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The recent events of the H1N1 virus and potential for other pandemic illnesses prompted the NWCG to issue a contagious disease plan for incidents. Part of the need is to have the appropriate contagious barrier equipment. The National Fire Equipment System is in the process of obtaining two kits for use on incidents. The Contagious Disease Barrier Kits will be stocked at the National Interagency Support Caches. The catalog will not contain this information until 2010 however the following are the NFES numbers that we have assigned as well as the kit contents. These kits can be order from any of the NISC and should be in stock within the next two weeks (vendor is currently building the kits.)

The individual kit is designed for the medical unit folks to have on-hand in order to assist in the treatment of potential contagious individuals. The multi-person kit was developed to provide protection for up to 10 people at one time. Medical Unit Leaders would need to determine the minimum initial stocking need for their incident based on their staffing and other potential impacts. The Contagious Disease Barrier Kits will become a Cache Van item in 2010.

NFES 001660 - Kit, Contagious Disease Barrier, Individual

UOM: KT Unit Cost: \$7.00

Vendor number: EM9017

This kit offers full body coverage and protection against direct exposure to blood, body fluids, and airborne infectious diseases.

- (1) ea Polycoated blue uni-size gown with sleeves, hood, elastic wrist and face enclosure
- (1) ea 3M 9010 N95 mask
- (1) pr Nitrile gloves (size large)
- (1) pr Clear safety glasses w/anti-fog coating
- (1) pr booties
- (1) pr Disposable shoe covers with non-skid bottoms
- (1) ea Biohazard bag

One size fits all

NFES 001675 - Kit, Contagious Disease Barrier, Multi-person

UOM: KT Unit Cost: \$55.00

Vendor number: EM9017-MP

This kit offers full body coverage and protection against direct exposure to blood, body fluids, and airborne infectious diseases.

- (10) ea Polycoated blue uni-size gown with sleeves, hood, elastic wrist and face enclosure
- (10) ea 3M 9010 N95 mask
- (10) pr Nitrile gloves (size large)
- (2) pr Clear safety glasses w/anti-fog coating
- (10) pr booties
- (10) pr Disposable shoe covers with non-skid bottoms
- (3) ea Bio-hazard bag

One size fits all

In addition to the above the General Services Administration has protective equipment available through their programs. They have an H1N1 support program in place and items can be ordered through www.GSAglobalsupply.gsa.gov. This information should be shared with Buying Teams and other support personnel. Detailed information can be found in the document provided separately called H1N1 Flu.

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