout an emergency.

b. Maintain daily communications with each affected extension office.

c. Set up mail distribution lists for affected counties.

d. Inform appropriate State and Federal organizations of emergency information received from the counties.

e. Assist in the distribution of JIC-created emergency public information messages.

f. Provide personnel and material support to affected communities when required.

g. Activate network of State Specialists if needed for information gathering from national or international agricultural information networks.

ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan

a. Provide education and communications to veterinarians and the public throughout the emergency in coordination with the Joint Information Center (JIC).

b. The OSUE, in cooperation with ODA-AH, may act as representatives in local EOCs.

c. Assist in providing bio-security and personal protective equipment training to personnel designated for operations in the affected area based upon training provided by ODA-AH and USDA-APHIS-VS.

Drought Incident Response Annex

a. Coordinate with County Extension Agents for local drought response activities.

b. Provide reports to the DAC on drought notifications and conditions in counties.

c. Assist in distributing drought-related Emergency Public Information (EPI).
Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)

ESF-10 – Tab A – REP Plan
a. Restrict air traffic within a ten-mile radius of the affected area when requested by Ohio EMA.

ESF-13 – Tab B – Correction Facility-Prison Support Plan

1. Track aircraft and aircraft communications in the event of an aircraft escape or attempt.

2. Establish flight restrictions in the air space over prisons.

Federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms (ATF)

ESF-13 – Tab B – Correction Facility-Prison Support Plan

1. Provide assistance in response to incidents of the illegal use and trafficking of firearms, the illegal use and storage of explosives, acts of arson and bombings, acts of terrorism, and the illegal diversion of alcohol and tobacco products.

Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI)

ESF-13 – Tab B – Correction Facility-Prison Support Plan

1. Provide technical assistance and intelligence gathering devices and technology for Command Post Operations.

2. Provide other assistance and resources as available.

National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA)

ESF-10 – Tab A – REP Plan

a. Upon request, the NOAA National Weather Service, via NOAA weather radio, will instruct the public to refer to an EAS station for emergency information. In addition, the NWS shall provide weather information upon request to responding Federal, state or local agencies.
National Weather Service (NWS)

ESF-2 – Tab A – Warning Plan

1. In cooperation with the Ohio Emergency Management Agency, support the dissemination of emergency weather information to and from local weather service offices through the NOAA Weather Radio System.

2. Through Weather Service Offices in Cleveland, Ohio; Wilmington, Ohio; Pittsburgh PA; Northwestern Indiana; and Charleston, W.V., initiate early action suggestions for counties that come under the jurisdiction of the WSFOs to allow responders to follow the progress of radar-observed events.

Drought Incident Response Annex

a. Provide research and reports on local weather patterns and forecasts to support drought-related planning and response activities.

U.S. Army Corps of Engineers (USACE)

ESF-3 – Tab C – Water Retention Structure Incident Response Plan

1. Following a failure of a Corps project structure, conduct evaluations of federal dam and levee conditions, related potential or actual damages, and determine improvement methods.

2. Patrol lakes and recreational areas to prevent access downstream from failed federal dams or levees.

3. Assist in determining when it is safe for re-entry into flooded or threatened areas.

Drought Incident Response Annex

a. Coordinate the development of drought plans and procedures for lakes, dams, etc. within the State of Ohio with DNR and Ohio EMA.

b. Provide information/reports to the DAC.

c. Coordinate USACE drought-related activities with DAC and affected Ohio localities.

d. Construct wells and transport water to ranchers, farmers and political subdivisions for human and livestock consumption.

e. Sell supplies of water from USACE reservoirs during emergencies as available
U.S. Coast Guard (USCG)

ESF-10 – Tab A – REP Plan

a. Upon request, broadcast an emergency notice to mariners. In addition to broadcasting the notice to mariners, the Ninth District USCG stations will provide available resources (e.g., vessels, aircraft, and personnel) to notify boaters on Lake Erie and to evacuate them, if necessary.

