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The Collective

A Monthly Newsletter

January 2022

Helpful Links

(COVID-19, Updates, Guidance & More)

- [Vendor List](#)
- [CDC Omicron Updates](#)
- [Strategies to Mitigate Healthcare Personnel Staffing Shortages](#)
- [Interim Guidance for Managing Healthcare Personnel with SARS COV-2 Infection or Exposure](#)
- [Get Free At-Home COVID-19 Tests](#)
- [Vaccine Finder](#)
- [COVID-19 Clinical Questions - FAQs](#)
- [Healthcare Resource Tracking System \(HRTS\)](#)

Emergency Response Equipment Updates

- **MOC (Mobile Operation Center)**
 - First MOC in Tennessee outfitted to be transported on Air Force C-17's for enhanced mobility and response capability
- **Shower trailer**
 - 3 exterior showers, 2 restrooms, laundry capability
- **PAPR supply**
 - Added additional PAPRs to PPE cache for distribution as need
- **RATT Camera System**
 - Trailer-hitch mounted 360° camera on telescopic mast
 - Elevated mobile surveillance
- **Corridor Partitions**
 - Convenient and fast separation for quarantine, construction, and etc.

Statewide

[Hospital Resource Status](#)

COVID-19

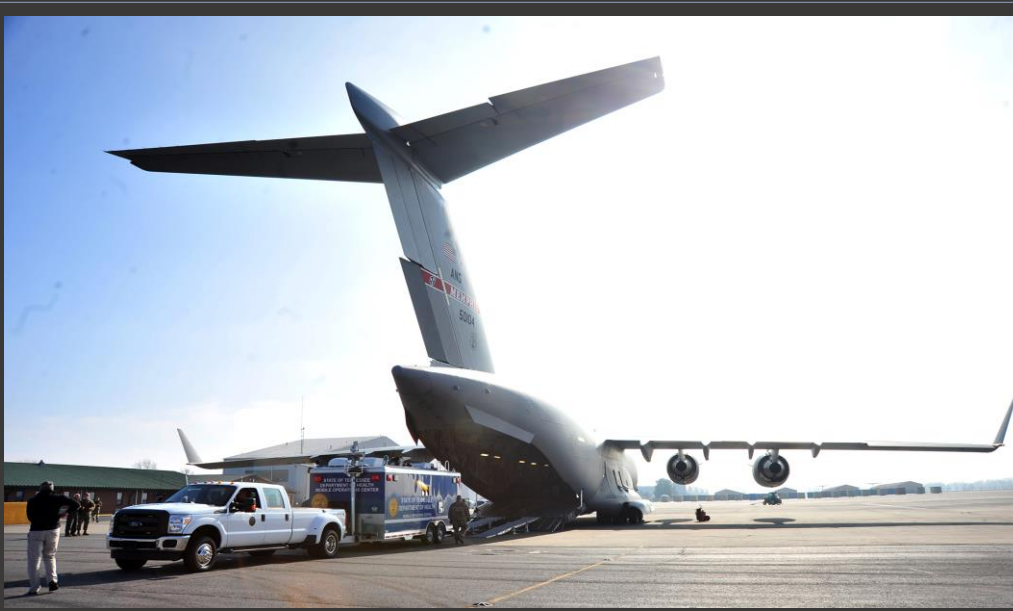
[Epidemiology & Surveillance Data](#)

HRTS

Healthcare Resource Tracking System

Need HRTS training?

Contact your VPC – Kyle Gamache – for more information





UPCOMING MEETINGS

TRAINING / CEs

Check out these links for additional training / CEs

- [Homeland Security Training](#)
- [CDC Learning Connection](#)
- [HHS.GOV / ASPR TRACIE](#)
- [CMS.GOV Outreach & Education](#)
- [Stop The Bleed](#)

UCH Coalition Meeting

Q2 UCH Coalition Meeting

Date / Time / Location will be announced closer to Q2

TDOH LTC COVID-19 Update

Wednesdays (Biweekly) @ 1100 – 1200 CST

CEDEP Weekly Surveillance

Wednesdays (Weekly) @ 1300 – 1400 CST

MISSION

Upper Cumberland Healthcare Preparedness Coalition exists to assist the health care community and other emergency response agencies to jointly prepare for, respond to, and recover from disaster events. The coalition supports collaborative planning and information sharing among a broad range of healthcare partners in order to protect, promote, and improve the health and prosperity of people in the Upper Cumberland community and Tennessee.

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