Delays in Deployment

Unplanned Issues you should Plan for..

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Credentials are up to date

Call in the troops, volunteers

Deployment health screening:
    Preapproved screening checklist based on consistent standards approved by leadership before its needed

Hypertension most common issue,
NFPA 1582 - Standard on Comprehensive Occupational Medical Program for Fire Departments

2 checks and decide
Meds, glasses, contacts, etc:
See it
go get it
Go Home

May need assistance with pharmacy issues for additional supplies
Carefully screen you deploying team for illness that may affect the teams ability to function
Dogs...
medications
supplies
education
Prepare to handle animals
Post Deployment:

Engage resources (FEMA USaR, CDC, etc) in regards to the need for monitoring. Will vary based on location, situation, and exposures.

In general, infectious issues will show up within 2 weeks.

Toxins may require long term monitoring.

WTC Health Monitoring Program

Psychological monitoring is also long term and much more challenging. Depression and PTSD may manifest much later.
Thank you, be safe

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