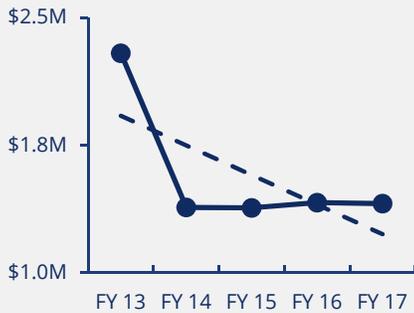


HOSPITAL PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM

WEST VIRGINIA

HPP FUNDING

39% decrease in funding
since FY 2013



HIGHLIGHTS

- West Virginia (WV) uses HPP funds to further its robust emergency preparedness and response platform to protect roughly 1.8 million citizens
- WV has seven highly integrated and functional health care coalitions (HCC), all of which have formal governance structures
- The opioid epidemic has particularly impacted two of the state’s HCCs; in response, WV supports partnerships with Appalachia High Intensity Drug Trafficking Area initiatives
- WV has a strong cadre engaged in the national Voluntary Organizations Active in Disaster in efforts to rebuild homes and bridges destroyed in numerous floods across the State

HCC CORE MEMBER PARTICIPATION

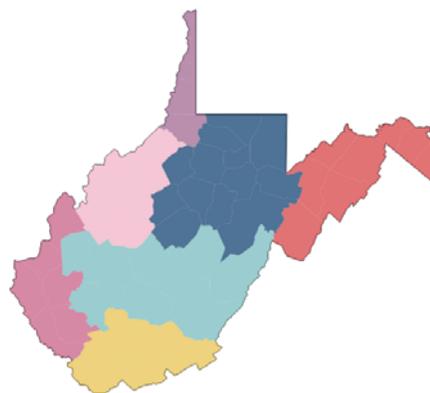


SPOTLIGHT ON PLANNING: National Scout Jamboree

- In 2017, WV hosted the annual National Scout Jamboree, a Boy Scouts of America event attended by over 40,000 participants, including President Donald Trump
- All of WV’s HCCs were response-ready for medical surge or evacuation events, with HCCs in regions 1, 3, and 4 particularly poised for response
- WV activated its Department of Health and Human Resources Health Command and the Center for Threat Preparedness for this event to mitigate potential medical surge on the date the President visited the Summit as a precautionary measure given the high level status of the visit

FY 2018 PRIORITIES

- **Countermeasures and Mitigation:** Maintain personal protective equipment (PPE) cache locations and content availability for local health care system partners to protect health care responders and employees during response and recovery operations
- **Community Resilience:** Update emergency operations plans addressing access and functional needs
- **Information Management:** Coordinate redundant communications drills
- **Surge Management:** Update HCC plans for coordinating response to burn and trauma emergencies within their regions



7 Health Care Coalitions