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FEMA

Daily Operations Briefing

Thursday, March 2, 2017

8:30 a.m. EST

Significant Activity – Mar 1-2



FEMA Daily Ops Brief for March 2, 2017

Significant Events:

- Severe Weather Midwest to East Coast (Final)
- FEMA Region III Thunderbolt Exercise ERG to COOP (one day only)

Significant Weather:

- Heavy Snow WA
- Snow Pacific Northwest to Great Lakes,
- Elevated/Critical fire weather areas TX, OK, KS, and NE
- Space Weather: Past 24 hours Moderate with Geomagnetic storms reaching G2 have occurred; next 24 hours Minor with G1 Geomagnetic Storms predicted

Tropical Activity: No activity affecting U.S. interests

Earthquake Activity: No significant activity

Declaration Activity:

- Amendment No. 7 to FEMA-4277-DR-LA
- Major Disaster Declaration Request Idaho

Severe Weather – Eastern U.S. (Final)



<u>Summary</u>: Multiple tornado touchdowns, damaging straight-line winds and hail impacted the Midwest to the Mid-Atlantic February 28 – March 1. System continued to move east/northeast overnight with less severe activity. 26 preliminary tornadoes reported, the majority in rural areas with only minor damage with more significant impacts reported in IL, IN, and MO.

Impacts

<u>Illinois:</u>

- 2 fatalities and 10 injuries confirmed; 13 homes destroyed and dozens damaged, including a nursing home
- LaSalle (pop.112k) and Jackson (pop. 60k) counties sustained heavy damage; assessments are ongoing

Missouri:

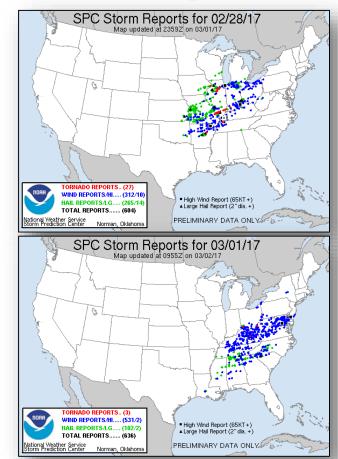
- 1 fatality and 10 injuries
- 25-30 homes damaged

Indiana:

- No fatalities or injuries reported
- 12 homes destroyed, others with minor damage

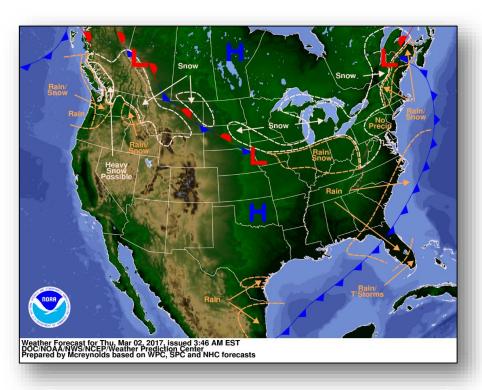
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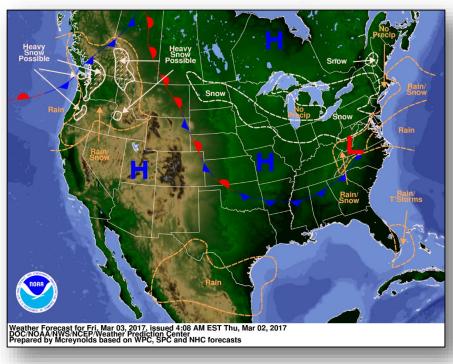
- IL EOC remains at Partial Activation
- Impacted FEMA regional watches have returned to Normal Operations
- No requests for FEMA assistance; none anticipated