U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA)

ESF-10 – Tab A – REP Plan

a. Through the Farm Service Agency (FSA), assist the ODA in decision making, information gathering, and recommendations concerning agricultural activities.

b. Through OSU-EXT, communicate advisories regarding food and agriculture safety to Extension agents in affected ingestion pathway zone counties.

c. FSA and OSU-EXT will provide representatives to the SEOC to serve as support agencies for the ODA in communicating with local level food producers and in determining embargos of food products.

U.S. Department of Agriculture - Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service (USDA-APHIS)

ESF-11 – Tab B – Ohio National Veterinary Stockpile Plan

a. Pre-Incident
   i. Collaborate with ODA to plan potential ICS organizational structures and provide training and exercises that support logistics readiness.

   ii. Collaborate with ODA to define processes to request vaccines following APHIS approval of the State’s vaccination plan during an event.

b. Incident Response
   i. Establish a unified command with the AD and delegate authority to an incident commander.

   ii. Collaborate with ODA to determine the incident complexity and the resources the State has available to respond to an outbreak.

   iii. Determine the complexity of an incident in conjunction with the SAHO, resources the incident response requires and those the State has available, and the need to request NVS countermeasures.
iv. Coordinate with the ADD and SAHO to quickly request NVS countermeasures so they are received before the depletion of the State’s resources.

v. Provide resources such as equipment, supplies, and personnel to support incident command and RDC operations.

vi. Report the status of resource support.

c. Incident Command – USDA/APHIS and ODA Shared Response

a. The logistics section chief

i. Activate RDC facilities and staff.

ii. Delegate authority to an SPUL to receive, store, control, issue, and stage resources from the NVS and other sources.

iii. Delegate authority to a ground support unit leader to dispatch and deliver resources to incident sites.

iv. Deactivate RDC facilities and debriefs staff at the end of an incident.

b. The supply unit leader

i. Receive, store, control, issue and stage RDC inventory.

ii. Process requests for NVS and other resources from responders and issues the resources.

iii. Properly dispose of unusable vaccines, antivirals, and other items.

iv. Recover unused and reusable NVS items, packs them, and coordinates their return to NVS distribution facilities with the NVS MLT.

c. The plans section chief

i. Identify the need for additional personnel and equipment.

ii. Request 3D Response Support Services from the NVS (MLT on site or DMT at APHIS headquarters).

iii. Collaborate with NVS DMT to develop a scope of work for the support.

iv. Assign NVS 3D contractors to the operations section when they arrive.

d. The Operations Section Chief

i. Assign tasks to NVS 3D contractors, which act as self-sufficient task forces, in accordance with the SOW.

ii. Designate a federal person as task force leader to oversee the actions of NVS contractors. Provide status reports on NVS 3D contractors to the incident commander.

iii. The Operations Section will be responsible for developing C and D procedures and for ensuring that field sites understand and comply with procedures for supplies and equipment to a state warehouse or NVS facility.
U.S. Department of Agriculture – Farm Service Agency (FSA)

Drought Incident Response Annex

a. Implement federal drought assistance programs as requested.

b. Coordinate reports from Food and Agricultural Councils with the Drought Assessment Committee

c. Provide assessments of drought damage.

d. Coordinate requests for drought-related Presidential Declaration of Agricultural Emergency.

e. Administer drought-related federal relief in coordination with the Ohio Department of Agriculture.

U.S. Department of Agriculture - Forest Service (USDA-FSA)

ESF-4 – Firefighting

a. Provide fire protection within Wayne National Forest and adjacent private lands.

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services- Centers for Disease Control (CDC)

ESF-8 – Tab B – CHEMPACK Plan

1. Retain ownership of all CHEMPACK materiel to ensure the integrity of the pharmaceuticals for the SLEP, until or unless CHEMPACK assets are used.

2. Provide resources and assets required to sample, restock, re-label, and dispose of non-waste CHEMPACK materiel subject to the SLEP.

