Integrating FEMA Incident Command System into your Agency's Emergency Response Plan



Strength Together

Introduction

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Incident Command System



Developed in the 1970s by California Wild Land Firefighters



Standardized Management Tool



Considered a "Best Practice"



May be used for planned and unplanned events... examples



Key feature of NIMS National Incident Management System.

ICS Overview

Standardization:

- Plain Language/Terms
- Titles to distinguish Emergency Operations from Daily Operations
- Operational Periods

Command:

- A. Establishing and transfer of command
- B. Chain of command and unity of command
- C. Unified command

Planning/ Organizational Structure:

- A. Management by Objective
- B. Modular Organization
- C. Incident Action Plans
- D. Span of Control

ICS Overview

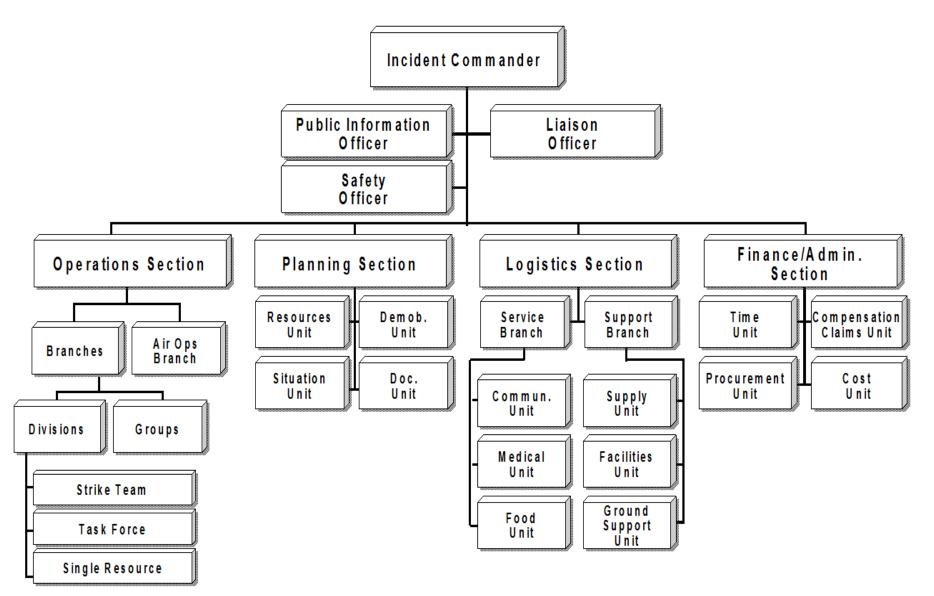
Command Staff

- A. Public Information Officer (PIO)
- B. Safety Officer
- C. Liaison Office

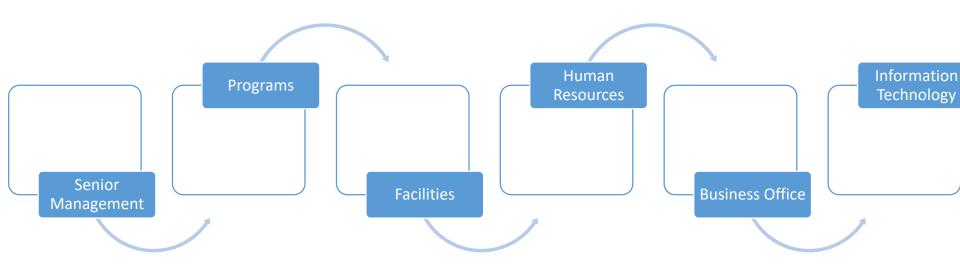
General Staff

- A. Operations
- B. Planning
- C. Logistics
- D. Finance/Administration
- E. Agency Representatives
- F. Technical Specialists

ICS Overview



Emergency Management Team



Case Study

PERSON'S NAME	
FULL NAME: DOB: AGE: SEX: HEIGHT: WEIGHT: RACE: EYES: HAIR: MISSING FROM: MISSING SINCE:	Beer Beer
CALL (<i>LAW ENFORCE</i>	MATION ABOUT (PERSON'S NAME) MENT AGENCY & PHONE NUMBER) LP: (LP: ()

Case Study

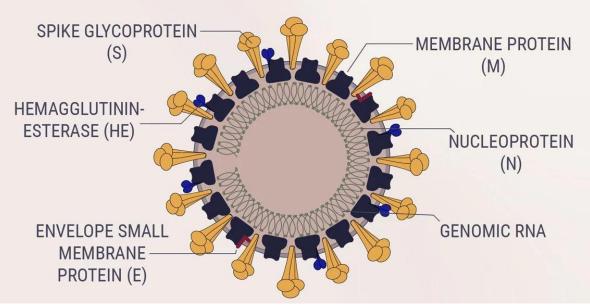


Case Study

COVID-19

Medscape

The virus associated with the outbreak originating in Wuhan, China, has been designated severe acute respiratory syndrome coronavirus 2 (SARS-CoV-2). The disease caused by that virus is now officially called COVID-19.



Implementation

Buy In

Identify Team Members

FEMA Independent Study Coursework ICS 100, ICS 200 and NIMS 700 Training

Bridge Class

Tables Top Exercises

Agency Awareness Training

Test Systems

Next Steps: Passive Surveillance

Weather

- Monitor daily critical briefs
- Review Weekly outlook
- Pass along weekly report with a summary of highlights to CEO and SVP (NOAA report only).
- Provide daily briefing where there are hazards/ concerns with recommendations on actions we should take.

NOAA, DHS, FEMA, INS, US Customs and Boarder, US-CERT, US Coast Guard, Office of the Director of National Intelligence – CEO and SVPs

FDA, USDA, APHIS and CDC – SVPs

CPSC (Consumer Product Safety Commission) - Purchasing and HR

Next Steps: Creating Partnerships

Government Resources

- Local Fire, EMS and Law Enforcement
- Local Disaster Coordinator
- County Emergency Management Contact

Non-Government Resources

- Transportation Company
- Wegmans
- Pharmacy
- Large Retailers

Thank you

Questions?

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