National Weather Forecast



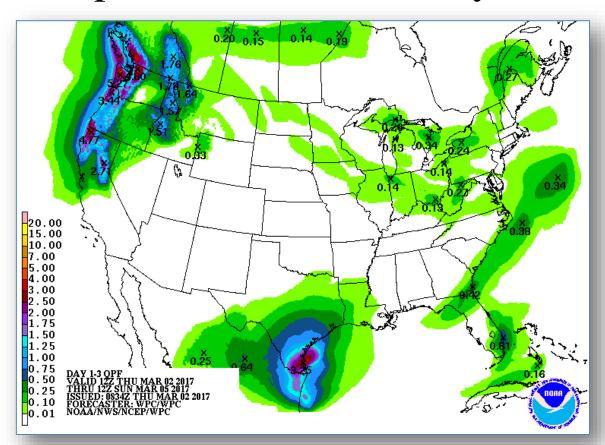


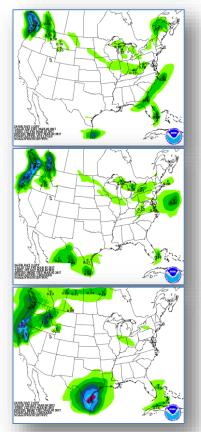


Today Tomorrow

Precipitation Forecast – Days 1-3







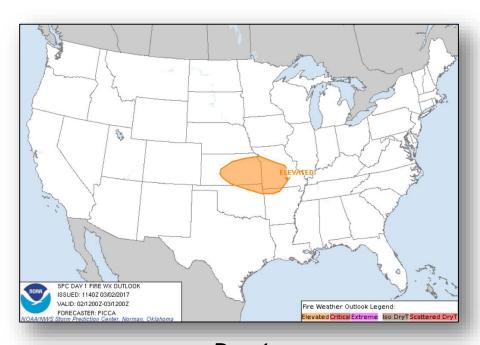
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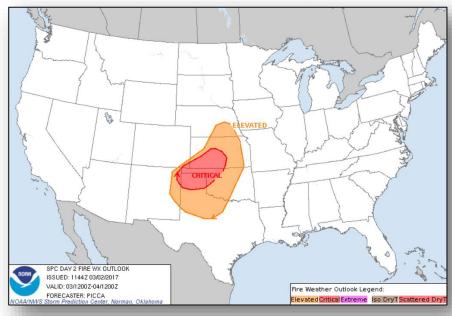
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Fire Weather Outlook



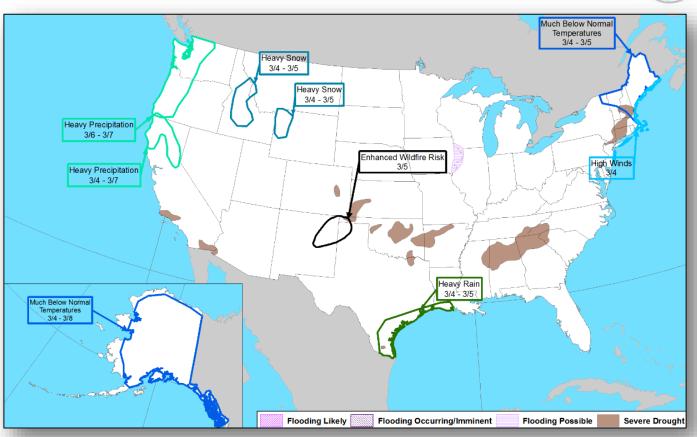




Day 1 Day 2

Hazards Outlook – Mar 4-8



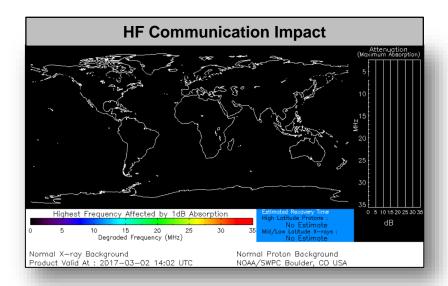


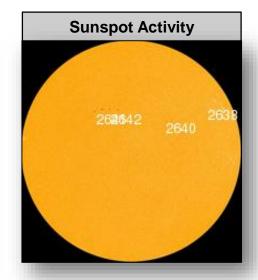
Space Weather



	Space Weather Activity	Geomagnetic Storms	Solar Radiation	Radio Blackouts
Past 24 Hours	Moderate	G2	None	None
Next 24 Hours	Minor	G1	None	None