3. Monitor and conduct periodic quality assurance and quality control (QA/QC) inspections to verify inventory, storage conditions and security of CHEMPACK materiel.

4. Provide resources and assets required to perform surveillance and QA/QC of CHEMPACK assets over the life of the Program.

5. Conduct, in coordination with the State of Ohio, re-inspection and re-inventory following a report of unauthorized access.
U.S. Department of the Interior (USDI)

ESF-10 – Tab A – REP Plan

a. The USDOI refuge manager, after receiving notification from the state, will ensure that appropriate actions are taken to notify and evacuate the public and staff at the Ottawa National Wildlife Refuge Complex near DBNPS.
NON-GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES
Ohio Amateur Radio (OAR)

ESF-2 – Communications and Information Technology

a. Provide a parallel communications network operated by qualified and licensed radio amateurs.

b. Provide radio communications between localities within the state, with adjacent states and the Ohio EOC.

ESF-6 – Tab C – Volunteer Management Plan

1. Provide and/or assist with communication resources for local- and state-level volunteer management operations

ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan

a. Provide and/or support emergency communications services to emergency management officials during disasters in support of family reunification activities.

ESF-10 – Tab A – REP Plan

a. Provide communications support at EOCs, at reception and care centers and on the highways, as needed.

American Red Cross (ARC)

ESF-3 – Tab C – Water Retention Structure Incident Response Plan

1. Assist in the identification of shelters and develop plans to support shelter and mass feeding operations as the result of a failure at any dam or levee in Ohio.

ESF-6 – Mass Care

a. Open and staff shelters in response to local needs.

b. Provide ARC information releases to the Joint Information Center.

c. Coordinate and provide on-site feeding, mobile feeding and snacks to incident survivors and responders with assistance from The Salvation Army.

d. Provide first aid and related health services to sheltered survivors and survivors at incident sites.

e. Distribute appropriate bulk materials for disaster relief.
f. Provide Disaster Welfare Information (DWI) services when requested.

g. Support the operation of local shelters that are established to provide mass care services to the survivors of both in-state and out-of-state incidents, in response to both man-made and natural incidents.

h. Support for mass care operations in response to catastrophic events both inside and outside the State of Ohio that necessitate the evacuation and sheltering of large populations for extended periods of time.

i. Assist in the planning for the support of local sustenance sheltering.

j. Support consistent mass care standards and sheltering training across the state.

k. Support the provision of services to respond to the medical and functional needs of shelter residents while maintaining family unity.

l. Provide support and coordination for the evacuation of large populations to destination shelters due to both man-made and natural incidents.

ESF-6 – Tab B – Emergency Repatriation Plan

1. Assist in the temporary care and processing of evacuees as requested by the State in accordance with the National Memorandum between HHS and ARC.

2. Manage and provide guides at in-state ports of entry to assist repatriates in moving through in-state ports of entry and locating services.

3. At the request of ODJFS, assist with provision of ERC-based childcare services by activating agreements with voluntary organizations that specialize in this service.

4. Arrange for temporary lodging as necessary and requested.

5. Provide personal comfort and hygiene items as available (toiletries, blankets, diapers.)

6. Provide food, snacks and drinks for repatriates and ERC workers.

7. Support basic first aid service provision.

8. Support repatriate and repatriation staff worker counseling in coordination with ODJFS.

9. Provide emergency communications and family reunification assistance through the Red Cross Disaster Family Welfare Inquiry System.

10. Provide access for military personnel to emergency messaging and financial assistance.
11. Provide direct assistance to families with verified event-caused needs who are ineligible for standard government assistance.

12. Support, within the bounds of existing agreements, the provision of relief efforts by other volunteer organization actively engaged in providing other relief assistance to repatriates.

**ESF-6 – Tab C – Volunteer Management Support Plan**

1. Assist VRCs by providing trained staffing volunteers.
2. Notify the State EOC of volunteer needs.

**ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan**

2. Operate and administer the “Safe and Well” family reunification system.
3. Provide staff to assist with local reunification operations and Emergency Welfare Inquiries and Safe and Well Information Field Teams (SWIFT).

