



**2025 Clark County Local Emergency Planning
Committee (LEPC)
Hazardous Materials Tabletop Exercise (TTX)
Situation Manual (SITMAN)**

February 5, 2025
10:00 AM - 2:00 PM

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Preface

Purpose	The purpose of this TTX is to focus on the required response to hazardous materials release in Clark County, Ohio and the response, protective actions and public information needed for the event. The scenario will evolve with situation updates provided by the facilitator. After each update, the players can discuss the incident impacts, agency concerns, as well as response actions.
HSEEP Compliance	This SITMAN follows the guidance set forth by the Homeland Security Exercise and Evaluation Program (HSEEP) of the US Department of Homeland Security.
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Exercise Overview

Objectives

The **2025 Clark County LEPC TTX** will focus discussion on a hazardous materials release event so that players may evaluate emergency response procedures, identify areas for improvement, and foster collaboration and networking. The TTX will focus on the objectives of:

- [Notification of Response/Support Agencies](#)
 - [Incident Assessment](#)
 - [Incident Command](#)
 - [Emergency Public Information](#)
 - [Medical Facilities](#)
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Structure

This exercise will begin with a PowerPoint slide setting the stage for players to begin discussion. Play will continue based on a predetermined scenario with a facilitated question and answer time during each module. ***Players can request additional information at any time from the Exercise Facilitator*** to seek further details or to clarify any misunderstandings. Play will be divided into three distinct modules.

- **Module 1** - Wreck and Release
- **Module 2** - What Are We Telling The Public?
- **Module 3** - Triage, Treatment and Transportation to Medical Facilities
- **Hotwash**

Module 1- Wreck and Release

Thursday, May 15, 2025 - 10:30 AM

Calls come into the 911 Dispatch that there is a wreck involving a placarded semi-truck with a tanker and several passenger vehicles on Westbound I-70 near the overpass of Springfield - Xenia Road. The tanker appears to be leaking and has **placard UN 3362** on it.



Wind: 6 MPH out of the SW

Temperature: 68° F

Humidity: 75%

Forecast - steady rain approaching overnight.

