

Mobile Field Hospital Site Selection Worksheet

The purpose of this worksheet is to work with our local partners to pre-identify Mobile Field Hospital (MFH) sites for deployment when requested. Our goal is to identify sites that are not already pre-designated for another mission. We would like to identify sites most appropriate for the mission during a particular event such as co-located by a medical facility that has been damaged. Another consideration would be sites located near landmarks that would help mutual aid responders with the ability to locate the MFH. Past experience has shown sites that are government owned (i.e., schools, parks, small airports, open land, etc.) are less problematic overall, but all sites should be considered, including privately owned. This form was designed to be very simple. To set up a Mobile Field Hospital we need a flat, large, open space, that has large access so the 24 - 53ft flatbed trucks can enter. If you have any questions while using this worksheet please contact Bill Hartley at EMSA, (916) 255-1802 or william.hartley@emsa.ca.gov. **(This form will print on Legal size paper)**

Pictures: Please include three to four pictures of the site clearly marked. Horizontal style pictures showing the site and background (i.e., power poles, surrounding buildings, roads) are preferred. Please clearly mark the pictures and the sheet below so there is no mistaking which worksheet belongs with which pictures.

Submitting Agency		Site Identifier, (i.e., agency initials and number, SSC #1)	Agency Contact Information (Who we would contact with questions regarding worksheet submission)	
			NAME: Telephone: E-Mail:	
Information Element	Specification	Consideration		Comments
1 Location	Physical address/intersection street names/identifiable landmarks.	Type of site: Park, mall, military base, parking lot, school etc.		Site Address:
Location Owner or Responsible Party	Responsible Contact we can contact to receive permission to use site through an agreement.	Government owned sites are less problematic than private, but please do not exclude privately owned sites		Name: Address: Telephone:
2 Size of Site	MFH is 232 ft x 353 ft Site must be at least twice this size. Two football fields.	Supplies, tents, access and MFH require space equal to or greater than two football fields	Is site larger than two football fields: YES or NO	If answer is YES please proceed, If answer is NO please stop and locate another site.
3 Terrain	Site must be as level as possible. Consider drainage, nearby terrain, debris and fixtures such as light standards.	Is the site flat. Only minimal grading needed. .	Is site flat or only minimal grading needed: YES or NO	If answer is YES please proceed, If answer is NO please stop and locate another site.
4 Ground Material	Asphalt and gravel are the best. It may be possible to bring in gravel. Dirt site would be used as a last resort.	Sight repair after teardown should be evaluated. Is there excessive evidence of burrowing animals.	Please circle all that apply: Asphalt Gravel Grass Dirt	Please give a short description of ground materials:

5 Access to Site	Must provide for ingress and egress of 53 ft flatbeds and all other service vehicles. Remember this is a hospital, after set-up there will be lots of traffic.	Two access points allows for one way traffic through the area and smooth patient drop-off. If only one access point can we add another?	Please circle one: Two access points One access point More than two accesses	Please give a short description of access points or need to add another:
6 Security Situation	Evaluate site security	Safety/Security is a major consideration, is there any perimeter fencing , building, etc. that will help in setting up security?	Please circle one: Site is secure Useable barriers Needs complete security support	Please give short description of what security measures would need to be put into place:

Basic Mobile Field Hospital Specifications	
Foot print: 82,000 sq. ft. (232 ft x 353 ft)	Weight: 40 tons
24 53ft Flat bed trucks for MFH delivery	Power: 770 kw (7 Whisper Watt 125's)
40 Medical Shelters (20 ft x 32.5 ft & 20 ft x 40.5 ft)	150 Staff (Two 12 hour shifts)
20 Bed Emergency Department	20 bed Intensive care unit
2 Bed operating room	10 Bed reverse isolation ward
170 Flexible ward beds	Digital X-Ray system
Point of care lab testing (I-Stat)	