**ESF-8 – Public Health and Medical Services**

a. Coordinate with state agencies regarding health and mental health issues in shelters, service centers, outreach teams, emergency assistance teams (EAS) and integrated care teams (ICT).

b. Provide emergency first aid and preventative health services to people affected by disasters in shelters, service centers, outreach teams, ITCs, and Emergency Aid Centers in designated safe zones.

c. Observe persons in shelters for signs/symptoms of possible exposure to any known contaminants during a hazardous materials or weapons of mass destruction (WMD) event and ensure they receive proper medical care.

d. Distribute public health/mental health information to persons affected by disasters.

e. Ensure the provision of blood and blood products to persons affected by disasters.

f. Provide health services and mental health support at family reception centers and respite centers in designated safe zones.

g. Assist people affected by disasters by facilitating connections with public health, medical and mental health agencies to coordinate services in ARC shelters, service centers, emergency aid stations, and on outreach teams.
ESF-8 – Tab A – Medical Countermeasure Management and Dispensing Plan

a. Provide support for MCM responders, as available, including food, shelter and other needs consistent with ARC’s roles in ESF-6 and ESF-8 at the RSS in coordination with ESF-7 (Resource Support and Logistics).

ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan

a. Provide emergency first aid, supportive counseling, health care for minor illnesses and injuries to human infectious disease emergency victims in mass shelters and other sites deemed necessary by the primary agency.

b. Assist community health personnel subject to the availability of staff.

c. Provide supportive counseling for the family members of the dead and injured.

ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

a. Assist appropriate agencies in interviewing and otherwise assisting families of the deceased at FACs.

b. Provide, as able, psychosocial mental health and spiritual care teams to provide psychological aid to fatality management workers and families of victims at FACs and at the incident site.

c. Under the direction of, and in cooperation with the Coroner/ME, assist in efforts to maintain a secure, comfortable location for the collection of information on the deceased to assist in their identification and for the provision of comforting services to families of the deceased at FACs.

d. If local resources are unable to adequately respond to need, assist in providing disaster mental health support services to victims’ families.

e. In the event of an Aviation Disaster, the Federal Family Assistance Plan for Aviation Disasters assigns Victim Support Task 3 (VST-3) - Family Care and Mental Health to the American Red Cross. The family care and mental health components include all support services that could help survivors, family members and response workers deal with trauma and activities that occur following a disaster.

ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

1. Assist appropriate agencies in interviewing and otherwise assisting families of the deceased at FACs.

2. Provide, as able, behavioral health and spiritual care teams to provide psychological aid to
fatality management workers and families of victims at FACs and at the incident site.

3. Under the direction of, and in cooperation with the C/ME, assist in efforts to maintain a secure, comfortable location for the collection of information on the deceased to assist in their identification and for the provision of comforting services to families of the deceased at FACs.

4. If local resources are unable to adequately respond to need, assist in providing disaster mental health support services to victims’ families.

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**ESF-10 – Tab A – REP Plan**

a. Conduct mass care shelter and feeding operations in designated care centers.

b. ARC operations may include:

   i. Registration of evacuees who elect to go to mass care centers to maintain a census at all times of the individuals and families who remain there.
   ii. Providing food and bedding.
   iii. Emergency medical treatment (first aid station).
   iv. Recreation services during extended activation.
   v. Liaison representatives to state and county EOCs and reception centers.

c. County ARC directors will coordinate their activities and needs with regional chapter directors or the national organization. Authority to perform these functions is granted under U.S. Public Law 4 and the Disaster Relief Act of 1974. A statement of understanding also exists between FEMA and the ARC.

**ESF-13 – Tab B – Correction Facility-Prison Support Plan**

1. Provide, as able, short-term sheltering, emergency first aid, feeding, and other mass care support services at an ODRC onsite location, or at a nearby, offsite location, for ODRC and other emergency response personnel until arrangements for state supported services can be made. Sheltering and/or feeding may also be provided for community residents evacuated as a result of the incident.

