

KET HC July 2021 Meeting



INTRODUCTIONS (ROLLCALL)

PLEASE SIGN IN WITH YOUR NAME AND ORGANIZATION IN THE CHAT BOX

COVID DELTA VARIANT B.1.617.2.

- Brittany Isabell, MPH Regional Epidemiologist
- East Tennessee Regional Health Office

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Equipment Pick-up

- Select Specialty North – P APR hoses/battery/O₂ splitters

2

Morgue Stretchers

Received

Need to schedule P/U
day Friday 16 July
Morning at AMR

3

TEMA PPE ordering

- ENDED 30 June 2021
- KET HC PPE Available
 - Gowns, Mask, N95

4

Glidescope Recall

- Monitor Screen only
- 2 replies received
- Need 9 more by 21 July

EQUIPMENT/SUPPLIES



COVID 19 Reporting

- HRTS COVID19 Surveys being reported to HHS by TeleTrack as of 23June2021 in addition to HHS Protect (4/2020)
- Possible reduction by HHS on COVID19 Survey by 3rd week of July.

Month of June

- 33– TNHAN messages (DEC 51, Jan 39, Feb 26, Mar 09, Apr 14, May 37)

COVID 19 Hospitalizations (KET Region)

- 05Jan - 667
- 03May – 111
- 10May – 78
- 07June – 47
- 12July - 36

REDUCTION IN TNHAN NOTIFICATIONS

- Less than 50% Acknowledgement - 252
- Pre-COVID TNHAN's
 - System Failure/Internal Disaster
- COVID
 - System Failure/Internal Disaster
 - Facility/ED status Yellow
 - Facility/ED status Red
- Post-COVID
 - Return to Pre-COVID standard
 - Utilize East Region Status Board/Leadership email/text/calling EMS services in surrounding area.

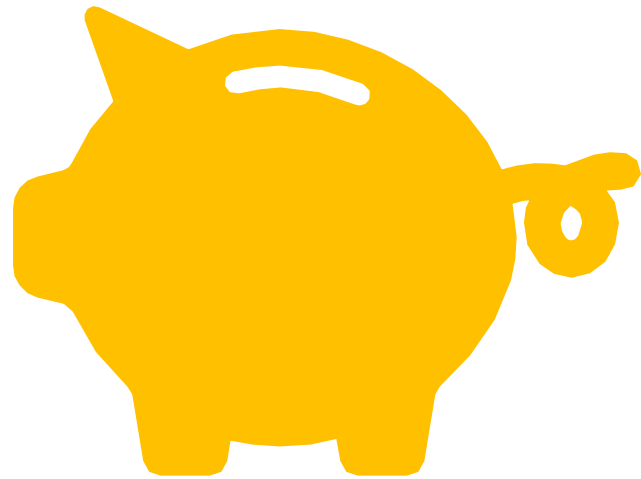
Notification Matrix

	NOTIFICATION Group and Method					
STATUS	Hospital Leadership Page	Hospital TNHAN	EMS TNHAN	EMS Phone Call	RHC/ERC/Steve Page	Notes
Facility Status Change	Yes	No	No	No	Yes	EMS and Facilities use HRTS Dashboard
Emergency Department Status Change	Yes	No	No	Yes (Critical Only)	Yes	EMS and Facilities use HRTS Dashboard
System Failure/Internal Disaster	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	
ED Behavioral Health	No	No	No	No	No	EMS and Facilities use HRTS Dashboard. Facilities do not need to contact RMCC
EMS Offload	No	No	No	No	No	EMS and Facilities use HRTS Dashboard. Facilities do not need to contact RMCC
HRTS Activation	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	
MCI	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	Yes	

