



# CERT Participation in Pandemic Influenza Exercise

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# Project Goals

- To be included from the beginning in all aspects of planning
- Its all about RELATIONSHIPS
- To achieve concrete and measurable objectives





# Description

- **CERT teams will be used to monitor progress of influenza in contained neighborhoods**
- **Predict surge**
- **Communicate information in a timely and correct method**

# Logistics



How will this REALLY work and be successful in an exercise?

- Message to Public
- Deploy CERT
- Retrieve information
- Relay information



# Measurable Goals and Objectives

How do we create objectives to be measured yet not compromise the drill outcomes?

- Information received and understood
- Deployment and response
- Communication

# Assumptions for Drill



- Pandemic Flu has hit MD
- People are being asked to self quarantine
- Infrastructure has NOT dissolved



# Team/Resources

- State assumptions about resources allocated to this project
  - People
  - Equipment
  - Locations
  - Support & outside services



# Problems

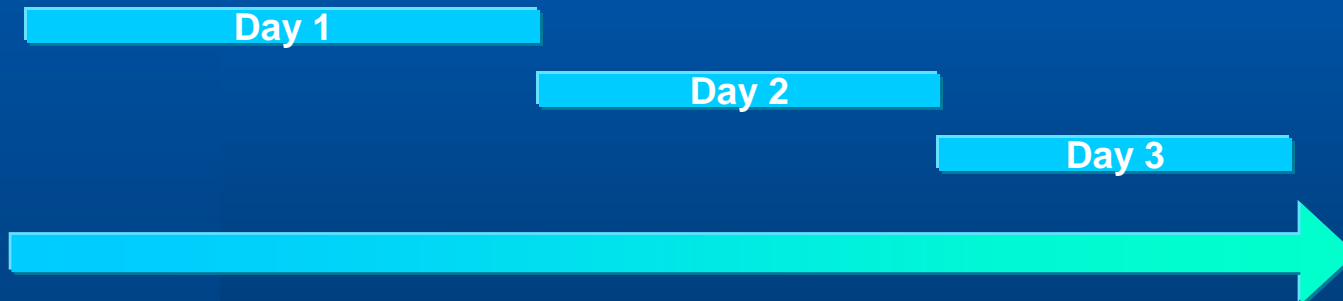
- Working with Non-structured groups of volunteers
- Creating SAFE ways for volunteers to participate if asked to respond for Pandemic
- Communications
- Working with PIO





# Schedule

- schedule milestones



# Current Status

- Meet with Senior Planning group
- Meet with Containment sub-committee
- Meet with State EOC JIC players
- Meet with CERT leaders
- Meet with Players

# Outcomes



- CERT information
- PanFlu information
- Templates (goals, objectives, timeline, injects)
- Review ...How did we do?
- WILL WE BE ABLE TO USE THIS MODEL IN REALITY?

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