Performance Measure Review Activity – Disaster Services

Background Information about Program:

The DisasterCorps Program has 10 full-time AmeriCorps members delivering disaster preparedness presentations to youth and community residents, focusing on developing individual and family preparedness for home fires, tornadoes, earthquakes, and flooding. Members will focus activities on those communities identified to be most at-risk for disaster and will deliver presentations to an average of 300 individuals per month for 10 months.

Performance Measure Title: Disaster Preparedness Education

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Output:

D1: Number of individuals that received CNCS-supported services in disaster preparedness

**Target:** 10000 individuals

**Measured By:** Attendance Log, tracking system

**Described Instrument:** Individuals sign an attendance log at trainings and events.

Outcome

OUTCM4590: Number of individuals with increased knowledge of disaster preparedness.

**Target:** 50% children

**Measured By:** Pre-Post test

**Described Instrument:** Members will administer a post-test at the completion of class that measures whether participants feel more prepared in a disaster.
**Outcome:**

OUTCM4591: Number of individuals with increased disaster preparedness.

**Target:** 100 evacuation plans completed

**Measured By:** Other

**Described Instrument:** Members will track participant completion of evacuation plans using a tracking sheet.
Questions for Discussion:

1) What aspect(s) of this performance measure need improvement? Why?

2) Propose specific change(s) that could be made to this performance measure to address the issue(s) identified in #1.