Service Type	Status	Status Description
Emergency Department	Normal (Green)	All Operations are Normal
	Advisory (Yellow)	ED is experiencing a high volume of patients or a disruption in services/operations in the ED. Anticipate Delays.
	Critical (Red)	ED is severely overcrowded with holding admissions and full lobby or a critical failure in service/operations in the ED. HRTS bed availability updated every 4 hours. Redirect EMS patients as appropriate.
	Divert	ED has loss services/operations due to an internal disaster. HICS has been activated. HRTS updated as dictated on HRTS event board or every 2 hours if HRTS event not active. Unable to accept patients, EMS should redirect patients.
Facility	Normal (Green)	All Operations are Normal
	Advisory (Yellow)	Operations are delayed due to high volume of patients or a disruption in services/operations. Disrupted service/operation status updated on HRTS.
	Critical (Red)	Facility has no beds available, admissions being held in ED or a critical failure in service/operations within facility. HRTS bed/service availability update every 4 hours. Redirect EMS patients as appropriate.
	Divert	Facility has loss services/operations due to an internal disaster. HICS has been activated. HRTS updated as dictated on HRTS event board or every 2 hours if HRTS event not active. Unable to accept patients, EMS should redirect patients.
Services (i.e. MRI, CT, Cath Lab...)	Normal (Green)	All Operations are Normal
	Advisory (Yellow)	Limited access/use available. Update service status in HRTS. EMS should have early notification to facility to check availability.
	Critical (Red)	Critical failure and service is not available. Update service status in HRTS. EMS should redirect patient as appropriate.
	Divert	See Critical (RED)

OSHA EMERGENCY TEMPORARY STANDARD

- <https://www.osha.gov/coronavirus/ets>
- Published in Federal Registry 21 June 2021
- [NC Statewide Program for Infection Control and Epidemiology Webinar \(14 June 21\)](#)
 - [HTTPS://SPICE.UNC.EDU/WEBINARS](https://spice.unc.edu/webinars)



BUDGET
END OF YEAR (30JUNE)

UPCOMING YEAR 01JULY21 TO 30JUNE2022

SUBCOMMITTEE MEMBERS

Need coalition members to participate in following committees:



Budget



Training



Planning



Please send email to Wanda and John.



STATE ADVISORY BOARD

- KET REPRESENTATIVES
 - MARCUS
 - OSEANA
 - TONYA – SECRETARY FOR STATE ADVISORY BOARD (WILL NEED TO REPLACE)
 - DO OUR CURRENT REPRESENTATIVES WANT TO CONTINUE?
 - IN PERSON MEETING DURING EMAT CONFERENCE 09-11AUG21
 - WILL PRESENT ON COALITION ACTIVITY TO EMA GROUP

AMATEUR RADIO/COMMUNICATIONS

Hospital Net Check 7 of 18 hospitals participating

Meeting for HAM Operators in East Region

Vigilant Guard – Hospital Net Check 06AUG2021

East TN HAMFEST 25Sept2021 Sevier County Fairgrounds

UPDATE FROM CMS 17 GROUP



PROMOTE AND ENHANCE THE WELL-BEING OF THE COMMUNITY'S HEALTHCARE SYSTEM

FACILITY UPDATES, REAL EVENTS, EXERCISES, LESSONS LEARNED

Hospitals

EMS/Fire

EMA/TEMA

Homeland

Blood Bank

Behavioral
Health

Red Cross

REAC/TS

Forensics

RMCC

HAI

Others



CHAPLAIN TRAILER



TURKEY CREEK MEDICAL CENTER

TRAINING

- See Training Calendar on KET HC Coalition website www.ketcoalition.org
- EMAT Conference – 09-11August2021 in Franklin, TN (will have healthcare track)
- **ICS-300 – August 12-13 (FULL)**
 - Please register with Judy Wasik (jwasik@knoxvilletn.gov)
- **ICS-400 – September 22-23 (FULL)**
 - Please register with Judy Wasik (jwasik@knoxvilletn.gov)
- Anniston Alabama
- **HLS - AWR-219: Site Protection through Observational Techniques Course September 15th 8:30am to 5:00pm.** <https://www.eventleaf.com/e/AWR219District2>
- **AWR-213: Critical Infrastructure Security and Resilience Awareness Course August 31st from 8:30am to 5:00pm.**

<https://silentthunder.sandia.gov/fort-thunder>

UPCOMING EXERCISES

Open Discussion

Next KET HC meeting

- 10 August 2021
- IN PERSON Knox Co Health Department Community Room
- Meeting for Sept, Oct, Nov, Dec 2021, Jan, Feb, March 2022 – Will need to find location

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