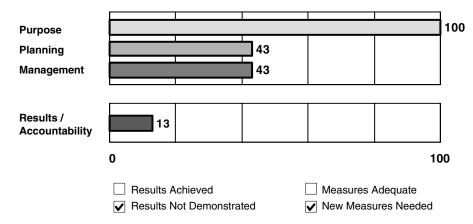
Program: Metropolitan Medical Response System

Agency: Department of Homeland Security

Bureau: Departmental Management



Key Performance Measures	Year	Target	Actual
Long-term Measure:			

Rating: Results Not Demonstrated

Program Type: Block/Formula Grants

Program Summary:

The MMRS program helps local health personnel respond to a mass casualty incident, including a terrorist use of a weapon of mass destruction.

Findings from the PART assessment include the following:

- 1. The purpose of MMRS is clear. The program was designed to provide 122 cities with funding to establish a base level of preparedness.
- 2. The program has not developed any long-term or short-term outcome goals by which to measure results.
- 3. Evidence of proper management demonstrated mixed results. No financial audit information was available for this program.
- 4. Due to the fact that this program is administered through contracts rather than grants, contractors are in many ways automatically aligned with and accountable to the goals of the program. However, goals are not well established across contracts, nor is performance information used to change contract funding amounts, or purposes.

The Budget recommendation reflects:

1. Discontinuation of this program in 2004 since the large increase in the 2003 Budget completes the mission of providing 122 cities with necessary funding to establish a base level of preparedness.

Program Funding Level (in millions of dollars)

2002 Actual	2003 Estimate	2004 Estimate	
25	60	0	