



Provincial Medical First Response Program

Project Update

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Common Acronyms

MFR: Medical First Response

AHS: Alberta Health Services -
responsible for delivery of health

AH: Alberta Health - responsible for
health policy

AFCA: Alberta Fire Chiefs Association

AUMA: Alberta Urban Municipalities
Association

AAMDC: Alberta Association of Municipal
Districts and Councils

ACP: Alberta College of Paramedics

August 2014

(For the month of July)

Planned Activities for Reporting Period

- Continue implementation to pilot sites and ongoing evaluation of components in development
- Work with AH and ACP to confirm MFR-appropriate scope-of-practice
- Work with Fire Commissioner (Municipal Affairs) to confirm liability questions for municipalities and requirements
- Begin pilot of Online Portal systems and PCR submission process
- Schedule initial MFR Medical Directors Meeting
- Follow-up with pilot sites and prospective pilots to offer any other support

Accomplished Activities for Reporting Period

- Continued implementation to pilot sites and ongoing evaluation of components in development;
- Collaborated with AH to outline MFR scope-of-practice considerations, including restricted skills confirmation
- Began focused testing of PCR on Online Portal
- Ongoing support provided to MFR participants
- Successfully recruited for positions of MFR Manager, and MFR Strategist
- Launch municipal administrators (CAOs) survey to confirm agencies providing MFR, and to raise awareness level
- Collaborated with AUMA to clarify questions arising from their membership

Variations from Planned Activities

- Work with Fire Commissioner (Municipal Affairs) to confirm liability questions for municipalities and requirements (to be reviewed)
- Schedule initial MFR Medical Directors Meeting (deferred to next month in order to confirm MDs schedules) – target late-September for meeting

Planned Activities for Next Reporting Period

- Continue implementation to pilot sites and ongoing evaluation of components in development
- Continue to work with AH and ACP to address MFR scope-of-practice queries
- Schedule initial MFR Medical Directors Meeting
- Post MFR database administrator job opportunity