For further information on NOAA Space Weather Scales refer to http://www.swpc.noaa.gov/noaa-scales-explanation





Joint Preliminary Damage Assessments



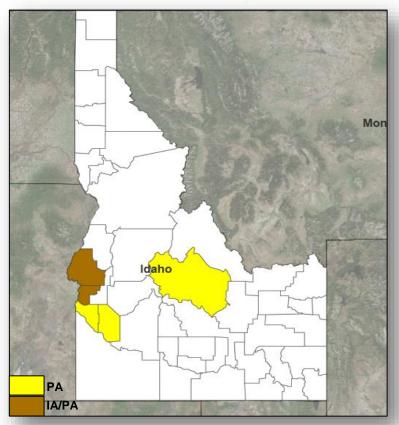
Region	State /	Event		Number of	Start – End	
	Location		IA/PA	Requested	Completed	
\/III	W/voming	Blizzard / High Winds	IA	0	0	N/A
VIII	VIII Wyoming	February 6-7, 2017	PA	1	0	3/1 – TBD
V	Oversen	Severe Winter Weather	IA	0	0	N/A
X Oregon	January 8-20, 2017	PA	12	0	2/27 – TBD	

Declaration Request



<u>Idaho</u>

- Governor requested a Major Disaster Declaration on February 28, 2017
- For a severe winter storm that occurred December 22, 2016 January 19, 2017
- Requesting:
 - Individual Assistance for 2 counties
 - Public Assistance for 5 counties
 - Snow Assistance for 1 county
 - Hazard Mitigation statewide



Disaster Requests & Declarations



Declaration Requests in Process	Requests APPROVED (since last report)	Requests DENIED (since last report)	
1	Date Requested	0	0
ID – DR Severe Winter Storm	February 28, 2017		

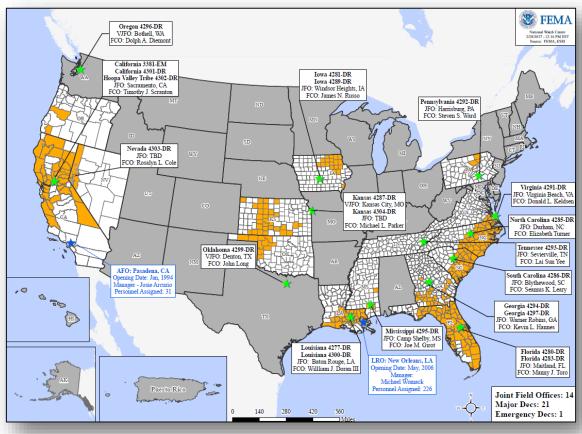
Disaster Amendments



Amendment	Effective Date	Action
Amendment No. 7 to FEMA-4277-LA	February 24, 2017	Appoints William J. Doran III as FCO

Open Field Offices





Readiness – Deployable Teams and Assets



Resource	Force Strength	Ava	ilable	Deployed	Other	Cadres with less than 25% availability
Total Workforce	10,184	5,739	56%	3,133	1,312	None

Resource	Status	Total	FMC Available	Partially Available	Not Available	Detailed, Deployed, Activated	Comments Status Criteria	
National IMAT		3	2	0	0	1	East 2 is Primary for the month of March West to GA (DR-4294, DR-4297)	Green: >3 Teams Available Yellow: 1 - 2 Teams Available Red: 0 Teams Available N-IMAT red if 50% of Section Chiefs or Team Leader unavailable for deployment
Regional IMAT		13	8	0	0	5	Deployed: Region IV-2 to MS (DR-4295) Region VI-2 to LA (DR-4300) Region IX-1 to NV (DR-4303) Region IX-2 to CA (EM-3381) Region X to WA (DR-4296)	Green > 6 Teams Available Yellow: 4 - 6 Teams Available Red: 0 - 4 Teams Available R-IMAT also red if TL or Ops / Log Chief is unavailable & has no qualified replacement
FCO		35	2	0	4	29		OCD Readiness FCO Green Yellow Red Type 1 3+ 2 1
FDRC		11	2	0	3	6		Type 2 4+ 3 2 Type 3 4+ 3 2 FDRC 3 2 1
US&R		28	28	0	0	0		Green: >66% Available Yellow: 33% - 66% Available Red: <33% Available
MERS		36	30	0	6	0	Assets are supporting: CA: EM-3381 CA: DR-4301 NV: DR-4303	Green: >66% Available Yellow: 33% - 66% Available Red: <33% Available

