

Resource: Texas Mass Fatality Operations Response Team (TMORT)					
Public Health & Medical (ESF 8)		Kind:	Incident Site Team		
Minimum Capabilities		Type I	Type II	Type III	Type IV
Component	Metric				
Overall Function	Primary Mission	Search, documentation, and recovery of 50-100 decedents. *see matrix	Search, documentation, and recovery of 25-50 decedents. *see matrix	Search, documentation, and recovery of 10-25 decedents. *see matrix	Search, documentation, and recovery of 10 decedents. *see matrix
	Capability	12 hour operations	12 hour operations	12 hour operations	12 hour operations
Mobilization		< 6 hours	< 6 hours	< 4 hours	< 4 hours
	Operationally Capable	120 minutes upon arrival at the site	120 minutes upon arrival at the site	60 minutes upon arrival at the site	30 minutes upon arrival at the site
Capacity	Number of Crew	25 – person response (9) Support Specialists (1) Incident Site Group Supervisor (12) HR Recovery Specialist (2) Mapping Specialist (1) Evidence Tracking Specialist	17 – person response (7) Support Specialists (1) Incident Site Group Supervisor (6) HR Recovery Specialist (2) Mapping Specialist (1) Evidence Tracking Specialist	15 – person response (5) Support Specialists (1) Incident Site Group Supervisor (6) HR Recovery Specialist (2) Mapping Specialist (1) Evidence Tracking Specialist	Single resource requests to augment existing infrastructure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Field Ops Advisor • Forensic Investigator • Forensic Anthropologist • Mapping Specialist • Recovery Equipment
	Personnel Standard	ICS 100, 200, 700, 800 Attended TMORT Course Meet Position Specific Requirements	ICS 100, 200, 700, 800 Attended TMORT Course Meet Position Specific Requirements	ICS 100, 200, 700, 800 Attended TMORT Course Meet Position Specific Requirements	ICS 100, 200, 700, 800 Attended TMORT Course Meet Position Specific Requirements
Operational Area	Parking and Support	40,000 ft ² , 200' x 200'	40,000 ft ² , 200' x 200'	40,000 ft ² , 200' x 200'	
Equipment	Command Vehicles	Mobile Command Post Rehab Trailer	Mobile Command Post Rehab Trailer	Mobile Command Post	
	Response Equipment	(3) Site Processing Kit (1) Total Station Kit (6) Photography Kit (150) Body Bag (1) DPMU-2 ³	(2) Site Processing Kit (1) Total Station Kit (4) Photography Kit (75) Body Bag (1) DPMU-2 ³	(1) Site Processing Kit (1) Total Station Kit (2) Photography Kit (40) Body Bag (1) DPMU-2 ³	
	Tow Vehicle	(5) Class 3 or Class 4 trucks	(5) Class 3 or Class 4 trucks	(4) Class 3 or Class 4 trucks	
	Power Generation	(1) >45kW Generator	(1) >45kW Generator	(1) >20kW Generator	
	All Terrain Mobility	(1) ATV	(1) ATV		
	Area Lighting	(1) Generator powered light tower			
	Computer Equipment	(5) Laptop (1) Printer (1) Scanner	(5) Laptop (1) Printer (1) Scanner	(3) Laptop (1) Printer (1) Scanner	(3) Laptop (1) Printer (1) Scanner

	Safety Management	(1000) Nitrile Gloves Bio-hazard containers (25) Hardhats (25) Eye Protection (25) Workgloves	(1000) Nitrile Gloves Bio-hazard containers (25) Hardhats (25) Eye Protection (25) Workgloves	(1000) Nitrile Gloves Bio-hazard containers (25) Hardhats (25) Eye Protection (25) Workgloves	Appropriate PPE
	Administrative Supplies	Admin Kit	Admin Kit	Admin Kit	
Communications	Radio Systems	(20) VHF Radios w/ interoperability	(20) VHF Radios w/ interoperability	(10) VHF Radios w/ interoperability	
	Communications Equipment	4G-capable internet access	4G-capable internet access	4G-capable internet access	4G-capable internet access
Services	Trash Service	(1) 8 yd ³ dumpster Bio-hazard waste Emptied daily	Appropriate trash services Bio-hazard waste Emptied daily	Appropriate trash services Bio-hazard waste Emptied daily	Appropriate trash services Bio-hazard waste Emptied daily
Support Capability	Responders	Approximately 25 personnel	Approximately 17 personnel	Approximately 15 personnel	Dependent on resource request
Safety	PPE	Appropriate PPE as determined by the Safety Officer and/or the needs of the deployment			
	Immunizations	Recommended all personnel should have current influenza, tetanus/diphtheria, and Hepatitis A & B series immunizations, or as recommended by the TDMS Responder Health & Safety Workgroup for the specific deployment.			
Comments:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Trailer/storage management and transportation of human remains is the function of Texas Funeral Directors Association (TFDA) 2. The Support Specialists Group is a scalable, overhead and support team which may comprise a TMORT team leader, Operations Leader, Logistics, Planning, Finance, Safety Officer, Liaison, Driver/Operators, and IT/Comms, as applicable, to fill necessary roles in the operation. 3. Decontamination components should be ordered separately. 4. Appropriate lodging, food, and hygiene arrangements for deployed team should be coordinated by the requesting jurisdiction. 5. The Admin kit includes zip ties, evidence tape, Sharpies, power strips, cords, pens, pencils, etc. 6. The attached Matrix Guide may assist with determining the appropriate TMORT team-type request. 				

Matrix Guide for Determining TMORT Team Request

		High Fatality Count		Low Fatality Count	
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Complex Incident Variables ↑ Simple Incident Variables	Multiple Locations	Type I	Type I	Type II	Type II
	Contaminated	Type I	Type I	Type II	Type III
	Charred	Type I	Type I	Type II	Type III
	Fragmented, Commingled	Type I	Type I	Type II	Type IV
	Intact, Visually Recognizable	Type I	Type II	Type III	Type IV
		Estimated 100 fatalities	Estimated 50 fatalities	Estimated 25 fatalities	Estimated 10 fatalities