

Synopsis of Events Related to the Storm on June 29, 2012 Fairfax County Health Department

- Communicated with the Regional Hospital Coordination Center (RHCC) and Virginia Department of Health (VDH) Northern Region Emergency Planner to determine the operating status of hospitals and other critical medical facilities (i.e., Emergency Support Function [ESF-8] facilities) in the County.
- Assessed the operating status of VDH-licensed nursing homes in the County.
- Determined operating status of dialysis centers and coordinated welfare-check for facility that could not be contacted.
- Provided Dominion Virginia Power representative a listing of critical ESF-8 facilities without power for priority restoration.
- Facilitated generator fuel deliveries for several critical ESF-8 facilities in need.
- Ensured coordination with various ESF-8 subject-matter experts as needed.
- Issued food safety messaging to the general public and restaurants.
- Conferred with partners and issued a boil water advisory in response to water treatment issues.
- Communicated with both the Metropolitan Washington Council of Government (COG) and VDH regarding health-related issues in the region.
- Developed EOC staffing plan for Public Health Group Supervisor position in the EOC for multiple operational periods.
- Coordinated with Operations Section Chief and Human Services Branch Director to ensure de-duplication of data on the operational status of various ESF-8 facilities in the county.
- Collected and compiled information on the operating status of Health Department facilities for use by various stakeholders.
- Disseminated informational and actionable updates to Health Department staff, VDH Northern Region Emergency Planner and RHCC staff as needed or directed.
- Documented all actions in the WebEOC position log.
- Participated in various EOC meetings as directed.