Readiness – Activation Teams



Resource	Status	Total	Status	Activated Team	Activation Level	Activation Times	Reason/Comments
NWC		5	Not Activated				
NRCC		2	Not Activated				
HLT		1	Not Activated				Deactivated for the season
RWCs/MOCs		10	Not Activated				
RRCCs		10	Not Activated				

Back-up Regions (Feb 27-Mar 5): II, V & VIII



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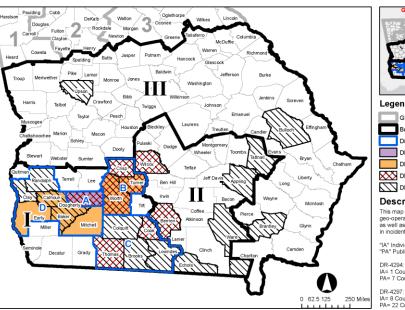
ALL FIGURES IN THIS COMMON OPERATING PICTURE ARE COB PREVIOUS DAY, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

INCIDENT MAP: FEMA DR-4294 & DR-4297

Updated: Date: Thursday, February 16, 2017







Data Source: ESRI, FEM.; Datum: WGS 1984





DR-4294 PA DR-4297 IA PA

DR-4297 PA Description

This map displays geo-operation boundaries as well as declared counties in incidents for a single JFO

"IA" Individual Assistance "PA" Public Assistance

IA= 1 County PA= 7 Counties

IA= 8 Counties PA= 22 Counties

Incident Overview

January 2 and January 21-22, 2017: Severe Storms, Tornadoes, Straight-line Winds and Flooding impacted FEMA Region IV -State of Georgia.

Designated Counties

- Declared: FEMA-4294-DR-GA January 25, 2017
 - Individual Assistance (IA): 1
 - Public Assistance (PA): 7
 - Hazard Mitigation (HM): Statewide
- Declared: FEMA-4297-DR-GA January 26, 2017
 - Individual Assistance (IA): 8
 - Public Assistance (PA): 22
 - Hazard Mitigation (HM): Statewide

Total Registrations: 6,090

Individuals Households Program (IHP)

-Approved: \$2,928,253

-Max Awards #/\$: 13/\$432,900

Small Business Administration (SBA)

-Total Loans Approved: 147

-Total Dollars Approved: \$5,447,100 Request Public Assistance (RPA)

-Total Requested: 79

-Eligible: 69

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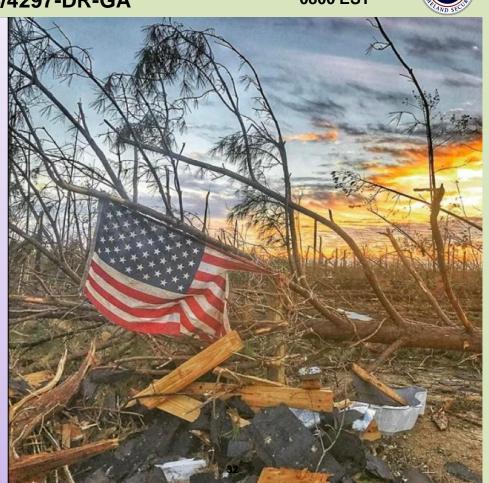
Joint Objectives

1a. Ensure the safety and accountability of all recovery staff.

10a. Provide assistance to all eligible applicants in designated counties through the Individual Assistance program.

