

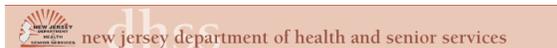
Organizations Involved in the Decontamination Effort

Trenton, NJ, Processing and Distribution Center

This is one in a series of Fact Sheets providing information on the anthrax decontamination activities at the Trenton Processing and Distribution Center.

The following organizations have supplied technical experts and response assistance to the anthrax attack and the decontamination effort:

Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) – has been providing emergency response and technical oversight guidance in support of the fumigation process. In addition, the EPA will be providing a sophisticated mobile air monitoring unit known as the “TAGA Bus” to monitor neighborhood air quality during the Trenton P&DC fumigation.



New Jersey Department of Health & Senior Services (NJDHSS) – has been playing a key role in providing health recommendations and anthrax testing and sampling support.



New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection (NJDEP) – has been providing oversight and guidance on environmental issues and state regulations in support of the fumigation process.

New Jersey State Police Office of Emergency Management – has been tasked by the Governor’s Office to provide support and coordination for emergency management services during the fumigation effort.

Hamilton Township Office of Emergency Management – has been planning the local emergency response services that will support the fumigation effort.



Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) – has been providing experts to perform sampling and analyses that identify the extent of any possible contamination



National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) – has been evaluating sampling methods used to identify the extent of contamination.



Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) – has been overseeing health and safety related issues for employees working on-site to prepare the Trenton P&DC for the fumigation process.

