

## Covering the largest FEMA Area of Responsibility;

### Region IX

#### Some characteristics:

- An approximate 600-person Task Force which can deploy an advance party (ADVON) within 4 hours of notification
- Command & Control (C2) of 9 Civil Support Teams (CST), 5 CBRNE Enhanced Response Force Packages (CERFPs)
- Bridges the gap between initial response and active duty federal-response forces
- Understands NIMS and trains in Incident Command System (ICS)
- Liaison capability supporting Unity of Effort with Area Commander and Incident Commander
- Can provide the full-spectrum of operations in Level C Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)

### FEMA REGION IX AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY



Hawaii

Guam

American Samoa

Northern Mariana

Marshall Islands

Commonwealth of  
Micronesia

#### Mission Statement:

Homeland Response Force (HRF) will alert, assemble, and deploy no later than Notification + 12 (N+12) to provide All-Hazard support to Civil Authorities; including Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear (CBRN) mitigation, security, search and rescue/extraction, decontamination, and medical triage as needed in order to save lives and mitigate human suffering within Joint Task Force (JTF) and HRF Operational Areas. On order, the HRF transitions operations to Civil Authorities and redeploys.

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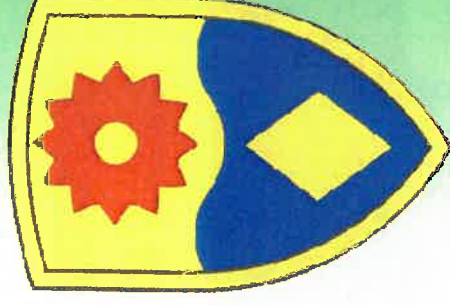
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## CALIFORNIA NATIONAL GUARD HOMELAND RESPONSE FORCE (HRF)



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Supporting FEMA Region IX  
Area of Responsibility

### Command & Control (C2), 180 Personnel:

- Supports Incident/Area Command IAP
- Provides Common Operating Picture
- Provides mission command to HRF capabilities
- Establishes communications with both HRF capabilities and external agencies

### Tactical Command Post (TACCP)

- Can deploy independently of the TOC with approx. 12 - 20 personnel; incident dictating
- Provides mission command similar to the TOC and with a smaller footprint
- Can be contained in a 60 x 90 foot perimeter (5,400 square feet)



### Casualty Assistance and Support Element (CASE), 200 Personnel:

- Provides security (Military Police) to HRF capabilities, establishes/maintains security, provides casualty control to entrance points, and establishes cordon and entry points at incident areas and operations center.
- Provides additional assets for litter bearing and transport of casualties out of the contaminated "hot" environment and/or collapse zones.
- Can be utilized by First Responders for additional security as the situation dictates and after resourcing through the proper channels is conducted.

### Search and Extraction (S&E), 50 personnel:

- Breach and break/lift and haul (hard surface / slab drilling, cutting, moving, supporting)
- Confined space rescue (Non-permit)
- Rope rescue (Low-angle and High-angle)
- Structural support (Cribbing and Shoring)
- Electronic casualty reconnaissance
- Casualty packaging and extraction



### Decontamination (DECON), 75 personnel:

- Establishes 3-lanes of Decon capabilities within 90 minutes of arrival to the incident
- Ambulatory, Non-Ambulatory, and Technical decontamination
- Establishes Hazardous Waste site



### Medical (MED), 45 Personnel:

- Conduct triage, stabilization, and treatment.
- Track and maintain accountability of evacuees (Cold zone).
- Support S&E in collapsed structure and confined space casualty life support.
- Support casualty throughout response up to the rate of 225 Ambulatory and 75 Non-ambulatory persons each hour (mission dependent).



### Logistics (from within C2):

Ability to support operations for 72-120 hours continuously at an incident site with the following:

- HRF personnel lodging tents
- Food and water
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) replacement (up through Level C)
- Electrical generators
- Medical supplies (controlled substances)
- Contracting capability

### Fatality Search & Recovery Team (FSRT),

#### 11 personnel:

- Recovery of fatalities from a CBRN environment to a body collection point.