COVID-19 Response and Recovery

- Emergency Operations Center (EOC) has been activated virtually since March 11, 2020

- Emergency management has been assisting the Barry-Eaton District Health Department's (BEDHD) operational architecture and with Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) acquisition, inventory, and distribution to hospitals, first responders, long-term care facilities, adult foster care facilities, funeral homes, and other industry

- Emergency management opened a centralized single point of distribution for PPE throughout Eaton County on March 24, 2020

- Around 250,000 pieces of PPE distributed and 29 EOC Situational Reports distributed.

- Demobilization of distribution node is going to take place on Friday, March 29, 2020 at 4 pm. All remaining PPE will be re-inventoried and stored in the event of a resurgence of COVID-19

- The EOC will be transitioning to a Recovery Center

- After Action Report/Improvement Plan (AAR/IP) being drafted and must be submitted by September 30, 2020. The EOC is working on feedback forms to stakeholders regarding various aspects of the response. BEDHDs AAR/IP will be separate due to ongoing response for foreseeable future.

- For more community information from the BEDHD and to subscribe to their situational updates please visit their website here.

Resources Update

Online Tier II Manager Subscription

We are now subscribers to Online Tier II Manager through Michigan’s Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE). Online Tier II Manager is how all facilities that are required to report hazardous chemical storage and inventory under the Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Act (SARA Title III) submit their annual or
updated reports. This creates one repository for us to keep track of the chemicals in those facilities and minimizes receiving multiple paper copies of reports on an annual basis.

The Delta Township Fire Department, Grand Ledge Area Emergency Services Authority, and Windsor Township Emergency Services have subscribed as system users (+1 since last meeting).

Training and Exercise Opportunities

Numerous training and exercise opportunities have been put on hold or have been cancelled due to COVID-19. National training consortiums have begun piloting courses virtually. If you want more information about these online course offerings please email Ryan at rwilkinson@eatoncounty.org.

- Great Lakes Homeland Security Conference 2020 – CANCELLED
- Great Lakes Homeland Security Conference 2021
  - May 4 - 6, 2021
  - Grand Rapids, Michigan
- North American Active Assailant Conference 2020 – CANCELLED
- North American Active Assailant Conference 2021
  - June 2 - 4, 2021
  - Troy, Michigan

One of our ongoing efforts is to have individuals, agencies and organizations with incident responsibilities in Eaton County be as consistent with the National Incident Management System (NIMS) as possible. In the continued effort to do so, FEMA has released an updated version of *IS-800: National Response Framework, An Introduction*. Since this is an Independent Study class it is self-paced instruction. To be consistent with NIMS *IS-800* is required of incident supervisors. The class link is below:

*IS-800 National Response Framework, An Introduction*

Next Meeting

Date: Wednesday, August 26, 2020
Time: 10:00 am
Location: Eaton County Emergency Operations Center
Address: 911 Courthouse Dr., Charlotte, Michigan