SNS / CHEMPACK Program

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Strategic National Stockpile

The U.S. federal government's largest repository of emergency medical countermeasures (MCMs)

- Established in 1999 as the National Pharmaceutical Stockpile
- ~\$13.5 billion inventory of medical countermeasures (MCMs) to respond to
 - Chemical, biological, radiological and nuclear threats
 - Burn/blast events
 - Emerging infectious diseases and pandemics
 - Natural disasters
- SNS warehouses are professionally managed by commercial third-party logistics providers

SNS Formulary: Multiple Threats

PPE

Vents

Temperature
Control
Support
Equipment

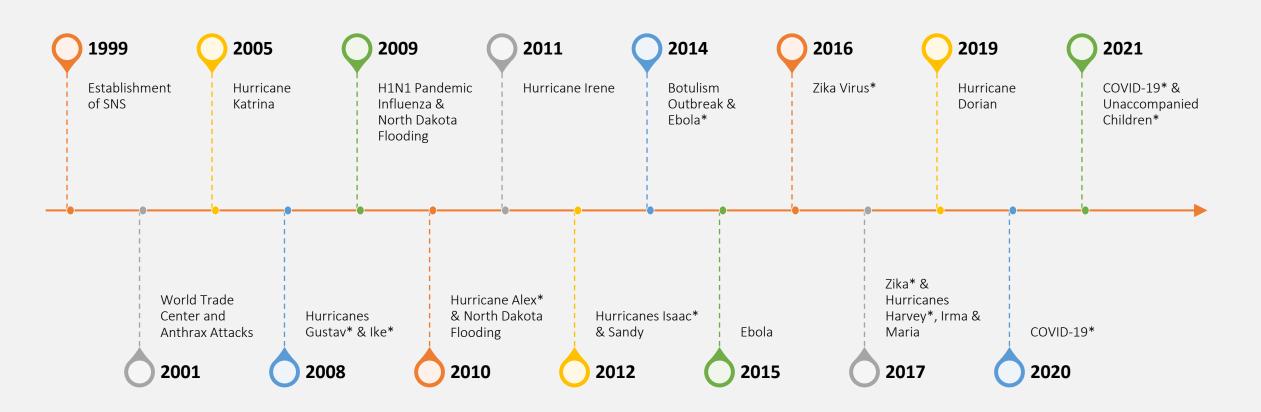
Burn & Blast Kit

CHEMPACK

Federal Medical Station (FMS)

Threat	Prophylaxis	Treatment
Anthrax	Oral antimicrobials, vaccine	IV antimicrobials antitoxins
Botulism	None	Antitoxin ventilators
Burkholderia	None	Oral and IV antimicrobials
Burn/Blast	None	Wound care, fluid replacement, pain management
COVID-19 Pandemic	PPE	Ventilators and ICU supportive care pharmaceuticals
Chemical Nerve Agent Exposure	None	Antidotes (auto-injector or vial) in forward-placed CHEMPACK containers
Ebola	Vaccine PPE	Ebola therapeutics
Glanders & Melioidosis	Oral antimicrobials	IV antimicrobials
Influenza (Pandemic Only)	PPE	Antiviral drugs (oral, IV and inhalation), ventilators
Pneumonic Plague	Oral antimicrobials	IV antimicrobials
Radiation Radioactive lodine Exposure	None Oral thyroid blocking agent	Oral and IV chelating agents for specific isotopes supportive care items, anti-neutropenics for acute radiation syndrome None
Smallpox	Vaccines	Oral and IV antiviral drugs
Smallpox Vaccine Adverse Event		Oral and IV antiviral drugs, IV immune globulin
Tularemia	Oral antimicrobials	IV antimicrobials
Typhus	None	Oral and IV antimicrobials

SNS Responses



Federal Medical Station: 50 and 250 Bed Configuration

- Requires a sufficiently large facility of opportunity
- Requires host wrap-around services to be operational
- Primarily delivered by 53' trailers. 50 bed can be delivered by air



Requesting Materiel

In the face of a public health threat, state, local tribal, and territorial health officials may request federal assistance for emergency medical materiel from the SNS.

