



RECEIVING, STAGING, AND STORING (RSS) TASK FORCE

DESCRIPTION	This task force is expert in the process of accepting, storing and locally organizing large amounts of medications needed for a large-scale distribution via the Strategic National Stockpile (SNS) and Vendor Managed Inventories (VMIs).		
RESOURCE CATEGORY	Medical and Public Health	RESOURCE KIND	Team
OVERALL FUNCTION		COMPOSITION AND ORDERING SPECIFICATIONS	

Superseded



RESOURCE TYPES			TYPE 1	NO TYPE 2	NO TYPE 3	NO TYPE 4
COMPONENT	METRIC/ MEASURE	CAPABILITY				
Team Type	Capacity		<p>Team that can perform the following activities under the Authority Having Jurisdiction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- After delivery of medical assets to warehouse facility, repackage pharmaceuticals and other assets and distribute to Points of Dispensing (PODs) and other health facilities.- As warehousing activities diminish, activate plan to recover unused medical resources.- Inventory, reorganize, and reconstitute stockpiles to return to pre-incident levels, and release personnel from Medical Supplies Management and Distribution duties.- Ability to operate 1 site per 12-hour shift with management personnel.- Ability to provide on the job training to local jurisdiction to sustain operations.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
			NOTES: Not Specified			

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COMPONENT	METRIC/ MEASURE	CAPABILITY				
Personnel	Team Composition per 12-Hour Shift		Management Team includes the following: - 1 Task Force Leader - 1 Operations Team Leader - 1 Logistics Team Leader - 1 Finance and Administrative Team Leader - 1 Tactical Communications Leader	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
NOTES: Not Specified						
Equipment/Supplies	Will Vary by Team Type		- Communication tools to communicate in secure and unsecured environments. - Relevant software, hardware, and other interoperable capabilities (laptop computers, printers etc). - Job action sheets - Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) as appropriate	Not Applicable	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
NOTES: Not Specified						

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COMMENTS

1. A RSS Consulting Team is an Incident Command System (ICS)-structured group of trained personnel capable of coordinating and managing the operations of a RSS site to receive and distribute the SNS assets quickly and efficiently to local mass dispensing sites.
2. Security, housing, transportation, food, and work facilities will be provided by the Authority Having Jurisdiction unless other arrangements have been made.
3. Safety Officer needs to be provided by the Authority Having Jurisdiction.

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Nationally typed resources represent the minimum criteria for the associated component and capability.

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