

YUBA FIRE S/T 9196H SUPPORT



CA-NEU-16856
August 21 – August 23, 2009



INCIDENT OBJECTIVES	1. Incident Name Yuba S/T 9196H Support	2. Date 8/21/09	3. Time 1000
4. Operational Period 08/21-23/09			
5. General Control Objectives for the Incident (include alternatives) <p>Meet the needs of ill personnel on ST CRW 9196H. Meet the logistical support needs of ST CRW 9196H. Ensure appropriate individuals and entities are kept informed. Limit exposure of others. Demobilize ST CRW 9196H from the incident appropriately. Ensure all documentation is properly completed.</p>			
6. Weather Forecast for Period <p>Seasonal temperatures and humidities are expected through the period. Weather is not of particular concern on this incident.</p>			
7. General Safety Message <p>Ensure proper hygiene is maintained to prevent exposure to others. Ensure ill personnel are hydrated and monitored. Ensure individuals who elect to drive once released are able to drive safely.</p>			
8. Attachments (mark if attached)			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Organization List - ICS 203 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Medical Plan - ICS 206 <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> (Other) Special Proc. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Div. Assignment Lists - ICS 204 <input type="checkbox"/> Incident Map <input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/> Communications Plan - ICS 205 <input type="checkbox"/> Traffic Plan <input type="checkbox"/>			
9. Prepared by (Planning Section Chief)		10. Approved by (Incident Commander)	

ORGANIZATION ASSIGNMENT LIST		9. Operations Section	
1. Incident Name		Chief	
Yuba S/T 9196H Support		Deputy	
2. Date		a. Branch I - Division/Groups	
August 21, 2009	3. Time	Branch Director	
	1000	ST 9196H Strike Team Leader	Jake Sjolund (530-570-5253)
4. Operational Period		Division/Group	
August 21-23, 2009		Division/Group	
Position	Name	Division/Group	
5. Incident Commander and Staff		Division/Group	
Incident Commander	Fred Lopez	Division/Group	
Deputy		Division/Group	
Safety Officer	Jim Mathias	b. Branch II - Division/Groups	
Information Officer		Branch Director	
Liaison Officer		Deputy	
6. Agency Representative		Division/Group	
Agency	Name	Division/Group	
ICT 10 SOF1	Chris Cox (951-316-9929)	Division/Group	
ICT 10 SOF1(T)	Walt Holloway (916-247-4697)	Division/Group	
MEDL(T)	Ann Yoshinaga (951-538-6952)	Division/Group	
		c. Branch III - Division/Groups	
		Branch Director	
		Deputy	
7. Planning Section		Division/Group	
Chief		Division/Group	
Deputy		Division/Group	
Resources Unit		Division/Group	
Situation Unit		Division/Group	
Documentation Unit		d. Air Operations Branch	
Demobilization Unit		Air Operations Branch Director	
Technical Specialists		Air Attack Supervisor	
Human Resources		Air Support Supervisor	
Training		Helicopter Coordinator	
		Air Tanker Coordinator	
		10. Finance Section	
		Chief	
		Deputy	
8. Logistics Section		Time Unit	
Chief		Procurement Unit	
Deputy		Compensation/Claims Unit	Laura Germany (951-313-2444)
Supply Unit		Cost Unit	
Facilities Unit			
Ground Support Unit		Prepared by (Resource Unit Leader)	
Communications Unit		Andrew Murphy, RESL (T) Matthew Conoscente RESL (T) Dave Anderson RESL (T)	
Medical Unit	Lisa Holloway (951-722-8928)		
Security Unit			
Food Unit			

DIVISION ASSIGNMENT LIST		1. Branch		2. Division/Group			
3. Incident Name Yuba S/T 9196H Support		4. Operational Period Date: August 21-23, 2009 Time:					
5. Operations Personnel							
Operations Chief		Division/Group Supervisor					
Branch Director		Air Attack Supervisor No.					
6. Resources Assigned this Period							
Strike Team/Task Force/ Resource Designator	Leader	Number Persons	Trans. Needed	Drop Off PT./Time	Pick Up PT./Time		
ST CRW 9196H	Jake Sjolund	32					
7. Control Operations Provide for the support of S/T CRW 9196H and the dissemination of information to their respective Units as well as CNR.							
8. Special Instructions <ul style="list-style-type: none"> S/T CRW 9196H on R&R status for 48 hours from 0800 August 21 to 0800 August 23. The Medical Unit Leader will provide continuing medical support and information as needed. Logistics will coordinate off-site feeding, ground support, mechanical inspections, and other needs as necessary. Logistics will support the logistical needs of the crew isolated from the base to prevent possible exposures and coordinate the decontamination of the incident base where needed as directed. Safety will provide an informational narrative to be disseminated through CNR and will provide additional updates as deemed necessary or requested. The Strike Team Leader of S/T CRW 9196H will coordinate the decontamination of the vehicles as directed by the medical unit. On Sunday 08/23/09 the crew will be demobilized and disbanded. All Firefighters will return to their home Units and check in upon arrival. The STL will determine who needs to get home due to the illness and will facilitate the transportation. The STL will advise the incident of the status of these employees. Plans will be ready to demobilize the Strike Team on Sunday August 23 and determine the ICS 221 needs and facilitate the mitigation of any special circumstances. Logistics will coordinate with the Strike Team Leader for the mechanical inspections, and Finance will work with the Strike Team to ensure the completion of the FC-33's. The Comp/Claims Unit will complete the Procedure 200's (initial, update, final), all SCIF paperwork. Safety will complete the Injury Incident Narrative. 							
9. Division/Group Communication Summary							
Function	Frequency	System	Channel	Function	Frequency	System	Channel
Command		King NIFC		Logistics		King NIFC	
Tactical Div/Group		King NIFC		Air to Ground		King NIFC	
Prepared by (Resource Unit Leader)		Approved by (Planning Section Chief)		Date		Time	