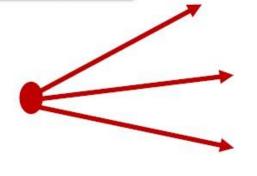
- Jurisdictional stockpiles are depleted
- Materiel is not readily available through commercial market
- Materiel is configured by the SNS for specific threats

SNS Traditional Distribution Models

Support to Public Health Response Mass Prophylaxis/Vaccination Campaigns



SNS Warehouse(s)





State RSS





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Support to Immediate Health-care Needs Treatment of Sick in Hospital Settings



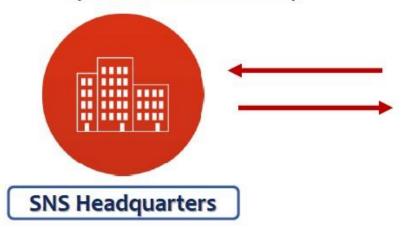
SNS Warehouse



Local Hospital

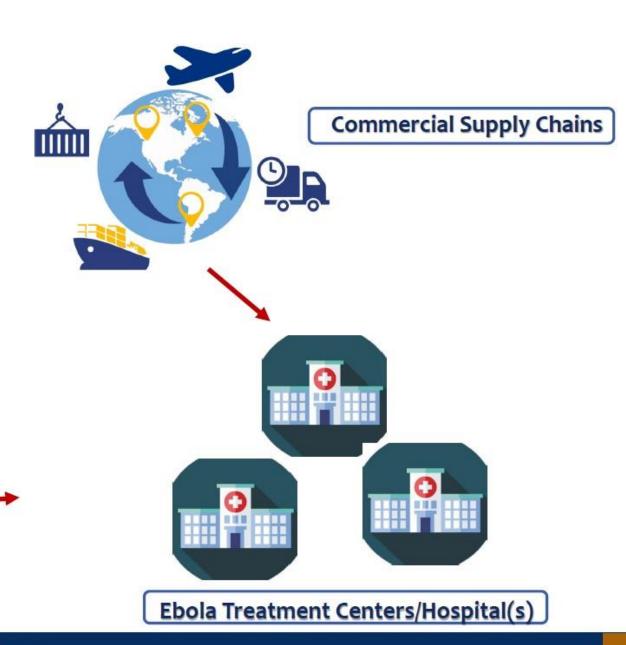
Additional Distribution Models

(Ebola 2014-2015)

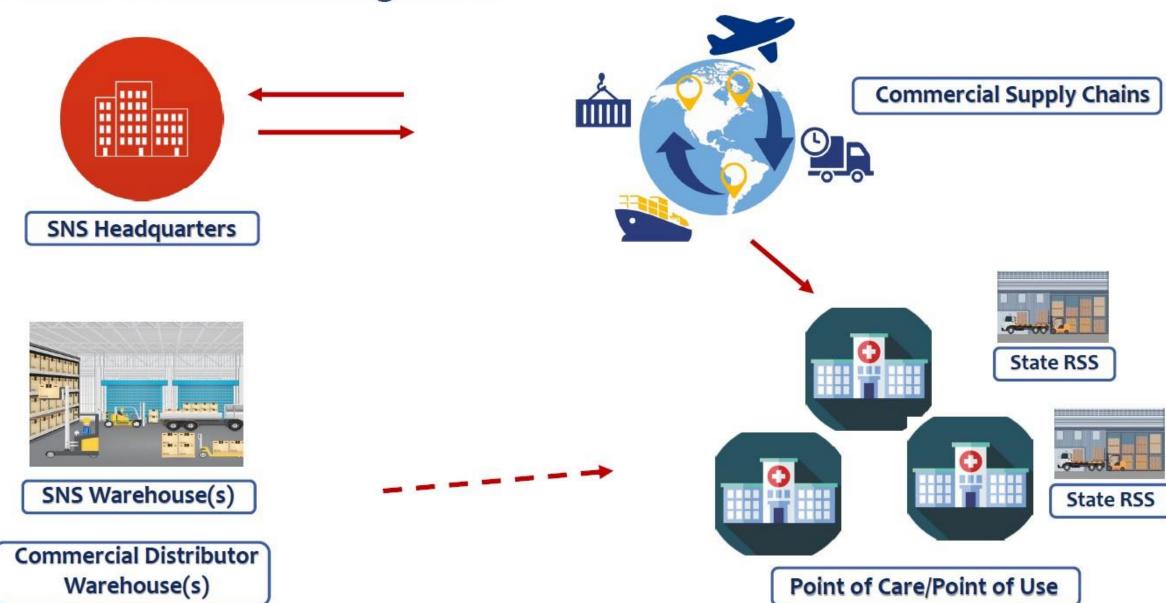




SNS Warehouse(s)



Future State...working on it!



