

FEMA National Watch Center

Daily Operations Briefing

Monday, December 6, 2021

8:30 a.m. ET



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National Current Ops / Monitoring

New Significant Incidents / Ongoing Ops

- Water contamination – Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, HI
- Flooding - HI

Hazard Monitoring

- Severe thunderstorms possible – Lower Mississippi Valley
- Freezing rain possible – Northeast

Disaster Declaration Activity

- None

Event Monitoring

- None



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Water Contamination – Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam, HI

Current Situation: Petroleum contamination of water was confirmed on December 3 in the Red Hill Water Shaft (one well within the US Navy closed-loop water system on Oahu) and Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam (JBPHH) on-base community housing. The Red Hill shaft was closed November 28. 1,600 homes and 4,600 people on the Aliamanu Military Reservation and Red Hill communities are affected.

There is the potential for impacts outside of the Navy water system. The water contamination is unrelated to the ongoing flooding (due to a Kona low) occurring over the Hawaiian Islands.

Lifeline Impacts:

Safety & Security:

- JBPHH Security Team has increased patrols through neighborhoods outside the fence-line as families begin moving to alternate lodging

Food, Water, Shelter:

- Navy has authorized temporary lodging for service members and civilians living in on-base housing and is providing clean drinking water to affected families; 1,000 families are in hotels
- Honolulu Board of Water (BWS) reduced production of the Halawa Shaft by 50% as a precautionary measure; the Halawa Shaft provides metro Honolulu with 20% of its drinking water; shortfalls are not anticipated but monitoring will continue

Health and Medical:

- Hawaii Department of Health (DOH) recommends all Navy water system users avoid using the water for drinking, cooking, or hygiene
- 34 personnel treated at Tripler Army Medical Center
- Navy and DOH are investigating the extent and source of the odor complaints, and are performing sampling and analyses



State /Local Response:

- HI EOC at Partial Activation (Severe Weather & COVID-19)

FEMA / Federal Response:

- 83,700 liters of and 1,025 five-gallon jugs of water from FEMA stock were delivered to DLA
- FEMA Region IX RWC and NWC continue to monitor



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Flooding – Hawaii

Current Situation: Periods of extremely heavy rainfall moved over the Big Island and Maui County on Sunday, spreading to Oahu and Kauai County overnight, and continue into today. Widespread rainfall total amounts of 10-15 inches are anticipated with isolated amounts of 20-25 inches possible.

Rainfall on Friday and Saturday damaged roads and caused localized flooding, dangerously high winds and surf, and snow at high elevations; effects should last for several days. Blizzard, High Wind, and High Surf Warnings and Flood Watches and Advisories are in effect.

Potential Impacts:

- Extremely rare and widespread flash flooding and /or river flooding in areas that don't usually flood
- Most likely impact will be flooding of roadways resulting in closures and the possibility of isolated communities
- Damage to bridges possible due to waterway flooding
- Low spots in roads could become dangerous and impassable due to severe runoff
- Debris in streams and gulches may clog bridges and culverts resulting in dangerous flooding
- Isolated highways, such as the Belt Highway in the Big Island's Kau District, may be closed in one or more locations causing long detours or even the isolation of communities

