

	CLEARFIELD COUNTY EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT / 9-1-1 Standard Operating Procedures	Initial: 6/2006
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	Subject: Local Response Assignment Plan	

MPDS/EMS LOCAL RESPONSE ASSIGNMENT PLAN

The Clearfield County Department of Emergency Management / 9-1-1 Communications Center will maintain the most current EMS response assignment plan, using response assignments for each of the MPDS determinant descriptors (sub-determinant codes) approved by the EMD Steering Committee. The EMD Medical Director will review the EMS response assignment plan annually, and recommend any proposed changes to the EMD Steering Committee. The EMD Steering Committee will make final any changes to the EMS response assignment plan. This policy will ensure the EMS response assignment plan is maintained and kept current with any changes in EMS law, policy, procedures, research and standards. In order to meet the needs of the local community, the MPDS response assignments will subject to annual review and revision.

- The EMD system Medical Director will evaluate the EMS response assignment plan annually, by comparing response assignments for each MPDS determinant descriptor to available data, including patient outcome information, local EMS policies and procedures, and the availability of system resources.
- The EMD system Medical Director will make recommendations for any proposed changes to the EMS response assignment plan. He/She will list specific MPDS codes for which response changes are proposed, with a written rational for each proposed change.
- The EMD Steering Committee will approve and make final any proposed changes to the EMD response assignment plan.
- All agency personnel will be notified in writing of response plan changes no later than seven (30) days before actual implementation of the new plan.

Medical Director Approval:

Dr. Tabatha Jeffers DO Medical Director

Date