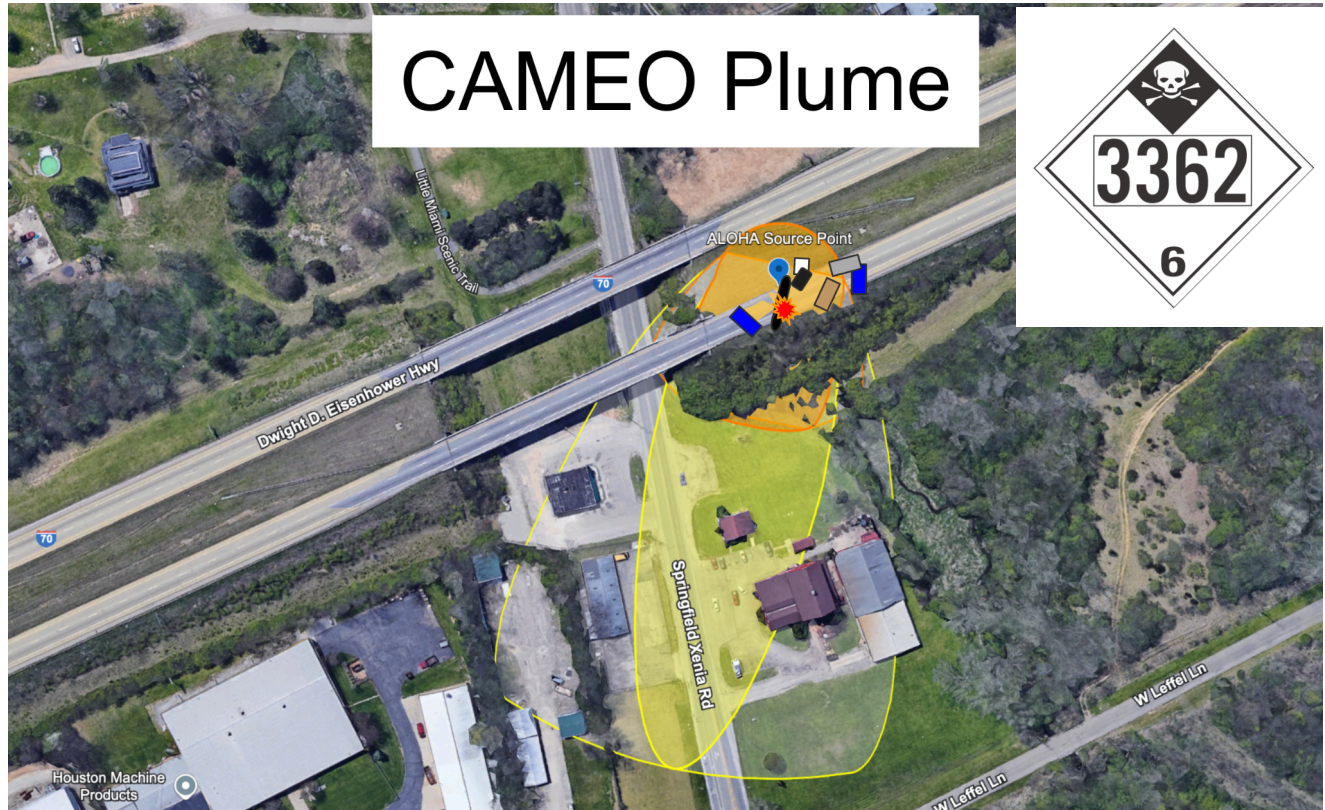


Critical Issues Assessment & Notification

- ☐ What are the Critical Issues & Tasks?
- ☐ Who/What needs to be Requested?
- ☐ How are you talking? To Whom?
- ☐ Resource lists & Tracking?
- ☐ Scene Approach & HazMat Threat
- ☐ Equipment & Supplies
- ☐ Decision Making & Record Keeping
- ☐ Rain Is Coming...

Module 1- Wreck and Release *Continued*

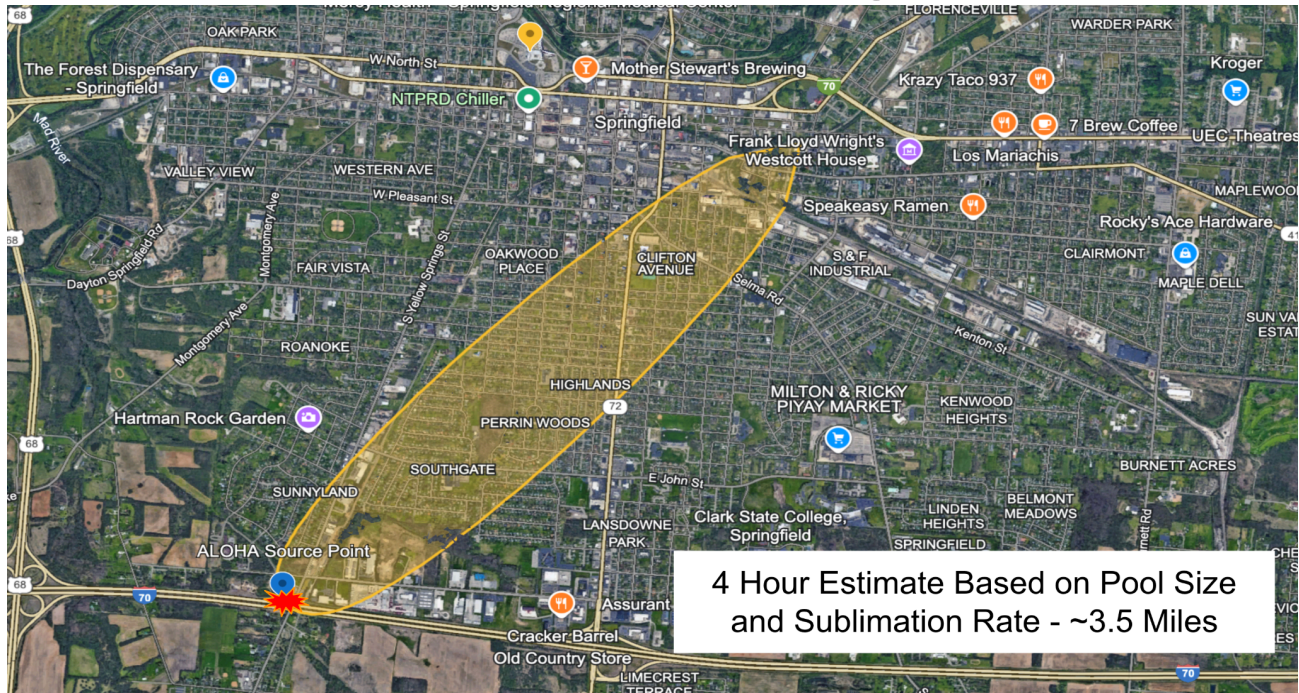
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Critical Issues Incident Command

- ☐ Where is the Command Post?
- ☐ Traffic Command & Control
- ☐ Scene Security Routing & Re-Routing
- ☐ Triage & Transportation
- ☐ Hospital Coordination
- ☐ Decontamination
- ☐ Record Keeping

Module 2- What Are We Telling The Public?



