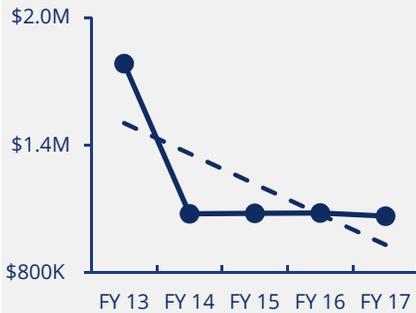


# HOSPITAL PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM

# MAINE

## HPP FUNDING

**41% decrease in funding**  
since FY 2013



## HIGHLIGHTS

- Maine uses HPP funds to increase operational readiness to prepare for, respond to, and recover from health emergencies for the state's population of 1.3 million
- Forty-two acute care hospitals participate in Maine's three health care coalitions (HCCs), including 16 critical access hospitals, one VA hospital, and two state psychiatric hospitals
- All of Maine's HCCs have well-documented regional boundaries, in existence for the past 13 years, which define how each coalition will lead an emergency response

## HCC CORE MEMBER PARTICIPATION

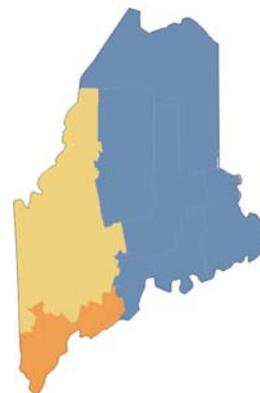


## SPOTLIGHT ON RESPONSE: 2017-2018 Winter Storms

- Winter storms pounded the Northeast in 2017-2018, causing power outages, road closures and damage to health care facilities.
- The Northeast Maine Regional HCC responded to community needs by sharing power outage reports and a current CMS de-identified database of home patients with medical devices from the HHS emPOWER Initiative to assist their vulnerable populations.
- All HCCs monitored health care facility status via EMResources, and the Maine CDC Office of Public Health Preparedness sent our alerts via the Maine Health Alert Network.

## FY 2018 PRIORITIES

- **Community Resilience:** Strengthen the public health and health care system's ability to provide essential services during an incident through greater continuity planning
- **Countermeasures & Mitigation:** Increase access to MCMs for at-risk or vulnerable populations during an incident through open, closed, and hybrid Points of Dispensing
- **Information Management:** Reduce time needed to disseminate situational awareness and risk information to emergency response organizations and to the public
- **Surge Management:** Increase continuity of essential health care services during emergency response and recovery operations



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**Health Care Coalitions**