



Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Disaster Preparedness Role & ReddiNet Resources 2026

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What we do:

- *Establish Scope of Practice of emergency medical technicians (EMTs), paramedics and mobile intensive care nurses*
- *Establish administrative and medical procedures and policies*



What we do:

- *Designate 9-1-1 receiving hospitals, specialty care centers, & alternate destinations*
- ***Disaster planning and management:***
 - ***MHOAC - Medical and Health Operational Area Coordinator***
 - ***RDMHC - Region I Disaster, Medical and Health Coordinator (5 county region)***



Medical Health Operational Area Coordinator (MHOAC)

- 9-1-1 Receiving Hospitals
 - 69 Emergency Departments
 - 38 Emergency Departments Approved for Pediatrics
 - 9 Pediatric Medical Centers
 - 15 Trauma Centers
 - 21 Paramedic Base Hospitals
 - 35 STEMI Receiving Centers
 - 24 Comprehensive Stroke Centers
 - 30 Primary Stroke Centers
 - 13 Sexual Assault Response Team
 - 13 Disaster Resource Centers
 - 7 Psychiatric UCC / 1 Sobering Center



Medical Health Operational Area Coordinator (MHOAC)

- EMS Provider Agencies
 - 29 Public Safety (Fire, LASD)
 - 37 Licensed Basic Life Support Ambulance Operators
 - 16 Licensed Advanced Life Support Ambulance Operators
 - 16 Licensed Critical Care Transport Ambulance Operators (RN/RT)
 - 3 Licensed Ambulette Operators



Medical Health Operational Area Coordinator (MHOAC)

Other Partners:

- 3 Public Health Departments
- 1 Department of Mental Health
- 23 Acute Care Hospitals (without ED)
- 194 Home Health and Hospice
- 91 Ambulatory Surgical Centers
- 231 Clinics
- 126 Dialysis Centers
- 320 Skilled Nursing Facilities (SNFs)
- 40 Urgent Care Clinics

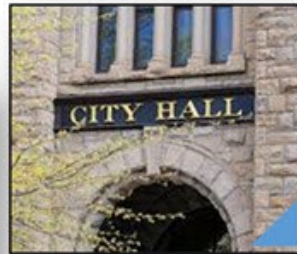


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Field (IC)



Local
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Operational
Area/County



OES Region

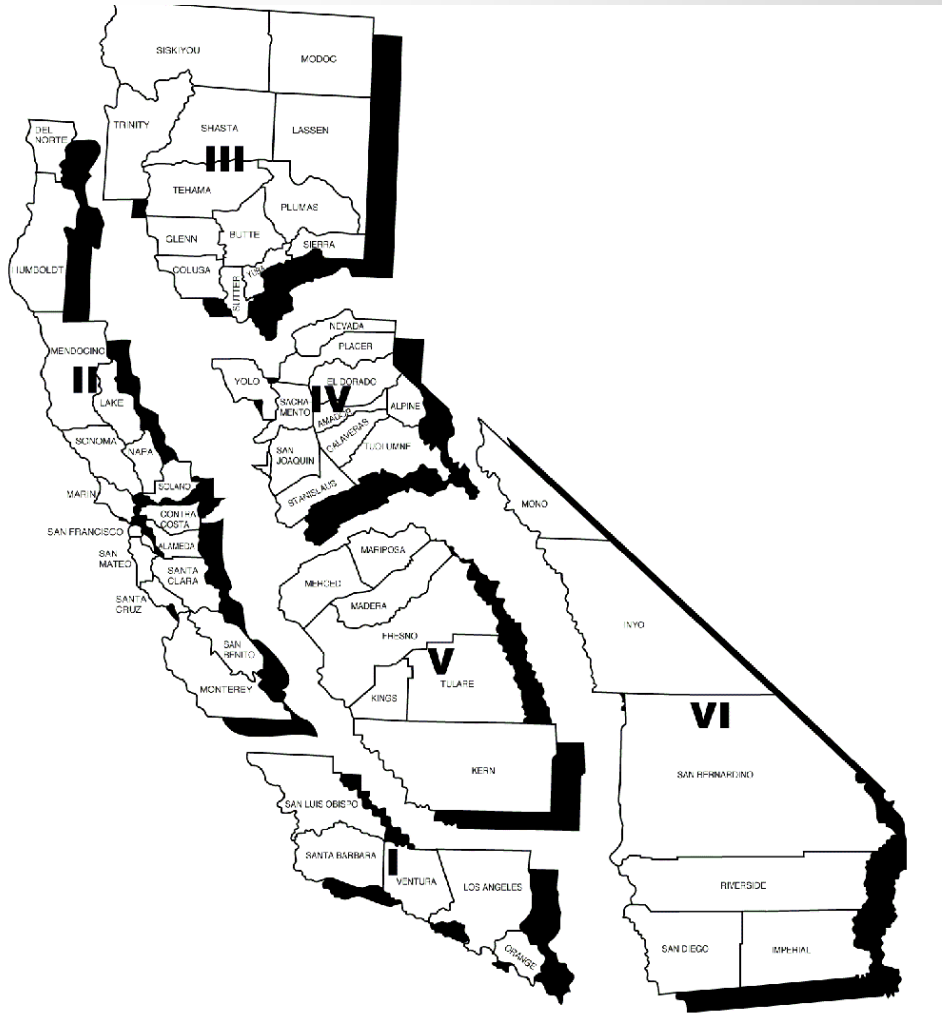


State

Standardized Emergency Management System (SEMS)



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Medical Alert Center

- *Coordinates interfacility patient transfers into DHS Hospitals*
- ***Tracks hospital bed availability, ambulance diversion status, ambulance patient offload times (APOT)***
- *Coordinates multiple casualty incidents (MCI)*



Disaster Staging Facility

Medical Equipment

Coordinate requests and deployment of PPE, ventilators, high flow oxygen, and oxygen concentrators to hospitals and ambulance companies.





Disaster Staging Facility

Surge structures

- To provide additional patient care space
- Surge tents
- Decontamination Trailers
- Generators
- Mobile Communications Center





QUESTIONS?

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