7b. Provide accurate, actionable, and accessible information to survivors and stakeholders to support ongoing recovery operations.

- 11a. Implement and administer the Public Assistance program in designated counties in compliance with all applicable authorities, laws, and policies in order to restore infrastructure.
- 12. Analyze applicable data for all authorized programs to determine critical gaps and identify unmet needs, unique populations, and messaging opportunities in all designated counties.
- 13. Deliver all applicable mitigation programs and services to survivors and local jurisdictions to include community education and outreach, technical assistance, and training.





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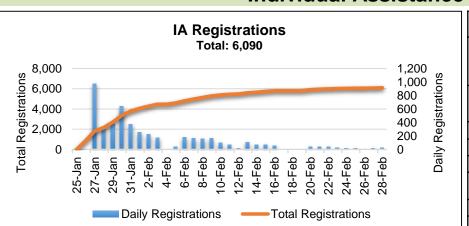
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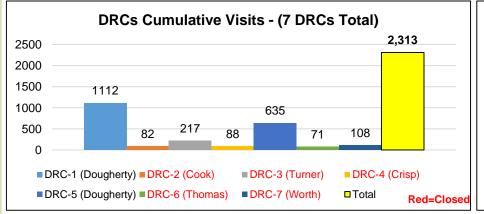
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Individual Assistance (IA) (As of COB 02/28/2017)



IA Summary								
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Total Degistrations		Referral Eligibility Rate (H	A)	29%				
Total Registrations (Designated Counties)	6,090	Referral Eligibility Rate (O	NA)	33%				
Individuals and Househo (IHP)	Housing Assistar	nce (H	A)					
Total Approved for IHP	781	Total Approved for HA	646					
IHP Amount Disbursed	\$2,827,320	HA Disbursed	\$1,889,532					
Max Awards	S	Other Needs Assista	ance (C	NA)				
Max Awards Total 13		Total Approved for ONA	385					
Max Awards Disbursed	\$432,900	ONA Disbursed	\$9	37,788				
Inspections Completed: 2,892 / 98%								







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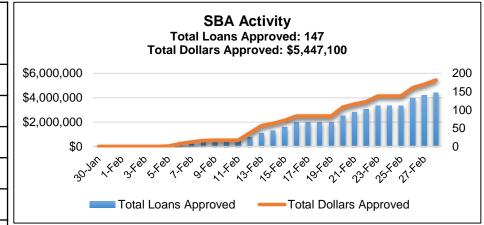
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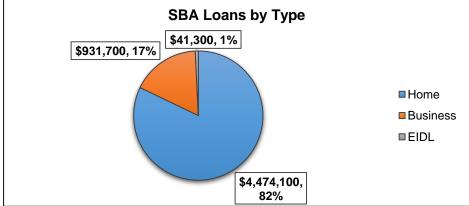
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Disaster Survivor Assistance (DSA) & Small Business Administration (SBA) (As of COB 02/28/2017)

DSA Summary							
Peak Deployed Staff: 61	Cumulative						
Homes Visited	6,775						
Survivor Interactions	5,233						
Survivor Registrations	797						
Case Inquiries	95						
Case Updates	124						
Whole Community Referrals	758						
Community Location Visits	420						
Private Sector Visits	379						
Public Space Visits	115						
Referrals	18						
Other	17						