Point of Dispensing (POD)

A POD site is a pre-defined system where MCMs are given to people to minimize the effects of a public health threat or emergency

A POD is:

- a nontraditional healthcare setting.
- where healthy individuals receive medications or vaccinations.
- a place that helps prevents individuals from getting sick.

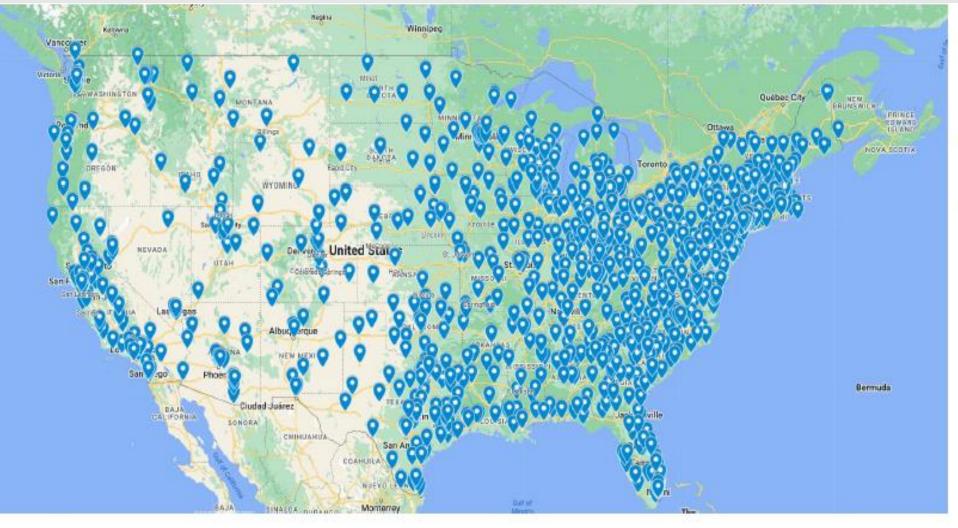
Types of PODs

- Closed Medication only distributed to persons within a particular entity i.e., school, business, Long Term Care Facility
- Open POD is open to anyone
- Drive Thru Vehicles versus walking
- Walk Thru Walk through the POD

The more Closed PODs you have, the fewer Open PODs you will need

CHEMPACK Program

- The CHEMPACK Program pilot was established in September 2002 (South Dakota, Washington State, and New York City) and officially launched in 2008.
- Containers of nerve agent antidotes forward-placed in secure locations, such as hospitals or fire stations, across the country, for responding to chemical incidents, such as nerve agent attacks and large-scale pesticide poisonings.
- The containers are federally owned, but local jurisdictions manage them.
- The Administration for Strategic Preparedness and Response (ASPR) funds CHEMPACK, which is part of the Strategic National Stockpile (SNS) program.



- >1,974 CHEMPACKS stored at >1,300 cache sites
- >90% of U.S. population within a 1-hour response
- Forward placed in all 50 states, four large metropolitan areas and eight territories and island jurisdictions.

Texas:

- 140 containers
- 117 sites

Types of Containers





EMS Containers

- First Responders
- 85% Auto injectors
- 454 capacity



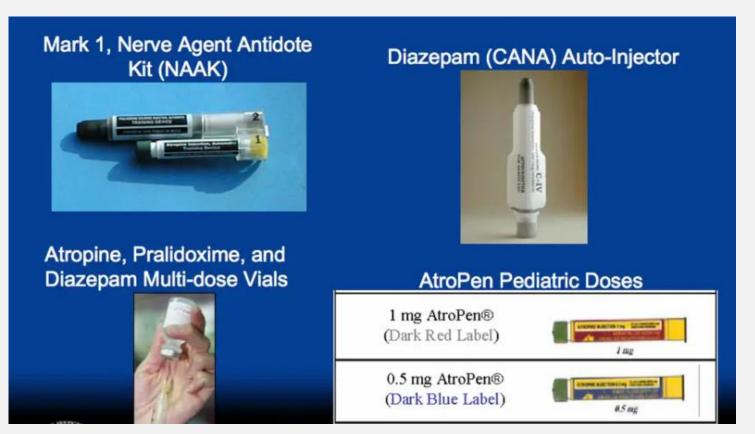
Hospital Containers

- clinical environments
- 85% multi-dose vials
- 1,000 capacity



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CHEMPACK Antidotes



 CHEMPACK antidotes treat the symptoms of nerve agent exposure, even when the agent is unknown.

Thank you!

Questions?