

POD	POINTS OF DISTRIBUTION (actual or simulated locations)
INJECT ONE	TIME: 9:20 EDT/8:20 CDT (Suggested: inject as possible/sensible)
INJECT	<p>Following numerous tornadoes striking in your area of responsibility, your team has been activated by a served agency (normally a county Emergency Management Agency). Your team may have already been deployed to serve at a Point of Distribution (POD). The POD site may be a pre-designated place that would be used for an actual POD, or it may be a simulated location.</p> <p>With landline, cellular, and internet connections breaking down, the citizenry is becoming anxious – especially as reports have circulated that the Governor has declared a state of emergency. There are rumors of runs on bank ATMs and food/fuel sites. Rapidly increasing numbers of people are, consequently, seeking basic water and food at PODs. PODS locations and what they distribute were announced on local broadcast and other media before they went silent.</p> <p>The POD Manager asks you to establish communications with the EOC. She requests that the team provide a count of water supplies and of MREs at the POD, plus any other food or fuel supplies. You currently have 13 pallets of water and 2 remaining pallets of MRE’s.</p> <p>ACTION: Use a structured message format to communicate this information. An ICS-213 is suggested.</p> <p><u>**REMEMBER** - All communications should start and end with “FOR EXERCISE”</u></p>

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INJECT TWO	TIME: 9:50 EDT/8:50 CDT (or as soon as practicable)
INJECT	<p>Reports of panic and civil disorder are accompanied by the physical security of the POD site becoming a concern. It appears that several major access routes to the POD are now blocked by vehicular crashes caused by the failure of traffic control systems.</p> <p>The POD manager asks the team to request the EOC contact public safety and have two law enforcement vehicles with officers/deputies deploy to the POD site. Moreover, the POD would like the EOC to ask County traffic control to address the intersection blockages.</p> <p>ACTION: Use a structured message format to communicate this information. An ICS-213 is suggested.</p> <p><u>**REMEMBER** - All communications should start and end with "FOR EXERCISE"</u></p>

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INJECT THREE	TIME: 10:05 EDT/9:05 CDT (or as soon as practicable)
INJECT	<p>The POD is running low on water and food for distribution. Physical security is now very much a problem. Lines for supply distribution are backed up, and fights are breaking out. The police have not yet appeared.</p> <p>The POD manager asks you to ask the EOC for urgent dispatch of law enforcement to control the crowds and provide physical security.</p> <p>The POD manager is requesting the EOC supply additional potable water for 500 people for a day, and for 300 MREs and 100 for special needs (vegetarian and diabetic).</p> <p>Human waste now necessitates Porta-Potties. The manager asks for dispatch of three Porta-Potties.</p> <p>ACTION: Use a structured message format to convey this request.</p> <p><u>**REMEMBER** - All communications should start and end with "FOR EXERCISE"</u></p>

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INJECT FOUR	TIME: 10:40 EDT/9:40 CDT (or as soon as practicable)
INJECT	<p>After attempting a communications and status check with the EOC and hearing no reply, either directly or through repeaters, you investigate. There is an antenna/feedline issue. The antenna has been knocked to the ground by restive crowds of POD patrons.</p> <p>ACTION: Your team must implement a temporary antenna or utilize an HT to communicate with the EOC. During this time, you are unable to respond to the EOC until the antenna is back in operation. If you cannot implement an alternate solution, you must stay off the air and not respond for a period of 15 minutes. Following antenna/feedline repair, establish communications with the EOC. Report a communications failure and that it has been fixed. Inform the EOC that one law enforcement vehicle has arrived and that this has helped address the physical security issue. Request an update on further law enforcement dispatch. Since additional water and food have failed to appear, the POD Manager asks the team to get their status from the EOC.</p> <p><u>**REMEMBER** - All communications should start and end with "FOR EXERCISE"</u></p>

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INJECT FIVE	TIME: 11:00 EDT/10:00 CDT (or as soon as practicable)
INJECT	<p>On site power for the POD has failed. There is no power for lighting or fans to cool the crowds and provide some semblance of normalcy. Restoring confidence is now very important – fist fights have led to injuries that require medical attention.</p> <p>The POD Manager requests dispatch of one 5 kW generator and fuel for 24 hours, as well as lights. Use structured resource request for this.</p> <p>The POD Manager also asks the EOC to coordinate with EMS for dispatch of one EMS vehicle with personnel to treat the numerous non-life-threatening injuries.</p> <p>You discover that your radio equipment is also off the air due to this power loss.</p> <p>ACTION: Using emergency power only, communicate the requests of the POD Manager to your EOC using a structured message format.</p> <p><u>**REMEMBER** - All communications should start and end with "FOR EXERCISE"</u></p>

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INJECT SIX	TIME: 11:15 EDT/10:15 CDT (or as soon as practicable)
INJECT	<p>Power is still out, and disorder exceeds the capability of the POD staff and the still-lone law enforcement vehicle to manage. With all communications out, panic is now widespread among POD patrons, who are still increasing in number and desperation. Neither the requested water/food, the second police unit, nor the EMS ambulance have arrived.</p> <p>The POD Manager requests from the EOC that additional security, medical services, and POD supplies be immediately provided. Manager asks first for an urgent update on when these requests are expected to appear. She also advises that unless the water/food are forthcoming within 10 minutes, the POD must shut down for lack of ability to provide services.</p> <p>ACTION: Using emergency power only, communicate the requests of the POD Manager to your EOC using a structured message format.</p> <p><u>**REMEMBER** - All communications should start and end with "FOR EXERCISE"</u></p>