

SPECIALTY SERVICES TEAM

DESCRIPTION			
RESOURCE CATEGORY	Medical and Public Health	RESOURCE KIND	Team
OVERALL FUNCTION		COMPOSITION AND ORDERING SPECIFICATIONS	

RESOURCE TYPES			TYPE 1	TYPE 2	NO TYPE 3	NO TYPE 4
COMPONENT	METRIC/ MEASURE	CAPABILITY				
Overall Function	Defined inpatient general and specialty services in an existing hospital facility.		Capable of providing clinical and support services to hospitalized patients. Staff, equipment, and supply capable.	Staff augmentation for intact infrastructure where specialties/personnel are requested to provide generalized or specialty type clinical care.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
NOTES: Not Specified						
CompositionRequest for Mutual Aidshould specify specialty services as needed.)	Core Team Clinicallicense and competency-- Specialty care provided based on assessment of patient needs by the requesting state.		1 Medical Unit Team Leader 1 -2 Physicians 1 Physician Assistant or Advanced Practice Registered Nurse 6 Registered Nurses 2 Patient Care Technicians	Same as Type 1	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
NOTES: Not Specified						
Specialty AreasMission AssignmentMUST reflect clinical area where support is needed	Medical/Surgical-Team experienced in the care of general medical and post-operative surgical patients. Request should specify:1.Adult2. PediatricsTeam experienced in the care of pediatric patients.		Core Team	Same as Type 1	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
NOTES: Not Specified						

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RESOURCE TYPES			TYPE 1	TYPE 2	NO TYPE 3	NO TYPE 4
COMPONENT	METRIC/ MEASURE	CAPABILITY				
-	Surgical-Team experienced in operating room procedures and the care of surgical patients1. Trauma Resuscitation - Specialty team trained and experienced in resuscitation and stabilization of the severely injured patient2. OR-Team experienced in operating room procedures and the care of surgical patients3. Post-Anesthesia Care-Team experienced in postoperative recovery procedures and the care of surgical patients		<p>Core Surgical Team (ie 1 Medical Unit Team Leader, 2 surgeons, 1 anesthesiologist, 1 Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist, 6 surgical and/or perianesthesia nurses, 2 surgical technicians) Needs defined by the AHJ—in addition to advanced trauma care, specialty services must be specifically requested-- may include but not limited to neurosurgical, orthopedic, ENT, cardiothoracic, vascular, and pediatrics)</p> <p>Core Surgical Team</p> <p>Core Surgical Team</p>	Same as Type 1	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
NOTES: Not Specified						
-	Dialysis		<p>1 Medical Unit Team Leader 1 Physician 6 Registered Nurses 6 Dialysis Technicians</p>	Same as Type 1	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
NOTES: Not Specified						

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COMPONENT	METRIC/ MEASURE	CAPABILITY				
-	Obstetrics(Labor/Delivery, Recovery, and Post Partum)		1 Medical Unit Team Leader 2 Physicians (1 obstetrics qualified and 1 anesthesiologist) 1 Physician Assistant or Advanced Practice Nurse 3 Registered Nurses 1 Patient Care Technician/Certified Nursing Assistant	Same as Type 1	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
NOTES: Not Specified						
Equipment andSupplies	Equipment needed to meet mission objectives		Range of equipment and supplies	Equipment and supplies are provided by requesting jurisdiction.	Not Applicable	Not Applicable
NOTES: Not Specified						

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COMMENTS

1. Security, housing, transportation, food, and work facilities will be provided by the requesting jurisdiction unless other arrangements have been made
2. Recommend additional staff to ensure the ongoing availability of resources required to safely and effectively support the mission assignment (e.g., administrative, logistics, communications, supply, clerical, and/or security staff)
3. Requests for Mutual Aid must specify the clinical area and an accurate mission assignment to ensure staff is qualified to care for patient mix and should include the anticipated length of deployment.
4. Individuals responding with teams are expected to possess the clinical knowledge and skill capability to function in the clinical area for which they are requested.
5. Requesting state should determine # of teams needed based on patient care needs/acuity. As a general guideline, if the case load is expected to exceed 25 patients per team per 12 hour shift or the acuity of patients is exceptionally high, such as OR, dialysis or obstetrical patient populations, additional teams should be requested.
6. Standardized Equipment Lists (SEL) are available from the Interagency Board (IAB) for Equipment Standardization and Interoperability at <http://www.iab.gov/Documents.aspx>. Additional references include recommended basic equipment in the ACC Concept of Operations, Appendix E. ACC refers to Concept of Operations for the Acute Care Center. This document can be found at <http://www.nnemrms.org/surg>.
7. Recommended Pharmaceutical Supplies can be found in the ACC Concept of Operations, Appendix F
8. Additional specialized Rx and supplies can be compiled using Advanced Cardiac Life Support (ACLS/PALS), American Academy of Pediatrics APLS, or NRP guidelines and other published resources

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

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