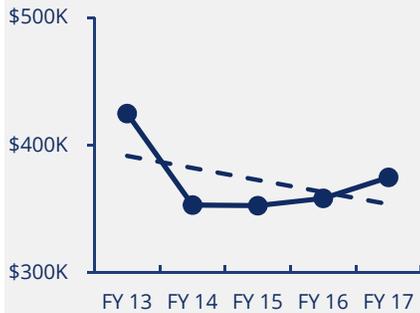


HOSPITAL PREPAREDNESS PROGRAM

GUAM

HPP FUNDING

12% decrease in funding
since FY 2013



HIGHLIGHTS

- The U.S. Territory of Guam is located approximately 1,600 miles east of the Philippines 3,800 miles west of Honolulu, HI.
- The Guam Memorial Hospital Authority (GMHA) is a semi-autonomous government agency that serves as the HPP awardee. The bed capacity is 198 beds (158 acute care beds and 40 skilled nursing beds) across two hospitals: privately-owned Guam Regional Medical City and Guam Navy Hospital. The jurisdictional population is 168,000 residents with thousands of tourists each year from Japan.
- Common jurisdictional threats include typhoons and infectious diseases, such as Dengue Fever, Chikungunya, and Zika.

HCC CORE MEMBER PARTICIPATION



of hospitals



of Emergency Medical Services



of public health departments



of emergency management organizations

SPOTLIGHT ON PREPAREDNESS: Collaboration and Training

GMHA works collaboratively with its public health partner, Department of Public Health and Social Services, (DPHSS), Guam Emergency Management and Healthcare Coalition (GEMHCC) and the two area hospitals, in all major island exercises and trainings. For example, GMHA helped its inpatient care competitor GRMC meet the Joint Commission hospital accreditation standards and develop its emergency operation plan. Also, GMH hosted a NETEC (National Ebola Training and Education Center) emerging infectious disease workshop, with more than 100 individuals attending.

FY 2018 PRIORITIES

- **Incident Management:** Integrate the HCC with Guam's ESF-8 (health and medical providers) to develop a HCC response plan, and integrate this plan with the Guam Comprehensive Emergency Management Plan. Further, GMHA will work with the Guam Department of Administration to develop expedited fiscal procedures that ensure funding is provided rapidly in an emergency.
- **Information Management:** GMHA, with DPHSS and HCC members, will establish and test a common operating picture in a situational awareness tool, which will facilitates coordinated information sharing among Guam healthcare providers.



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