



Marion County
Medical Multi-Agency Coordination Center
DAILY SITUATIONAL AWARENESS BRIEF
May 10, 2011



COMMON OPERATING PICTURE

Air Quality Index – 54
(moderate)
Today's Forecast – Moderate

Pollen Count – 9.9 (high)

UV Index – 5 (moderate)

Radiation Level - Beta Gross
Count Rate (CPM): 43
(within normal range)



Weather

Today: A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, mainly after 2pm. Partly sunny, with a high near 82. South Southwest wind between 8 and 11 mph.

Tonight: A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms before 8pm. Mostly cloudy, with a low around 65.

Hazardous Weather is Not Expected Today.

NATIONAL TERRORISM ADVISORY SYSTEM - No Current Alerts

THREAT ANALYSIS

Several incidents of suspicious packages, and the discovery of at least one potential explosive device, near railways have occurred since the alert concerning a terrorist plot to attack the U.S. rail system was issued last week. This latest threat has now impacted the healthcare sector as a nursing home in Long Beach, California was evacuated on Monday in response to the discovery of a suspicious box at a nearby train station.

ACTION STEPS

Threats to local critical infrastructure may impact your facility

- [1] Determine the proximity of rail systems to your facility.
- [2] Review shelter-in-place and evacuation plans.
- [3] Discuss suspicious package procedures with staff.

INDY EVENTS

The following events have an expected attendance of at least 500 people. Mass gatherings are of concern to the healthcare sector for multiple reasons, including being potential mass casualty incidents as the result of natural or man-made hazards, and also provide venues for transmission of communicable diseases.

- [1] Society of Gastroenterology Nurses & Associates (Indiana Convention Center)

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