

Massachusetts At A Glance



Lt. Col. David Yasenchock had only been serving for three months as an Emergency Preparedness Liaison when he was called upon to respond to the 2013 Boston Marathon bombings.

Within two hours of the explosions, Yasenchock was working with members of the Department of Defense, FBI, National Guard, state and local civil authorities to coordinate federal support for response efforts, ensuring that all federal DoD personnel and resources—bomb-sniffing dogs, bomb technicians, and military police—were equipped and ready to go when needed.



Soldiers assigned to 302nd Maneuver Enhancement Brigade, located in Chicopee, participated in

disaster response training as part of Task Force 76 during a Digital Command Post Exercise. TF-76 is a part of the Chemical, Biological, Radiological and Nuclear (CBRN) Response Enterprise—America, or CRE-A, and is capable of responding to a multitude of CBRN incidents while providing life-saving capabilities to meet the expectations of our nation. The three-day event simulated a nuclear explosion on U.S. soil and gave Soldiers training on how to properly react in a supporting role with the Department of Homeland Security, Federal Emergency Management Agency and statewide agencies.



MA CAPABILITIES

- TRANSPORTATION
- INTELLIGENCE
- MEDICAL
- MILITARY POLICE
- CHEMICAL
- ENGINEER (FIRE FIGHTER)
- QUARTERMASTER
- TRAINING SUPPORT

BY THE NUMBERS



\$168,370,630
ECONOMIC IMPACT

1,625

NON-DOD JOBS SUPPORTED

\$49,949,495

NON-DOD WAGES

\$113,006,128

DOLLARS SPENT

\$63,517,933

TOTAL MIL PAYROLL

\$12,261,761

TOTAL CIV PAYROLL

SEQUESTRATION IMPACT FY 16

-\$1.7 Million
STATEWIDE

The Devens Reserve Forces Training Area (RFTA) is comprised of more than 5,127 acres, providing training facilities and training support to enhance the readiness of reserve component units.



OPPOSITE PAGE

LEFT: Sgt. Andrew Brophy of Bridgewater, a medic assigned to the 338rd Minimal Care Detachment, 405th Combat Support Hospital, 804th Medical Brigade, applies a bandage to a patient during a training scenario. (Photo by Sgt. Jon Soles)

CENTER: Soldiers pull security during a tactical "mystery event" during the 302nd Maneuver Enhancement Brigade's Best Warrior Competition at Fort Devens. (Photo by Staff Sgt. Timothy Koster)

TOP RIGHT: Sgt. John Aventuna, a competitor in the 302nd Maneuver Enhancement Brigade's Best Warrior Competition, crawls under an obstacle at Fort Devens. (Photo by Staff Sgt. Timothy Koster)

21

FACILITIES

102

UNITS/DETS

4,059

SOLDIERS

140

CIVILIANS