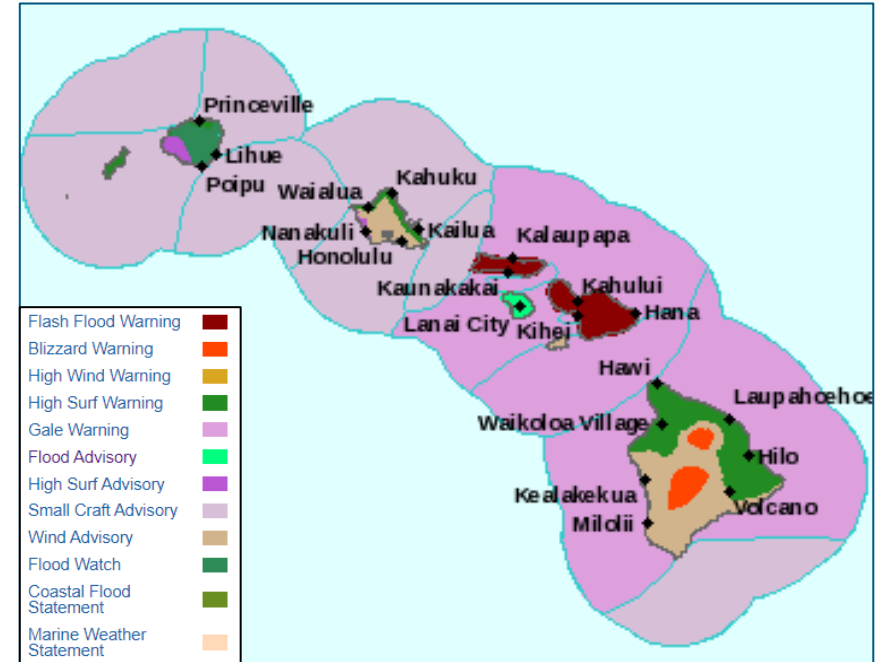
Lifeline Impacts:

Food, Water, Shelter

- 4 shelters open on Oahu with unknown number of occupants (*Region IX SPOTREP Update #4*)

Energy

- Customers without power: 12k statewide (*DOE Eagle-I as of 8:00 a.m. ET*)



