



PUBLIC HEALTH AND MEDICAL SUPPORT TEAM LEADER IN A SHELTER

RESOURCE CATEGORY	Medical and Public Health
RESOURCE KIND	Personnel
OVERALL FUNCTION	The Medical/Public Health Shelter Team Leader coordinates all medical and public health activities for congregate shelters
COMPOSITION AND ORDERING SPECIFICATIONS	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This position can be ordered as a single resource. 2. Discuss logistics for deploying this position, such as working conditions, length of deployment, security, lodging, transportation, and meals, prior to deployment

Each type of resource builds on the qualifications of the type below it. For example, Type 1 qualifications include the qualifications in Type 2, plus an increase in capability. Type 1 is the highest qualification level.

COMPONENT	SINGLE TYPE	NOTES
DESCRIPTION	The primary purpose of the Medical/Public Health Shelter Team Leader is to coordinate all medical and public health activities for congregate shelters. This includes the implementation of plans, policies, and procedures for provision of primary and secondary preventative care of mass shelter community and the supervision of community health assessment (initial and ongoing) in mass shelters and the integration of team operations into the mass care site.	Not Specified
EDUCATION	Bachelor's degree in a health or public health field	Not Specified
TRAINING	Completion of the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. ICS-300: Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents 2. ICS-400: Advanced Incident Command System for Command and General Staff - Complex Incidents 3. IS-700: National Incident Management System, An Introduction 4. OSHA 1910.120 HazMat Awareness Training or equivalent basic instruction on responding to and operating in a CBRNE MCI Recommended: FEMA IS-701: Multiagency Coordination System (MACS)	Not Specified
EXPERIENCE	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. At least 2 years supervisory experience in a health or public health setting 2. Participation in shelter operations in an incident or full-scale exercise in a leadership position 	Not Specified
PHYSICAL/MEDICAL FITNESS	Moderate	The NIMS Guideline for the National Qualification System (NQS) defines Physical/Medical Fitness levels for NIMS positions.
CURRENCY	Not Specified	Not Specified
PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS	Not Specified	Not Specified



Position Qualification for Public Health, Healthcare, and Emergency Medical Services
Medical and Public Health

NOTES

Nationally typed resources represent the minimum criteria for the associated category.

REFERENCES

1. FEMA, National Incident Management System (NIMS), October 2017
2. FEMA, NIMS Guideline for the National Qualification System (NQS), November 2017