

National Capital Region

Homeland Security Structure
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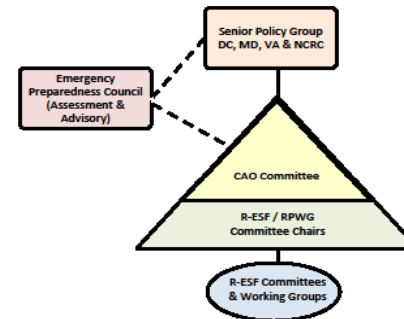


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National Capital Region Organizational Chart for Leadership of Urban Area Security Initiative (UASI)



Emergency Preparedness Council (EPC)
Provides oversight regarding the implementation of the Regional Emergency Coordination Plan (RECP) and the NCR Homeland Security Strategic Plan to identify and address gaps in readiness in the NCR. The EPC functions as the federally required Urban Area Working Group (UAWG) with oversight responsibility for the UASI process in partnership with the SPG, CAOs, and SAA.

Regional Emergency Support Function (R-ESF) / Regional Program Work Group (RPWG) Committee Chairs
R-ESF Chairs are elected by members to lead the R-ESFs for a year and are responsible to the CAOs. RPWG chairs are selected by the SPG with concurrence of the CAOs and lead the RPWG for a year and are responsible to the SPG and CAOs.

Senior Policy Group (SPG)
Provides continuing policy and executive-level focus to the NCR's homeland security concerns. Membership consists of senior officials from Maryland, Virginia, District of Columbia, and DHS/FEMA's Office of National Capital Region Coordination (NCRC).

Regional Emergency Support Functions (R-ESF) / Regional Program Work Groups (RPWG)
The 16 R-ESFs provide the structure for coordinating regional inter-agency support for a regional preparedness, response, and recovery from an incident under leadership of CAOs. The 4 RPWGs provide the structure for coordination when multiple R-ESFs need to come together on a continuing basis to address matters of concern for the region. RPWGs are responsible to both the Senior Policy Group and the Chief Administrative Officers.

Chief Administrative Officers Committee (CAO)
Comprised of Chief Administrative Officers, City Managers and Administrators, the General Manager of WMATA. The CAOs provide leadership for R-ESFs, RPWGs and committees & address regional concerns.

National Capital Region Committee Structure



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NCR Strategic Plan September 2010

NCR Strategic Vision and Mission

- **Vision**

Working together towards a safe and secure National Capital Region.

- **Mission**

Build and sustain an integrated effort to prepare for, prevent, protect against, respond to, and recover from “all-hazards” threats or events.

Strategic Plan Goals

- **Goal One: Ensure Interoperable Communications Capabilities**

Ensure response partners have the ability to transmit and receive voice, data, and video communications.

- **Goal Two: Enhance Information Sharing and Situational Awareness**

Ensure NCR partners share the information needed to make informed and timely decisions; take appropriate actions; and communicate accurate, timely information with the public.

- **Goal Three: Enhance Critical Infrastructure Protection Enhance the protection and resilience of critical infrastructure and key resources (CI/KR) in the NCR to reduce their vulnerability to disruption from all-hazards events.**

- **Goal Four: Ensure Development and Maintenance of Regional Core Capabilities**

Develop and maintain the basic building blocks of preparedness and response by ensuring the NCR develops a baseline of capabilities including: Mass Casualty, Health Care System Surge, and Mass Prophylaxis; Mass Care and Evacuation; Citizen Participation, Alert, and Public Information; Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear, and Explosive (CBRNE) Detection and Response; and Planning, Training, and Exercises.

Setting Priorities	Implementing Programs	Assessing Progress
<p>Strategic Plan</p> <p><i>Prioritizes capabilities through Goals, Objectives, and Initiatives</i></p> <p><i>Spans three to five years</i></p> <p><i>Updated regularly</i></p>	<p>Investment Plans</p> <p><i>Define specific, finite, concrete capabilities</i></p> <p><i>Include requirements, costs for each capability</i></p> <p><i>Span three to five years</i></p> <p>Annual Work Plan</p> <p><i>Lists projects to achieve Investment Plans</i></p>	<p>Performance Management Plan</p> <p><i>Contains indicators for project completion, outcome measures for achieving and sustaining priority capabilities</i></p> <p>Project Progress Reports</p> <p><i>Describe milestone progress</i></p> <p><i>Assess programmatic and financial risks</i></p>

Implementation of the NCR Strategic Plan



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