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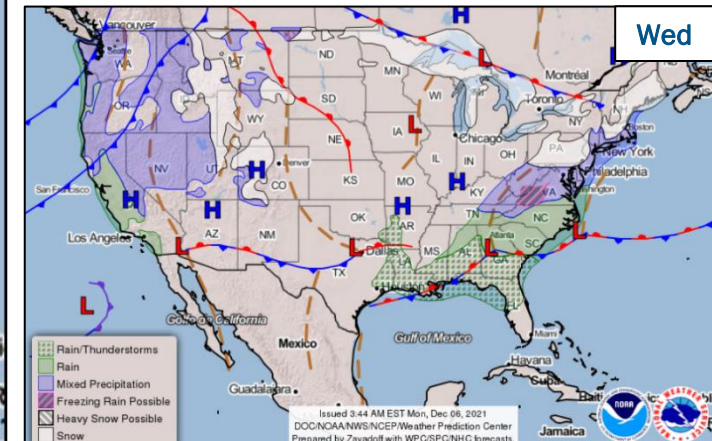
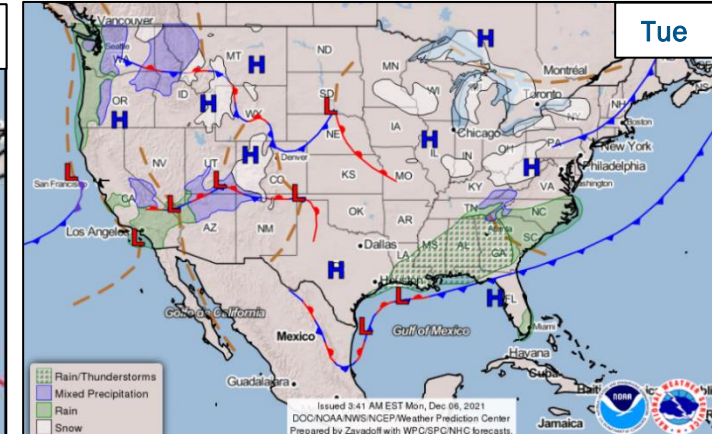
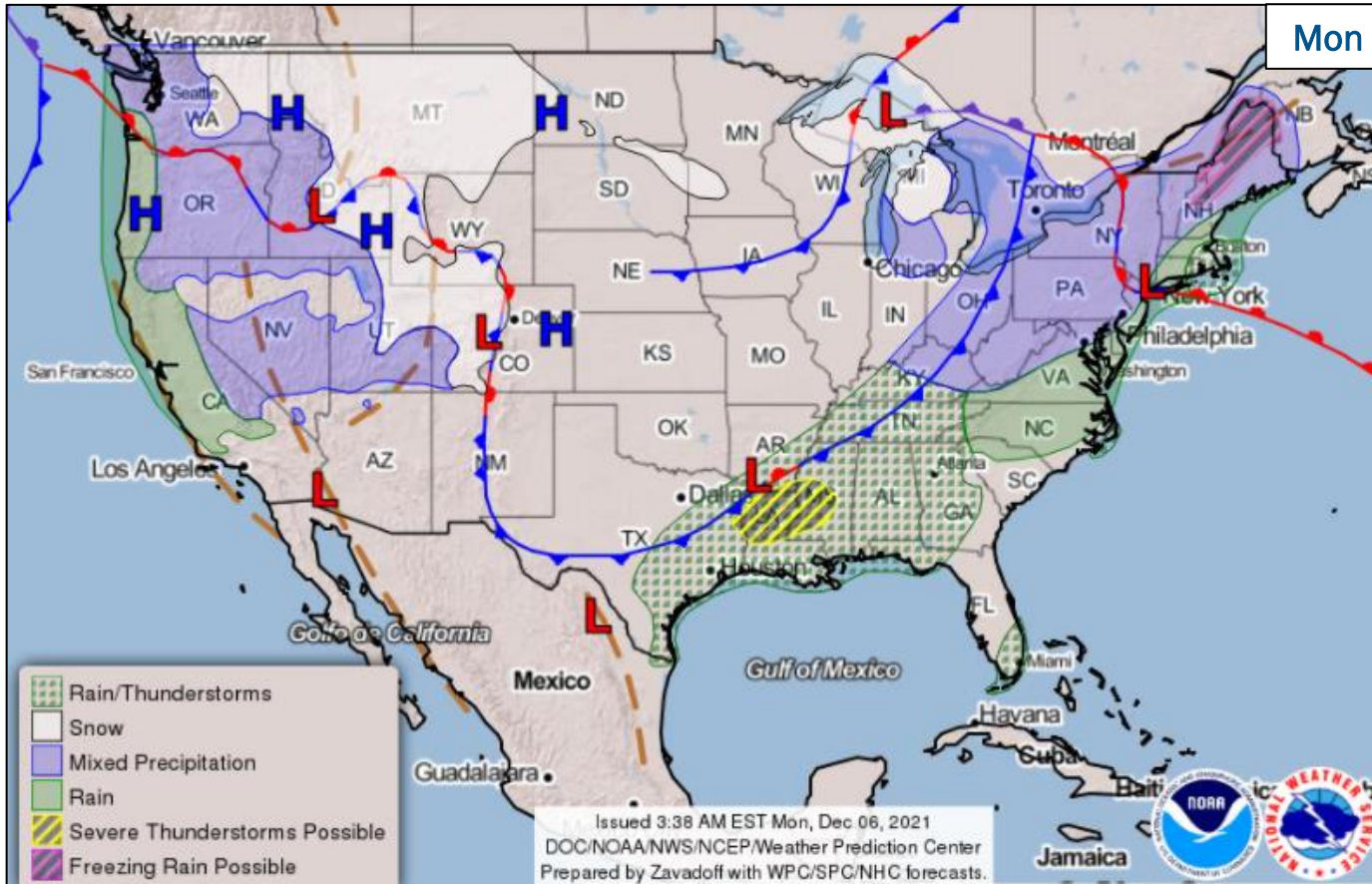
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National Weather Forecast



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Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments