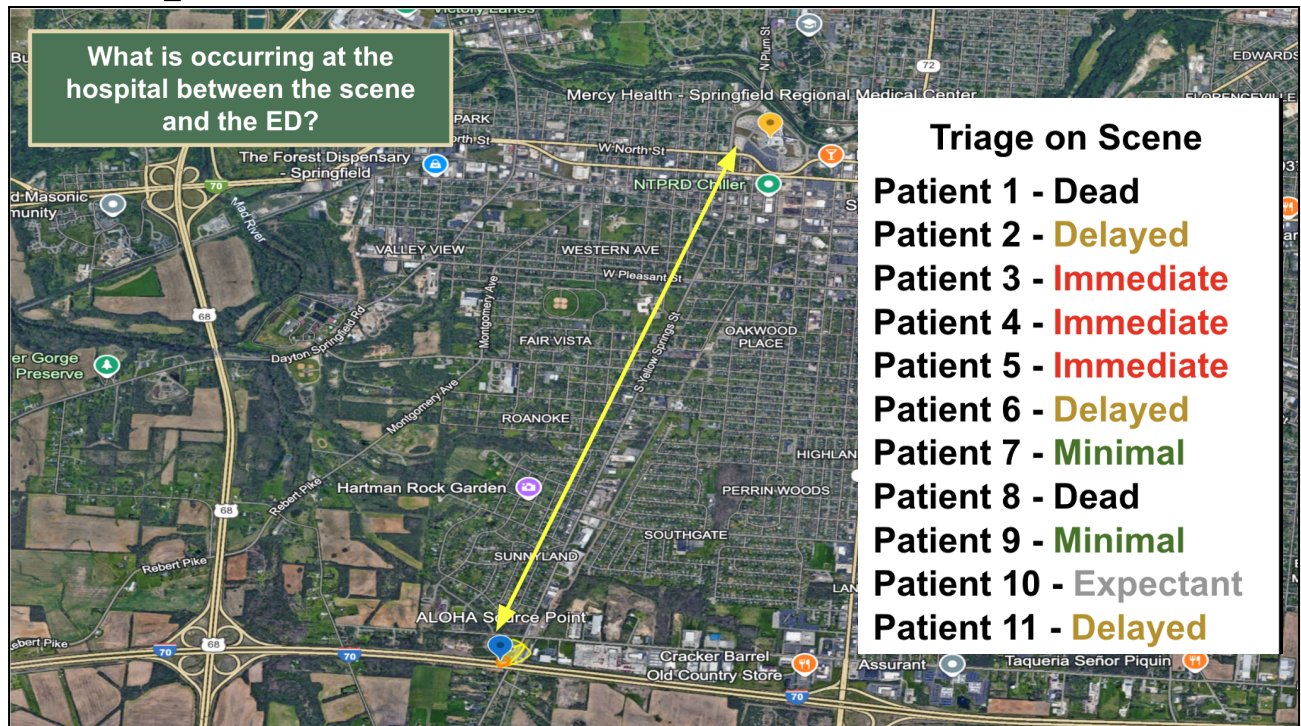
Impact on Public Information

Schools are in session, and parents are demanding updates on the safety of their children across various social media platforms. The closure of the interstate in both directions has caused major traffic disruptions, stranding commuters and delaying emergency response efforts. Meanwhile, 911 is receiving a surge of calls from concerned citizens across the city who can smell the noxious odors, with some in a state of panic. Media coverage is intensifying, with national outlets once again focusing on Springfield, this time drawing comparisons to East Palestine and fueling rampant rumors. Adding to the chaos, drones are filling the skies as both citizens and media attempt to capture live footage of the unfolding situation.

Critical Issues

- ☐ What areas are at Risk? Of What?
- ☐ Who is the Public Information Officer?
- ☐ What is being said through Mass Notification, and to Who?
- ☐ Is there Sheltering? If yes, Where?
- ☐ What all PIOs are involved?
- ☐ PIO / Joint Information System Coordination
- ☐ Notification & Timeframe to arrival of public information support staff
- ☐ Information Sharing
- ☐ Rumor Control and Monitoring

Module 3- Triage, Treatment and Transportation to Medical Facilities



Critical Issues

- ☐ Communications & Coordination of Patient Arrival
- ☐ Information Sharing
- ☐ Security Concerns
- ☐ Contamination Handling and Disposal
- ☐ Resource Tracking & Record Keeping
- ☐ Contaminated Patients & Contaminated Materials Disposal
- ☐ Plans in Play & Record Keeping

Hotwash Notes

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