

HCPWG & HPP Meeting Minutes

Date: September, 2022

1. Meeting Introduction and Program Update - Denise Yi

- a. Grant Updates
 - Heat Wave
 - There will be two cooling centers in North County.
 - Paso Robles City Council Chambers 12pm-6pm Thursday through Monday.
 - Atascadero Library Community Room 12pm-5pm Sunday and Monday.
 - Scott Milner (OES):
 - News regarding heat related outages will be shared with our partners.
 - The EMS Duty officer will be available 24/7 for Med-Health related issues.
 - Monkeypox update
 - Currently there have been 110 hospitalizations with 11 last week.
 - Although the case rate is slowing down, hospitalizations are going up.
 - The Monkeypox Vaccine is currently in phase 4A.
- **b.** Drill and Exercise Updates
 - Statewide Medical and Health Exercise & Medical Response Surge Exercise
 - Maya sent out a survey regarding Statewide Medical and Health Exercise.
 - \circ $\;$ We are looking to be more involved with the Skilled Nursing Facilities.
 - The State wants to hold the exercise in Spring, however the exercise needs to be in first half of year and is not required until Spring 2023-2024.

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- Fall POD Exercise
 - \circ $\;$ There will be a POD exercise for flu vaccines on Oct 4 th from 3-6pm.
 - This year will not be a drive-through POD.
 - The South County location will be at Five Cities Fire Authority, Station 1.
 140 Traffic Way, Arroyo Grande, CA 93420
 - The North County location will be at Colony Park Community Center.
 5599 Traffic Way, Atascadero, CA 93422
- Pediatric Burn Surge Tabletop
 - Purpose: To exercise our new Pediatric and Burn Surge Annexes.
 - Will likely be held during our February HPP & HCPWG meeting.
 - Will last approximately 1.5-2 hours.
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2. MRC and HPP Requirement Updates – Maya Craig-Lauer

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3. Partner Updates

- a. Emma Wilcox (Tenet)
 - Heat Wave: We have been assured by PG&E they will provide support if necessary.
 - Pediatric Burn Surge Tabletop: Tenet would like to be involved in the event, as well as the Statewide Medical and Health Exercise.
- **b.** Karen Jones (Ombudsman)
 - Heat Wave:
 - Memos with reminders and tips have been sent out to partners regarding the high heat and power outage concerns.
 - Continuous oxygen could be a concern with the lack of oxygen tanks readily available.
 - Gas stations may not work during power outages, so it is recommended to fill up your tank before a predictable outage.
 - There is a large concern for South County facilities that don't have air conditioning.

THE NEXT ALL HCPWG & HPP MEETING WILL BE ON November 3, 2022

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