



Medical Reserve Corps

Volunteers Building Strong, Healthy, and Prepared Communities

Medical Reserve Corps Monthly Report: September 2020

Monthly at a Glance



799 MRC units

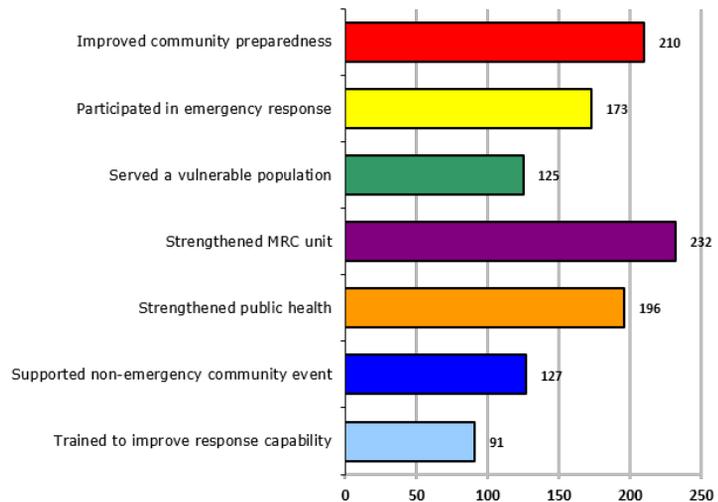
184,627 volunteers

MRC units devoted more than **5,000** hours to activities related to the COVID-19 pandemic.



A volunteer with the Medical Reserve Corps of Greater Kansas City (MO) assists at a testing event.

520 MRC activities reported



The number of activities notes the number of unique entries by MRC unit leaders for the current month. MRC unit leaders also select impact areas for each activity, which may include multiple categories. In addition, MRC leaders may not have reported ongoing activities. Thus, the numbers in the bar chart may not equal the total number of actual activities.

MRC: Building Strong, Healthy, and Prepared Communities

- ★ In response to the COVID-19 pandemic, the **Vashon Island MRC (WA)** staffed a Community Care Team helpline, providing no-cost crisis counseling with trained and licensed mental health professionals.
- ★ In response to poor air quality caused by West Coast wildfires, the **Medical Reserve Corps of Eastern Washington (WA)** supported a safer air shelter.
- ★ The **Harris County Medical Reserve Corps (TX)** supported COVID-19 testing sites.
- ★ The **San Bernardino County Medical Reserve Corps (CA)** delivered personal protective equipment to nursing homes, clinics, and medical offices that were unable to order it themselves.
- ★ The **Cape Cod Medical Reserve Corps (MA)** supported a drive-through flu vaccination clinic.
- ★ The **Winnebago County Medical Reserve Corps (IL)** helped with COVID-19 contact tracing.
- ★ The **Rensselaer County DOH MRC (NY)** carried out COVID-19 screening protocols for employees and visitors to the County Office Building in Rensselaer County, NY.
- ★ The **Sussex County MRC (DE)** helped with COVID-19 testing at Delaware State University.
- ★ The **Martin County Medical Reserve Corps (FL)** assisted the epidemiology division of Martin County's health department with COVID-19 surveillance.

Strengthening the MRC Network and Enhancing Connectivity with Partners



Pictured: (top, left): A Three Rivers Medical Reserve Corps (VA) volunteer supports a flu vaccination clinic in Gloucester County, VA; (top, right) Eastern Shore Medical Reserve Corps (VA) volunteers assist with a drive-through flu vaccination clinic; (bottom) Greater Prince William MRC (VA) volunteers hold a sign that says 3,600, which indicates the 3,600 bags they created that contain hand sanitizer, face masks, and information on slowing the spread of COVID-19.

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