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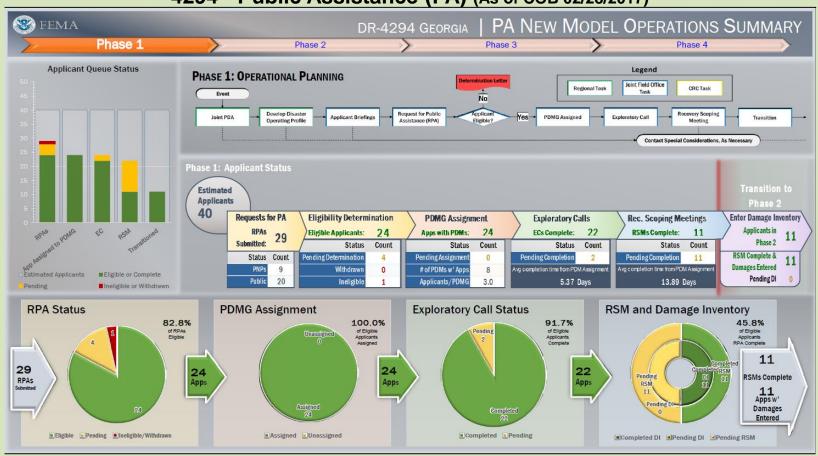
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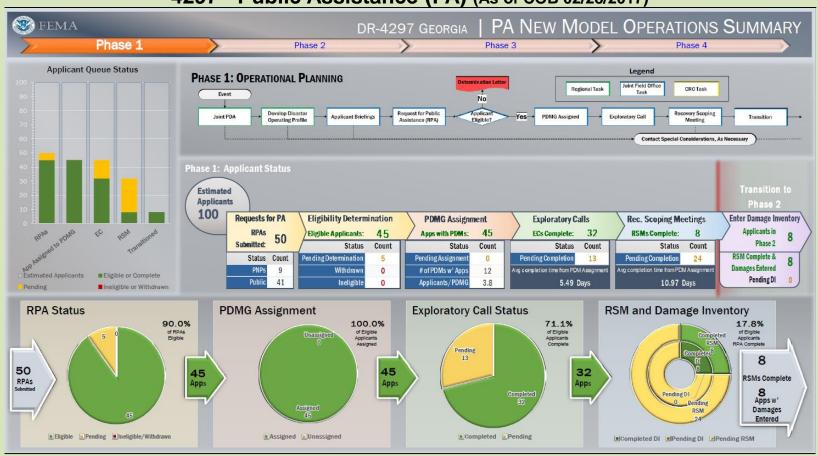
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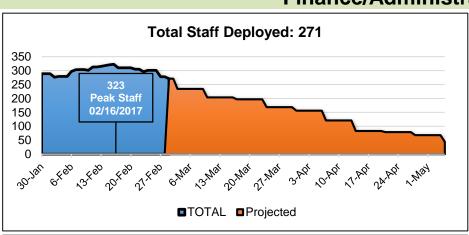
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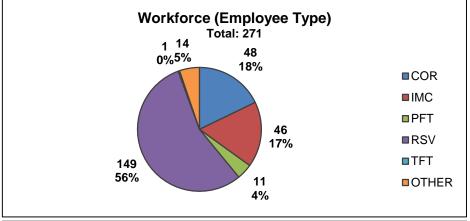
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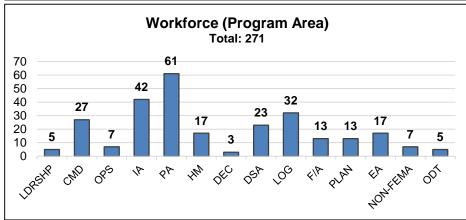
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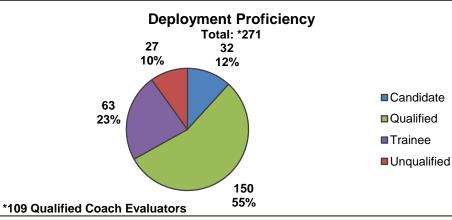


Finance/Administration (As of 03/01/2017)











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Accomplishments/Challenges

- N-IMAT West arrived Pre-Declaration Demobilizing 03/03/2017
- DSA presence in impacted counties within 24 hours
- IA Mission to transition to R-IV 03/31/2017
- Proactive Hazard Mitigation Community Education & Outreach (CEO) within impacted counties
- Expanded the rollout of the new PA Delivery Model to manage multiple incidents
 - On-going large effort of training to build the capacity/strengthen the bench to implement the new PA Delivery Model
 - JFO now working with Denton CRC on implementing the new PA Delivery Model in 3 events at varying stages



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