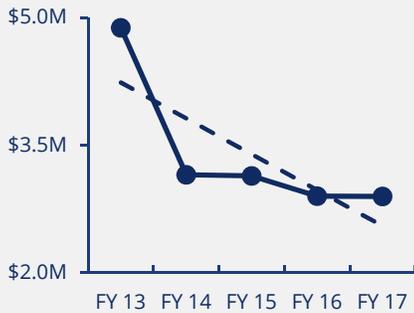


HOSPITAL PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM

LOUISIANA

HPP FUNDING

41% decrease in funding
since FY 2013



HIGHLIGHTS

- Louisiana uses HPP funds to build a robust emergency preparedness and response foundation for the state’s population of 4.6 million
- A broad spectrum of health care providers actively participate in Louisiana’s nine health care coalitions (HCC)
- HPP funds full-time HCC coordinators in each region to effectively manage readiness and response activities
- The HPP grant is managed and administered by the Louisiana Hospital Association

HCC CORE MEMBER PARTICIPATION



of hospitals



of Emergency Medical Services



of public health departments



of emergency management organizations

SPOTLIGHT ON RESPONSE: 2017 Hurricane Season

- In late summer 2017, Louisiana Emergency Support Function (ESF)-8 coordinated the evacuation of three thousand Texas residents to shelters established in Louisiana
- During Hurricane Harvey, HCCs and member hospitals tracked Texas patients and provided daily updates to the Texas State Medical Operations Center (SMOC)
- Louisiana deployed an Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) team of providers to Florida to support the Hurricane Irma response

FY 2018 PRIORITIES

- **Information Management:** Conduct at least two Redundant Communications drills in 2018
- **Countermeasures & Mitigation:** Review and update Pharmacy Standard Operating Procedures for shelter planning during disasters
- **Surge Management:** All Louisiana HCCs will conduct a Coalition Surge Test (CST) in 2018 to improve patient evacuation capabilities
- **Community Resilience:** All Louisiana HCCs will operationalize regional response plans to improve operational capabilities



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Health Care Coalitions