Region	State / Location	Incident	IA	Number of Counties		Start - End
			PA	Requested	Complete	
I	ME	Coastal Storm Oct 30-31	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	4	1	11/8 - TBD
X	WA	Flooding Nov 2-19	IA	3	0	12/1 - TBD
			PA	0	0	N/A
	AK	Severe Storm Oct 28-31	IA	0	0	N/A
			PA	1	0	TBD



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Declaration Requests in Process – 2

State / Tribe / Territory – Incident Description	Type	IA	PA	HM	Requested
CTCR* – Drought, Fire, and Straight-Line Winds	DR		X	X	Nov 15
AL – Flooding	DR	X		X	Nov 19

* *Confederated Tribes of the Colville Reservation*



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FEMA Common Operating Picture

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NWC	NRCC
Monitoring	Level III

FEMA REGIONS

Watch	RRCC	
Monitoring	I	Level III
Monitoring	II	Rostered
Monitoring	III	Rostered
Monitoring	IV	Rostered
Monitoring	Alt Loc	V
Alt Location	VI	Rostered
Alt Location	VII	Rostered
Monitoring	VIII	Rostered
Monitoring	IX	Rostered
Monitoring	X	Level III

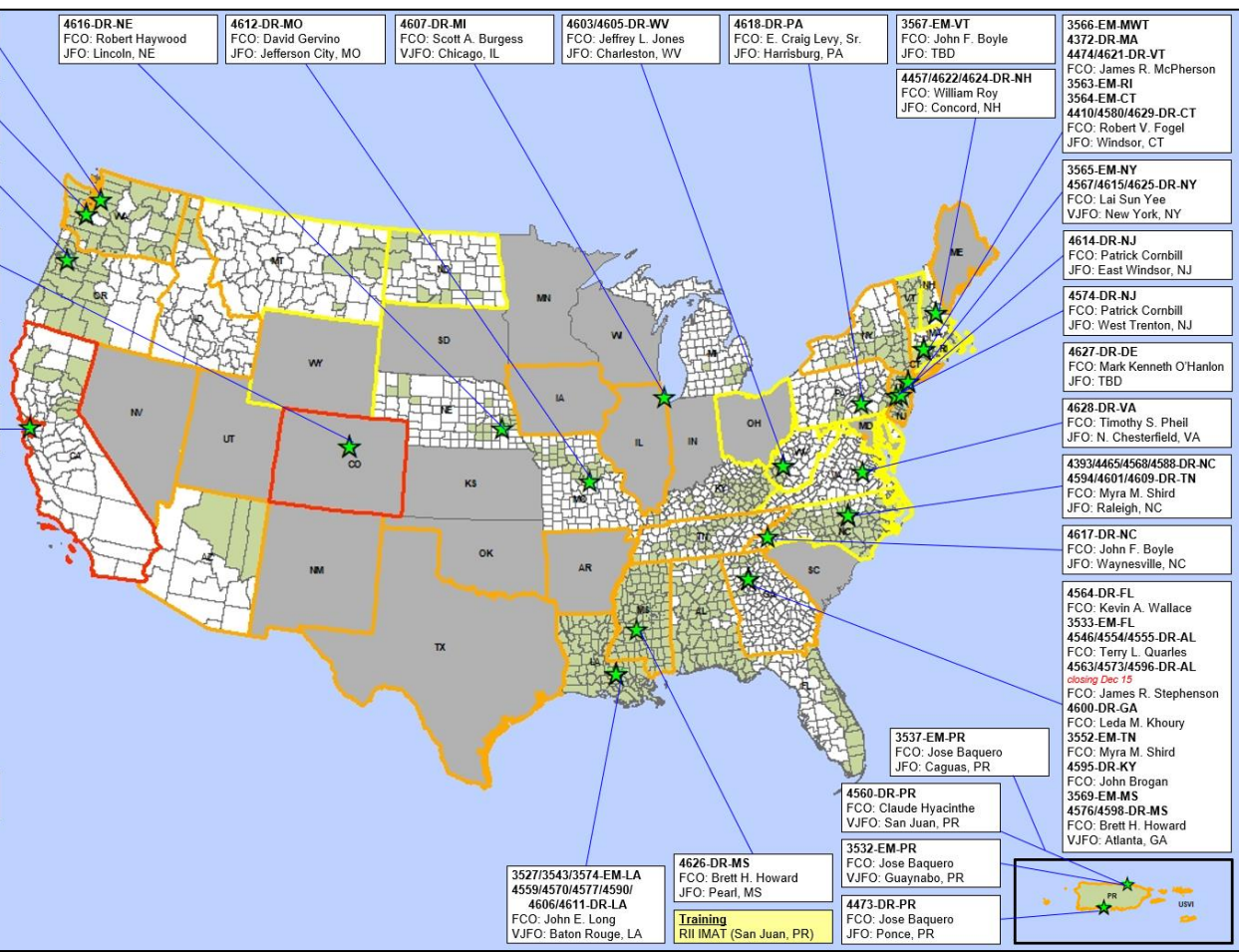
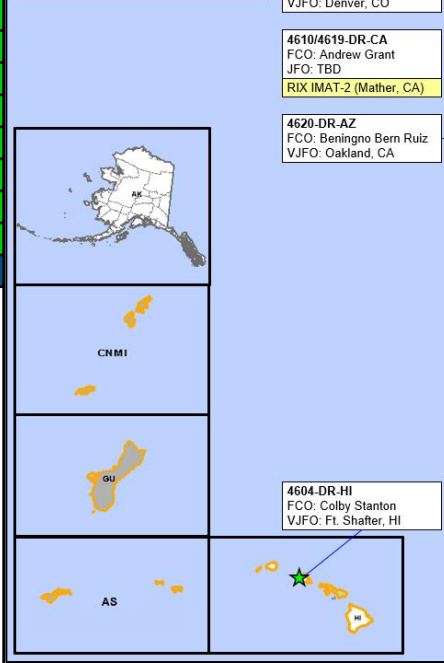
Notes:

NRCC & RCCs: (COVID-19)	STATE EOCs:
RV RWC: Day shift, Monitoring/Night shift, remote operations	NJ & NY: Ida
RVII RWC: COVID-19 Protocols	PR: Earthquakes
	WA: Flooding
	HI: Severe Weather

Major Disasters (DR): 64
Emergency Disasters (EM): 13
JFOs: 16 / **VJFOs:** 10

- ★ Staging Area
- Declared County (non-COVID-19 Declarations)
- Fully Activated
- Partially Activated
- Monitoring

As of 8:00 a.m. ET December 6, 2021
 Created by FEMA NWC



N-IMATs

2-4 Teams Available

Red	
White	Training
Blue	
Gold	

R-IMATs

≥ 7 Teams Available

I	
II	PR (Training)
III	3
IV-1	
IV-2	
V	
VI-1	2
VI-2	
VII	1
VIII	Personnel
IX-1	
IX-2	CA
X	
FMC	PMC
NMC	Deployed

Team Status	US&R ≤66%	MERS >66%	FCOs ≤ Type I	IM WORKFORCE
Assigned:	28	36	58	14,378
Unavailable:	9	0	2	3,712 (-12)
Deployed:	0	0	45 (26 FCOR)	6,099 (-37)
Available:	19	36	11	32 % (+1) / 4,567 (+49)

IM CADRE AVAILABILITY SUMMARY

Cadres with 25% or Less Availability

Civil Rights: 23% (25/109); **Disability Integration:** 25% (16/63); **External Affairs:** 22% (118/526); **Field Leadership:** 18% (27/150); **Hazard Mitigation:** 20% (266/1,350); **Human Resources:** 16% (31/193); **Interagency Recovery Coordination:** 24% (66/277); **Operations:** 22% (81/372); **Public Assistance:** 21% (561/2,718); **Planning:** 16% (74/456)



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