

FATALITY MANAGEMENT DISASTER PORTABLE MORGUE UNIT COMMUNICATIONS PROGRAMMING SPECIALIST

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| RESOURCE CATEGORY | Medical and Public Health |
| RESOURCE KIND | Personnel |
| OVERALL FUNCTION | The Fatality Management (FM) Disaster Portable Morgue Unit (DPMU) Communications Programming Specialist provides report and data programming changes and may be requested to support other databases |
| COMPOSITION AND ORDERING SPECIFICATIONS | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. This position can be ordered as a single resource. 2. This position can be ordered with a NIMS typed unit (Disaster Portable Morgue Unit). 3. Discuss logistics for deploying this position, such as security, lodging, transportation, and meals, prior to deployment 4. This position typically works 12 hours per shift, is self-sustainable for 72 hours, and is deployable for up to 14 days |

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 |
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| DESCRIPTION | <p>The FM DPMU Communications Programming Specialist reports directly to the FM DPMU Communications Coordinator and:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Provides computer programming support, maintenance, and management of the victim tracking database 2. Controls user log-in names and security privileges for access to database 3. Provides report and data programming changes as the needs of the event require and the Medical Examiner or Coroner requests 4. Monitors database server performance and capacity 5. Ensures security of database and daily back ups 6. Secures and maintains photos | Not Specified |
| EDUCATION | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. High School Diploma or equivalent 2. Successful completion of course work related to information technology (IT), including hardware, software, and database management | Not Specified |
| TRAINING | <p>Completion of the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. IS-100: Introduction to the Incident Command System, ICS-100 2. IS-200: Incident Command System for Single Resources and Initial Action Incidents 3. IS-700: National Incident Management System, An Introduction 4. IS-800: National Response Framework, An Introduction 5. Training in accordance with Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) 29 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 1910.120: Hazardous Materials Awareness 6. Training in accordance with OSHA 29 CFR Part 1910.134: Respiratory Protection 7. Training in accordance with OSHA 29 CFR Part 1910.1030: Bloodborne Pathogens | Not Specified |
| EXPERIENCE | Two years of experience with communications and IT database technology | Not Specified |

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| PHYSICAL/MEDICAL FITNESS | 1. Performs duties under arduous circumstances characterized by working consecutive 12-hour days under physical and emotional stress for sustained periods of time 2. Performs duties with exposure to whole and fragmented human remains in various stages of decomposition 3. Performs duties with sights and smells associated with death, including seeing children as victims, grieving survivors, and family members of missing victims 4. Maintains immunizations in accordance with the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's recommended adult immunization schedule for the United States of America | Not Specified |
| CURRENCY | Functions in this position during an operational incident, exercise, drill, or simulation at least once every two years | Not Specified |
| PROFESSIONAL AND TECHNICAL LICENSES AND CERTIFICATIONS | Not Specified | Not Specified |

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Position Qualification for Fatality Management Services
Medical and Public Health

NOTES

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

REFERENCES

1. FEMA, NIMS 508: Fatality Management Disaster Portable Morgue Unit
2. FEMA, NIMS 509: Fatality Management Disaster Portable Morgue Unit Communications Coordinator
3. FEMA, NIMS 509: Fatality Management Disaster Portable Morgue Unit Communications Information Technology Specialist
4. National Wildfire Coordinating Group (NWCG), National Incident Management System Wildland Fire Qualification System Guide, PMS 310-1, Physical Fitness Levels, October 2016
5. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Immunization Recommendations for Disaster Responders
6. Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) 29 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) Part 1910.120: Hazardous Materials Awareness, latest edition adopted
7. OSHA 29 CFR Part 1910.134: Respiratory Protections, latest edition adopted
8. OSHA 29 CFR Part 1910.1030: Bloodborne Pathogens, latest edition adopted

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