2. The American Red Cross may, if requested and available, provide cots and/or blankets for temporary offender relocation housing, but will not provide any staffing or management for such offender related facilities.
**ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation**

1.  
   a. Provide Community Recovery Strategy Development: Provide leadership, technical assistance, preparedness and resiliency information to the overall recovery efforts in affected communities.  
   
   b. Provide Casework/Recovery Planning: Provide assistance to families and individuals in developing recovery plans, accessing the full range of community and government resources, advocacy and problem solving.  
   
   c. Provide Direct Client Assistance: Where and when there is no federal declaration for Individual Assistance or when such declaration will be delayed, provide financial assistance. Even in the event of a federal declaration, financial assistance may be provided for undocumented individuals or others ineligible for Individual Assistance.  
   
   d. Provide Preparedness Information: Distribute safety and preparedness information in affected and adjacent communities to reduce post-disaster deaths and injuries and to inform people near the affected area.  

2. When resources allow, the American Red Cross will provide, in order of priority:  

   a. Additional financial assistance: Provide resources when such expenditures will allow for the completion of family or individual recovery (e.g. health, mental health, housing/building and repair, occupational supplies, etc.).  
   
   b. Partner and Interagency Support: Provide technologies such as interagency case management systems, material support, grants, and negotiated expenses to facilitate the work of the community partners.  
   
   c. Community Preparedness and Resilience Building: Build community resilience through disaster preparedness and capacity building to respond to future events.  

**Buckeye State Sheriffs’ Association (BSSA)**

**ESF-11 – Tab C – Dangerous Wild Animal Response Plan**

a. Encourage the development of memorandums of understanding (MOU) and mutual aid agreements (MAA) among sheriff’s offices in Ohio.
Ohio Association of Chiefs of Police (OACP)

ESF-11 – Tab C – Dangerous Wild Animal Response Plan

a. Encourage the development of MOUs and MOAs among police departments in Ohio.

Ohio Fire Chiefs' Association (OFCA)

ESF-4 – Firefighting

a. Provide information on the availability of fire-fighting equipment on a statewide or area basis.

b. Manage the typing and tracking of emergency response resources in and via the ERS.

c. Coordinate and facilitate the dissemination of information with ESF-4’s Primary Agency through the State EOC.

d. Coordinate and facilitate the dissemination of information to local response organizations regarding resource requests through the regional and county ERS coordinators.

e. Provide data, information and feedback to the State EOC for the purposes of generating status reports and after-action reports.

f. During emergency operations, assist the primary agency with acquiring reports pertaining to casualties, injuries, damages and evacuations from fire and rescue organizations, and provide them to the State EOC.

ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan


b. Track and report on resource availability through the Emergency Response System.

ESF-11 – Tab C – Dangerous Wild Animal Response Plan

a. Encourage the development of MOUs and MAAs among fire departments in Ohio.
Ohio Hospital Association (OHA)

ESF-8 – Public Health and Medical Services

a. Assist with the activation of the Ohio Fire Chiefs’ Association Emergency Response Plan.

b. Assist in providing resources to local fire-based EMS.

c. Provide services to assist local organizations in providing for the emergency needs of developmentally disabled emergency victims.

ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

a. Monitor, facilitate, and support communication between hospitals and other mass fatality support operations agencies and sites.

b. Support the use of the EDRS among local Health Commissioners, Medical Directors hospitals and Institutional Agency Medical Directors.

c. Monitor and report on hospital morgue space.