MEDICAL PLAN	1. INCIDENT NAME Yuba S/T 9196H Support	2. DATE PREPARED 8/21/09	3. TIME PREPARED 0800	4. OPERATIONAL PERIOD 8/21-23/09 0800 - 0800
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5. INCIDENT MEDICAL AID STATION

MEDICAL AID STATIONS	LOCATION	PARAMEDICS	
		YES	NO
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6. TRANSPORTATION

A. AMBULANCE SERVICES

NAME	ADDRESS	PHONE	PARAMEDICS	
			YES	NO
First Responder EMS	333 S Drive, Ste 100, Chico 95926	(530)891-4357	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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B. INCIDENT AMBULANCES

NAME	LOCATION	PARAMEDICS	
		YES	NO
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7. HOSPITALS

NAME	ADDRESS	TRAVEL TIME		PHONE	HELIPAD		BURN CENTER	
		AIR	GRND		YES	NO	YES	NO
		Oroville Hospital & Med Ctr	2767 Olive Hwy, Oroville 95966		N/A	10	(530) 534-5135	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
CA Occ Med Professionals	1940 Feather River Bl, Ste O, Oroville	N/A	10	(530) 538-8737	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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8. MEDICAL EMERGENCY PROCEDURES

Contact 9-1-1 for any major medical emergencies including but not limited to the following presentations:

- difficulty breathing or chest pain
- purple or blue discoloration of the lips
- vomiting and unable to keep liquids down
- signs of dehydration such as dizziness when standing or absence of urination
- seizures (for example, uncontrolled convulsions)
- less responsive than normal or becomes confused

For minor medical complaints or consultations contact the Medical Unit Leader at the following numbers:

- (951) 722-8928
- (951) 538-6952

Medical Unit Leader will coordinate with Safety and Compensation and Claims

9. PREPARED BY (MEDICAL UNIT LEADER) Ann Yoshinaga MEDL-(T)	10. REVIEWED BY (SAFETY OFFICER) Chris Cox, SOF1
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Yuba S/T 9196H Support Cleaning and Prevention

In camp, the following procedures will be followed daily:

- Clean all potentially contaminated surfaces (such as tables, chairs, restrooms, doorknobs, etc.) by wiping them down with a household disinfectant daily according to directions on the product label
- When completed, Facilities will advise the Medical Unit Leader of completion

Crew transports vehicles will be cleaned daily utilizing the following procedures:

- Wipe all potentially contaminated surfaces with a household disinfectant daily according to directions on the product label
- Strike Team Leader will notify the Medical Unit Leader when completed

Employees presenting with flu-like symptoms will avoid public contact until at least 24 hours after they are free of fever (100° F) or signs of symptoms when not using fever-reducing medications (such as aspirin or Tylenol).*

* CDC Recommendations for the Amount of Time Persons with Influenza-Like Illness Should be Away from Others dated August 5, 2009:

- CDC recommends that people with influenza-like symptoms remain at home until at least 24 hours after they are free of fever (100° F [37.8°C]), or signs of a fever without the use of fever-reducing medications.

<http://www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/guidance/exclusion.htm>

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Strike Team 9196H Influenza-Like Illness

Preliminary Narrative of Events

Strike Team 9196H was formed by CNR on August 17, 2009, and comprised of CNR Crew 1 and CNR Crew 2. Each crew was supervised by a crew-qualified fire captain, and a strike team leader was assigned. The crew was comprised of Cal Fire Firefighter 1's from the following units: SHU, CZU, BTU, TGU, LMU, and LNU. The strike team was assigned to the Yuba Fire, and worked a 24-hour operational period on August 18. The strike team was off shift on August 19, and assigned to Division C on August 20.

Prior to reporting for their line assignment on August 20, one firefighter began experiencing illness and was treated at a local medical clinic. While working on their line assignment, another firefighter began experiencing shortness of breath and other symptoms, and was transported by the incident ambulance to a local hospital. Several other crew members began experiencing symptoms over the next hour, and the crew was released off the line and returned to the incident base. The medical unit assessed the crew, and eleven more firefighters were taken to the hospital for treatment. The crew was placed into accommodations and the incident action planning process was initiated by the incident to support their care and incident needs.