

Activating MEDDRUN & CHEMPACK

MEDDRUN or CHEMPACK?

MEDDRUN provides a standardized source of pharmaceuticals and medical supplies capable of treating **up to three cyanide exposures and up to 50 NA/organophosphate casualties**, and is designed, ideally, to be **deployed within one hour**.

CHEMPACK caches are **deployable within one to three hours**. There are two types of CHEMPACK caches in Michigan:

- **EMS cache** - primarily intended for emergency responder use at the scene of an incident. Designed to treat approximately **454 NA/organophosphate casualties**.
- **Hospital cache** - primarily intended for hospital use. Designed to treat approximately **1,000 NA/organophosphate casualties**.

To activate MEDDRUN &/or CHEMPACK, call:
Primary Communications Agency: 877-633-7786
Backup Communications Agency: 616-391-5330

Be Prepared

The Communications Agency will need...

- Your name and title;
- The region, facility, and/or agency you are calling from;
- The name of the physician or officer in charge of medical control at the site of the incident, and their contact information;
- The location of the incident;
- Descriptions of the incident and patient type(s);
- Specific deployment/landing zone (LZ) location;
- Radio frequency or talkgroup for the deployment/LZ location; &
- Callsign of the agency setting up the deployment/LZ location.

SYMPTOMS OF NERVE AGENT EXPOSURE

SLUDGEM

S - salivation
L - lacrimation (tears)
U - urination
D - defecation/diarrhea
G - GI upset (cramps)
E - emesis (vomiting)
M - muscle twitching or spasm & miosis (pupil constriction)

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