



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

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(For the month of January)

Planned Activities for Reporting Period

- Continue focused engagement with program stakeholders including municipalities
- Review preliminary program findings with MFR Steering Committee
- Sign contract with Online Portal vendor
- Work with stakeholders to design evaluation plan for piloting sites
- Refine draft program design materials and develop content based on stakeholder feedback

Accomplished Activities for Reporting Period

- Ongoing engagement with impacted program stakeholders
- Met with Capital Region Fire Chiefs in St. Albert and their administrators to review the draft program findings and discuss impacts to their agencies
- Scheduled meeting with AUMA to discuss challenges related to sharing mapping information between public safety agencies
- MFR Steering Committee review of preliminary findings from the working group phase
- Continued to work with parties interested in pilot various program components
- Drafted evaluation plan to support monitoring and learning from pilot site implementations
- Completed draft listing of known MFR agencies, to be reviewed by MFR dispatch agencies.

Variations from Planned Activities

- Agreement with Online Portal vendor has not been signed pending final review of contractual terms with AHS CPSM

Planned Activities for Next Reporting Period

- Sign contract with Online Portal vendor
- Host MFR information session in North Zone for local MFR groups
- Confirm AHS MFR Medical Directors in each zone
- Inquire within AHS regarding opportunities for MFR agencies to participate in AHS's preferred sourcing model.
- Meet with EMS leaders including contracted operators to discuss opportunities to collaborate with MFR agencies in provincial program delivery and roll-out
- Distribute MFR agencies list among known MFR dispatch agencies for validation
- Share preliminary Alberta MFR Program findings with Key Stakeholders