Ohio State Coroners/Medical Examiners Association (OSCA)

ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

a. When necessary, assist in arranging for additional resources to assist C/MEs with the investigation of deaths that are not due to natural causes or that do not occur in the presence of an attending physician, performing autopsies to determine the cause of death, performing forensic investigations to identify unidentified bodies, and removing human remains from incident sites.

b. In coordination with, and at the direction of the C/ME, assist in arranging for additional resources to coordinate the release of human remains and personal effects to the next of kin or their representative.

c. When family and others are not available to decide on the disposition of the deceased, and where the burial system cannot keep up with the demand for burial of the deceased, use temporary storage for the deceased, assist in the identification of resources to assist C/ME with the logistics for temporary storage of human remains.

g. As needed, provide assistance to ensure that proper victim identification forms are used and that ante-mortem interviews are completed using the proper VIP forms at FACs.
ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

1. Assist individual C/MEs by identifying backup resources for collecting, identifying and processing human remains.

3. Promote and facilitate communication between C/MEs during a mass fatalities incident.

Ohio Facilities Construction Commission (OFCC)

ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation

1. OFCC has several policies that assist state agencies and K-12 public schools with reconstruction of facilities in the event of an emergency.

2. The director of OFCC has the authority to exempt a construction project from competitive bidding in the case of emergency or extreme exigency.

3. Under the School Building Emergency Assistance Program, the Commission is authorized to distribute state assistance to school districts for emergency facility projects due to an Act of God.

4. The law defines an emergency project as the “reconstruction or renovation of or repair to any classroom facilities made necessary due to an Act of God.”

5. Replacement of administrative buildings, athletic fields and other areas are not considered classroom facilities and are therefore ineligible.

6. There can be no duplication of benefits.

Ohio Funeral Directors Association - Mortuary Response Team (OFDA)

ESF-8 – Tab C – Human Infectious Disease Incident Plan

a. Supply personnel and materiel to support mass fatality response and expanded mortuary services in affected jurisdictions.
Ohio Mortuary Operations Response Team (OMORT)

ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

a. When authorized by the C/ME, assist with the recovery, storage, preparation, identification, processing and release of human remains for final disposition.

b. At the direction of the C/ME, assist in the release of human remains and personal effects to the next of kin or their representative.

d. When necessary, and when authorized, assist the C/ME’s office in determining the cause and manner of death, authorizing autopsies to determine the cause of death, authorizing forensic investigations to identify unidentified bodies, and authorizing removal of bodies from incident sites.

e. When family and others are not available to decide on the disposition of the deceased, and where the burial system cannot keep up with the demand for burial of the deceased, use temporary storage for the deceased, and assist C/MEs in coordination with local funeral homes on the logistics.

f. Coordinate with mortuary service providers to collect bodies of victims from the scene, hospitals, morgues, and other locations, and coordinate with next of kin for the disposition of remains.

f. When faced with a fatality surge that stresses the capacity for carrying out cremations in a region, assist in the surveying of crematory facilities, embalming facilities, and funeral homes within or accessible to the region. Assist in the determination of the maximum number of cremations that can be performed.

g. When faced with a fatality surge that stresses the capacity for carrying out cremations in a region or localized area, assist in the surveying of crematory facilities, embalming facilities, and funeral homes to identify storage capacity, refrigeration, and number of hearses/vehicles available to transport bodies.

h. Under the direction of the C/ME, assist in the establishment of FACs at locations convenient to mass fatality incidents, but removed from the mainstream of activities. Assist appropriate agencies in providing services to families of the deceased.

i. Provide assistance in the coordination of psychosocial teams to provide psychological aid to fatality management workers and families of victims at FACs and at the incident site.

j. Assist in providing services to establish FACs as secure, comfortable locations for the collection of information on the deceased to assist in their identification and for the provision of comforting services to families of the deceased.

k. Provide assistance to ensure that proper victim identification forms are used and that ante-mortem interviews are completed using the proper VIP forms at FACs.
1. Under the direction of the Coroner, provide management in the deployment and operation of the Ohio Portable Morgue Unit (OPMU).

m. Disaster conditions permitting, provide assistance to make estimates of the number of confirmed deaths using the EDRS system and information from the Incident Commander in consultation with the Coroner and provide the estimate to the JIC and State of Ohio Emergency Operations Center (State EOC).

