



INCIDENT COMMAND SYSTEM

Incident Mobile Rehabilitation Cache

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Introduction

This document provides a list of supplies and equipment needed to support rehabilitation efforts for responders on a prolonged emergency event. In ICS, the Responder Rehabilitation Manager and assigned staff supports an incident's responder rehabilitation requirements. A Mobile Rehabilitation Cache (MRC) can be ordered for an incident, a prescheduled event such as a large training exercise, or a public event to ensure personnel have access to hydration, meals, and shelter from the elements.

Firefighters engage in operations that include strenuous physical activity for prolonged periods of time. They engage in operations in both extreme hot and cold conditions. A Standard Equipment List (SEL) provides a minimum cache of supplies that will help protect the safety and welfare of personnel operating at emergencies with challenging physical conditions. MRC's are typed as a guide for the number of personnel who will be operating at an incident.

Function

The MRC is available upon request by the Incident Commander (IC) to provide rehabilitation supplies to support the safety and welfare of personnel on an emergency incident. The MRC will respond to the scene and report to the Logistics Section Chief, Medical Unit Leader, or Responder Rehabilitation Manager. If the Logistics Section has not been established, the MRC will report to the Incident Commander or designee. The primary function of the MRC is to provide hydration, food, and shelter to personnel on the scene of an emergency incident. If medical monitoring is required, the IC or medical unit can designate a crew(s) to the rehabilitation area to monitor personnel. The crew(s) assigned to medically evaluate personnel will provide their own equipment and supplies.

Staffing and Equipment

Each fire agency housing an MRC shall designate personnel to transport the unit to the emergency scene. The personnel who transport the unit do not have to be sworn safety employees but should be familiar or trained to operate around emergency scenes. The supply inventory for the MRC can be configured in any manner to meet minimum standards.

Agencies can transport the supplies to the scene in a manner which best suits its needs and resources. It is recommended that the supplies for the MRC are stored in a cool dry place and away from the elements. The supplies should be inventoried on a regular basis to ensure they have not expired or deteriorated.

Resource Typing

Below is a typing matrix describing the capabilities of the MRC:

Type 1	100+ personnel
Type 2	50-100 personnel
Type 3	1-50 personnel

Standard Equipment List

The following SEL has been created as a guide for the Mobile Rehabilitation Cache. The SEL is divided into the following categories: **SHELTER, HYDRATION and FOOD, LOGISTICS, PORTABLE POWER, and OPTIONAL**. All items listed in each category is the minimum inventory needed.

FIRESCOPE does not recommend a specific product or brand. The user of this document is solely responsible for the specific selection and purchase of items to be added to their agency's inventory. Therefore, this SEL is a reference document only and should be used as a guide to meet the minimum level of standardization. Each agency can configure the SEL in any manner that meets the department's needs, including how to transport the Mobile Rehabilitation Cache to the scene.

SHELTER

The SEL for this category is intended to provide relief from either hot or cold environments, protection from both rain, wind, and direct sunlight and provide a means for personnel to recover from the elements. The intent for this SEL is to provide shelter for personnel during rehabilitation.

ITEM	TYPE 1	TYPE 2	TYPE 3
Pop Up Foldable Shelter or Tents- 10'x10'	8	4	2
Pop Up Shelter or Tent Anchors (stakes or sandbags)	32	16	8
Folding Chairs	30	20	10
Folding Table 24" x 48"	8	4	4
Folding Cots	8	6	4
Electric Heater	8	4	4
Electric Cooling Fans/Misters	8	4	4
Towels 24" x 48"	150	100	50
Emergency Rescue Blankets	50	25	10
Salvage Covers	8	4	2

HYDRATION AND FOOD

The SEL for this category is intended to provide emergency hydration and nutrition to personnel on the scene of the incident. If the Rehabilitation Cache is being utilized during cold weather, then ice is not necessary. The food is pre-packaged so it can be stored in an appropriate location for longer periods of time without spoiling. It is recommended that the expiration date of the food be logged so the supplies can be replaced before spoiling.

ITEM	TYPE 1	TYPE 2	TYPE 3
Bottled Water	10 cases	5 cases	2 cases
Bottle Electrolyte Beverage	10 cases	5 cases	2 cases
Ice Chest- 100 Quart	4	3	2
Powdered Electrolyte Packets	10 cases	5 cases	5 cases
Ice	50 lbs.	50 lbs.	25 lbs.
MRE's – 12 per case	10	8	6
Nutritional Bars – 12-15 per box	10	8	6

LOGISTICS

The SEL for this category is intended to provide miscellaneous support during rehabilitation. This includes supplies for documentation, a basic decontamination cache, traffic, and perimeter control measures.

ITEM	TYPE 1	TYPE 2	TYPE 3
Trash cans – 32 gallons	8	4	2
Trash bag roll – 32 gallons	1	1	1
Hand Sanitizer – 64oz bottle	4	2	2
Clipboard	5	3	2
ICS form 214	10	10	10
Pens and Pencils – boxes of each	1	1	1
Note Pads 5” x 8”	4	4	4
Yellow Hazard Tape Rolls	4	2	1
Firefighter Decontamination Wipes	200	100	50
Poison Oak Skin Cleaner - 32oz	4	2	1
Sunscreen Wipes – 100/box	4	2	1
Dry Erase Board with Markers	2	2	2
Orange Traffic Cones or Delineators- 28”	12	8	6
Disinfectant Spray Bottles	8	4	2
Non-Latex Glove Boxes sizes	6 S, M, L, XL	4 S, M, L, XL	2 S, M, L, XL
Flares/Fuses	2 Boxes	2 Boxes	2 Boxes
REHAB Identification	2	1	1
Duct Tape - Rolls	8	4	2
Handheld Radio’s with Charger(s)	4	2	1
Vehicle Mounted-Radio	1	1	1

PORTABLE POWER

The SEL for this category is intended to provide portable power and lighting for the incident. It is also intended to power equipment from the **SHELTER** category. This SEL is intended to be used as a guide for power supply. There are many options for both manufacturer and models of both generators and portable lighting, FIRESCOPE does not recommend a specific make or model. It is each agency's responsibility to ensure the wattage required to run the electrically powered equipment (fans, heater, lights etc.) is properly supported by the generators provided. Therefore, the size and number of generators required to meet the SEL is not provided.

ITEM	TYPE 1	TYPE 2	TYPE 3
Generators	N/A	N/A	N/A
Extension Cords, 100'	4	2	1
Portable Lights	8	4	2
Power Strip w/ Surge Protectors	4	2	1
Flash Lights	4	4	4
Fuel for Generators	As needed	As needed	As needed

OPTIONAL

The SEL in this category is intended to give additional items for consideration for individual departments to customize their Rehabilitation capabilities. Quantities are to be determined by each agency.

ITEM	TYPE 1	TYPE 2	TYPE 3
Hot Water Source/Coffee Maker with Supplies			
Camera			
Rehab Unit Helmet Identifiers or Vests			
Rehab Station Identifiers			
Traffic Safety/Rehab Area ID Signs			
Manuals (FOG, ERG, Local Documents)			
Rehab Setup Instructions			
Scissors			
Staples/Stapler			
Hammer and Nails			
Timers			
Food Bins			
Cups/Lids			
Can Opener			
Box Cutter/Knifed			
Ice Maker			