Medical Reserve Corps
FY18 State Highlights: Nevada

Fiscal Year 2018 Activities & Impact
Nevada MRC units participated in 102 total activities, contributing to one or more of the following impact areas:

1. response to local emergencies
18. activities that trained or exercised MRC members to improve response capability
47. activities that improved community preparedness or resilience
28. activities that developed or strengthened the MRC unit
68. activities in which MRC members strengthened local public health
20. activities that served an at-risk/vulnerable population
32. activities that supported non-emergency community events

A Snapshot: Nevada MRC Unit Activities

• In response to the October 1, 2017, mass casualty incident at the Route 91 Harvest festival in Las Vegas, MRC of Southern Nevada (Las Vegas, NV) volunteers provided psychological first aid and other support services at a family assistance center, as well as staffed a call center set up to provide referrals and support information to those affected.

• The MRC of Southern Nevada (Las Vegas, NV) assisted the Southern Nevada Health District in receiving the Metropolitan Medical Response System (MMRS) stockpile of antibiotics and repackaging the medication into individual courses.

• Western Nevada MRC (Carson City, NV) volunteers partnered with local students to create pediatric comfort kits for children who may need to stay at a shelter during an emergency.

• Volunteers with the MRC Washoe County (Reno, NV) attended an American Red Cross shelter training session.

• Multiple Nevada MRC units participated in access and functional needs support team training, which covered how to assist people with access and functional needs at points of dispensing (PODs), shelters, and family assistance centers.

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