

CIL - CARP

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Carp Fun Fact:

Goldfish are decedents of the Prussian carp



Mission Statement

CIL-CARP’s mission is to improve an all-hazards response in the central Illinois region through effective communications, planning, and coordinated exercises. CIL-CARP encourages the collaboration between regional healthcare organizations, emergency responders, regional emergency management directors, public health and other emergency response planners while supporting the development of cooperative partnerships in order to promote the essential services they provide to the public.

Message from the Chair

I opened the October CIL-CARP meeting talking about success. You can start being successful at any time. Starting something new is what people fear most, but starting is the key to success. Nothing will ever be attempted or achieved if you wait to overcome all the potential barriers. There is something to be said about the start, to see an opportunity for service and to go after it.

The reason why so little is achieved is generally because so little is attempted. You will succeed if you can get up the courage to begin. True failure lies in the failure to start. The courage to begin separates dreamers from achievers. All of you are achievers. The dream of CIL-CARP is to improve the all-hazard response in central Illinois. We achieve that through improved communications, sharing our plans, and coordinating our activities. We need to start looking at not only our planning process, but how we respond. Thank you for all your work and dedication to preparedness!

-Troy Erbentraut

Advisory Board Summary

Jason Marks has been identified as the advisory board member in charge of maintaining the distribution list. If there is an individual that you believe would be a great addition to CIL-CARP, please bring them to the attention of the advisory board and email their contact information to Jason at jmarks@peoriacounty.org.

Several topics are currently being researched by advisory board members for the next CIL-CARP meeting.

The advisory council has agreed to add a third yearly General Membership meeting following the May 2018 meeting.



General Membership Meeting Summary

The Chairman, Troy Erbentraut started off the second meeting of CIL-CARP by introducing Stop the Bleed. The goal of the grant project is to provide tourniquets to police, fire, EMS, hospital emergency departments, and schools. In order to more cost effectively in purchase of the kits, Troy is assessing what equipment is currently being used by the aforementioned agencies and in what quantity.

Chris Miller of the NWS and Brian Gustafson, Rock Island County Coroner, presented on their respective fields. Chris Miller spoke on the different natural disasters that impact Illinois along with details and specifics surrounding each disaster. An important takeaway from his presentation is that although it appears that severe weather is becoming stronger and more frequent this can be explained through increase in population density or urbanization and advancement in storm spotting capabilities.

Brian Gustafson brought to view what a coroner does and how they prepare for mass casualty incidents. This involved identifying potential targets, including natural disasters, his resources, and MOUs. A significant point to be taken from his talk was the different areas of importance when properly handling the deceased, such as different types of religions. As mentioned by him, funeral directors are a great resource to tap when trying to understand how to respectfully handle or approach incidents involving the deceased.



Resource Show and Tell

AirVac

Medical emergency helicopter transportation based in Macomb, IL. AirVac takes half the time for delivery of patient from A to B as opposed to driving. To request a helicopter: call 1-800-AIR-EVAC with the agency's name, call back number, location of patient, and nature of the emergency.

Contact: Randy Faxon, randy.faxon@air-evac.com



EMAT (Emergency Management Assistance Team) EOC Support Trailer

A 20 foot trailer containing all the necessities and amenities for setting up and furnishing an EOC at a remote location. It is a state resource owned by IESMA and delivered to the location by EMAT personnel. There is no cost.

Contact: Mat Schnepfle,
schnepfle@ema+hc.com

IEMA NOMAD

A 45 foot mobile command center divided into command, operations, and communications. It is furnished with hvac, 88 hour run time generators, television displays, and voice, data, radio communications.

Contact: Robert Flemming,
Robert.L.Flemming2@illinois.gov



POD Trailers – Peoria City/County Health Department

Point of Dispensing that can be set up at any remote location. Great for reaching out to your target populations or for setting up several, separate locations to reduce mass congregation.

Contact: Jason Marks,
jmarks@peoriacounty.org
 or 309-712-5980



Region 2 Medical Emergency Response Team Trailer

The mission of the Region 2 MERT Trailer is to augment the existing medical service systems for community emergencies. Available services are on-scene, out-of-hospital, or direct hospital emergency medical care in addition to decontamination.

Contact: Troy Erbentraut,
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Unified Command Post – Tazewell County

A self-contained EOC with hvac, miniature conference area, radio room, internet, fax, and a remote-controlled camera. The vehicle is dispatched along with two volunteers from TC EMA's UCP Team and is assembled within 30 minutes at no cost.

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Represents EMS



Trainings, Exercises, and Meetings

HSEEP
Peoria Dec.14th

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CIL CARP Advisory Board Meeting
Tremont Jan. 11th

Rail Car Incident Response Training
Effingham Jan. 27th

CIL WeatherNet Seminar
Decatur March 3rd

NWS – Weather Spotter's Class
East Peoria, Par – A – Dice March 19th

Principles of Emergency Management
Roanoke March 21st

CIL-CARP General Meeting
Lasalle May 9th

Command & General Staff Functions Course
Bloomington June 11th- 15th

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