**ESF-8 – Tab E – Non-Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan**

1. Assist local agencies and service providers with the identification of equipment to be acquired for use during a non-acute mass fatalities incident.

2. Assist with planning and coordination during a non-acute mass fatalities incident regarding the storage of equipment (i.e. body bags) at member funeral homes.

3. Provide on-going and event-based training and education to Funeral Director/Embalmers and other agencies and organizations regarding pandemic influenza preparation and response, including the identification of local and state resources that may be available to them.

**Ohio Public Works Commission (OPWC)**

**ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation**

1. Prepare to administer emergency financial assistance programs.

2. Work closely with other state agencies that provide infrastructure financial assistance programs to ensure best use of resources (e.g. OWDA, ODOT and Ohio EMA).

**Ohio Rural Electric Cooperatives Association (OREC)**

**ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation**

1. For incidents impacting a large portion of the State, work with Ohio EMA to coordinate damage assessments and other recovery actions required prior to seeking assistance from Ohio EMA.
Ohio Task Force One (OH-TF1)

ESF-9 – Search and Rescue

a. Provide Type I SAR Team-level personnel and resources to respond to structural collapse, wide-area land, K-9, urban, water and air searches.

b. Provide Type I SAR Team-level personnel and resources to respond to searches and rescues in CBRNE environments.

c. Provide communications and search and rescue operations incident management support resources.

Ohio Veterinary Medical Licensing Board (OVMLB)

ESF-11 – Tab A – Animal Disease Incident Plan

a. Assist out-of-state veterinarians and other qualified personnel to quickly meet veterinary licensing requirements to allow them to provide assistance during animal disease emergencies.

Ohio Voluntary Organizations Active in Disasters (Ohio VOAD)

ESF-3 – Tab C – Water Retention Structure Incident Response Plan

1. Assist in the identification of shelters and develop plans to support shelter and mass feeding operations as the result of a failure at any dam or levee in Ohio.

ESF-6 – Mass Care

a. Through member organizations, provide early services and material support to incident survivors, including, but not limited to:

   i. Debris removal/chain saw teams
   ii. Child care services
   iii. Donations management, warehousing and transportation services
   iv. Feeding stations and food
   v. Provision of flood bucket cleaning kits
   vi. Mud-out teams
   vii. Humanitarian and emotional care services
   viii. Affiliated volunteer coordination
   ix. Amateur radio support
ESF-6 – Tab B – Emergency Repatriation Plan

1. Coordinate Ohio VOAD activities.

2. Provide volunteers as available.

3. Provide supportive emotional and spiritual care services.

4. Support operations, as appropriate.

ESF-6 – Tab C – Volunteer Management Support Plan

2. Coordinate the activities of VOAD member agencies in support of local and state volunteer management operations.

ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan

1. Through member organizations, provide services and materials to support family reunification actions by:

2. Assist in providing spiritual and emotional care for families that are impacted by incidents that necessitate reunification actions.

3. Assist in identifying and providing childcare services for families that are impacted by incidents that necessitate reunification actions.

4. Assist law enforcement agencies that are providing childcare services for children who are impacted by incidents that necessitate reunification actions.

5. Assist in providing congregate care support for displaced animals; and coordinating with animal control agencies in identification and reunification efforts.

ESF-7 – Resource and Logistics Support

a. Provide donations management support in accordance with ESF-7’s Tab A: Donations Management Support Plan.

ESF-7 – Tab A – Donations Management Support Plan

1. Ohio VOAD does not deliver services to the site of the emergency until requested to do so by the county EMA director, but the individual member organizations will as members of the affected community. A wide variety of recovery and mitigation assistance is provided by member organizations. VOAD provides the overall coordination of their member organizations necessary to ensure that redundant or conflicting services are avoided, that
needed volunteer resources are located, and that offers of donated goods and services are handled expeditiously. VOAD will:

a. Notify member organizations when they need to be activated by the State EOC.

b. Keep the EOC notified of activities of member organizations throughout an emergency.

c. Facilitate resolution for areas-of-responsibility between member organizations during emergencies.

2. As appropriate, be responsible for warehousing activities, including management and staff.

3. Provide back-up telephone operators and supervisors for the Donations Hotline.

4. Track donated services contributed to support response and recovery.

5. Coordinate the response operations of Ohio VOAD member organizations.

Ohio Water Development Authority (OWDA)

ESF-14 – Recovery and Mitigation

1. Prepare to administer emergency financial assistance programs.

2. Work closely with other state agencies that provide infrastructure financial assistance programs to ensure best use of resources (e.g. ODOT and Ohio EMA).

Ohio Water/Wastewater Agency Response Network (Ohio WARN)

ESF-3 – Engineering and Public Works

a. Provide and facilitate connections to mutual aid-based resources for response to incidents that impact public and private water and wastewater utilities.

b. Provide technical and material assistance to public utilities and incident responders.
Ohio Wing, Civil Air Patrol (CAP)

ESF-1 – Tab A – Aviation Support Plan

a. Through the CAP Wing Commander, provide a Point of Contact to the ESF-1 Air Operations Manager or the ODOT Emergency Management Coordinator at the State EOC.

b. Provide CAP aircraft to support disaster air operations, including, but not limited to aerial damage assessment, communications support and tracking and reporting of surface traffic.

c. Provide CAP personnel to assist in the management of air operations, and associated facilities and equipment.

d. Provide CAP personnel to track mission aircraft.

e. Support and facilitate communication links between aircraft and personnel tracking aircraft.

f. Maintain a situation map that tracks all aircraft employed by the State of Ohio during disaster operations.

g. Provide the ODOT Office of Aviation with real-time information about the location of CAP assets and types of missions that are being carried out.

h. Provide CAP runners, if required, to maintain communication between trackers, the Office of Aviation, and communications personnel.

The Salvation Army (TSA)

ESF-3 – Tab C – Water Retention Structure Incident Response Plan

1. Assist in the identification of shelters and develop plans to support shelter and mass feeding operations as the result of a failure at any dam or levee in Ohio.

ESF-6 – Mass Care

a. Provide support for the operation of local shelters and feeding centers and canteens that are established to provide mass care services to survivors of both in-state and out-of-state incidents, in response to both man-made and natural incidents.

b. Provide support for mass care operations in response to catastrophic events both inside and outside the State of Ohio that necessitate the evacuation and sheltering of large populations for extended periods.
c. Support consistent mass care standards and training across the state; and assist in the coordination and planning between levels of government for the provision of integrated mass care services.

d. Provide support and coordination for the evacuation of large populations to destination shelters due to both man-made and natural incidents.

e. Provide direction and support to local jurisdictions for shelter-in-place, restriction of movement, non-congregate and sustenance sheltering operations that result from pandemic and other incidents.

f. Provide support services to incident survivors.

g. Provide support activities including volunteer coordination/operations support, mass care shelter and feeding operations, and community and public information outreach.

ESF-6 – Tab C – Volunteer Management Support Plan

1. Assist VRCs by providing trained staffing volunteers.
2. Notify the State EOC of volunteer needs.

ESF-6 – Tab D – Ohio Reunification Support Plan

a. Assist and support local family reunification operations.

ESF-8 – Tab D – Acute Mass Fatalities Incident Response Plan

a. Under the direction of the Coroner/ME, assist appropriate agencies in interviewing and otherwise assisting families of the deceased at FACs.

b. Under the direction of the Coroner/ME, assist in efforts to maintain a secure, comfortable location for the collection of information on the deceased to assist in their identification and for the provision of comforting services to families of the deceased at FACs.

c. If local resources are unable to adequately respond to need, assist in providing disaster mental health support services to victims’ families.

ESF13 – Tab B – Correction Facility-Prison Support Plan

1. Provide, as able, feeding, and other mass care support services at an ODRC onsite location, or at a nearby, offsite location, for ODRC and other emergency response personnel.