

Push Partner Registry in the Portland Metropolitan Region

So you want to be a
Push Partner? What does
that mean to you?



*Important information and life
saving medications when
you need them most*



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Frequently Asked Questions

Q: How does this registry protect my organization?

A: In the event of a major public health emergency, your organization may be able to receive rapid access to information and life saving medication. This service is provided *free of charge* and requires only your willingness to share information and dispense critical medication as a Push Partner POD.

Q: What is a “ Push Partner POD?”

A: “POD” is short for “Point of Dispensing,” a term used in public health to identify locations where medications may be quickly dispensed in times of emergency. A Public POD is a location where anyone in our community may come to receive medications to protect against a specific illness. A Push Partner POD is a facility dedicated to a limited number of people, such as an organization’s employees and their families, and clients (when appropriate).

Q: How many other companies are Push Partners?

A: The Portland metropolitan region currently serves over 200 Push Partner organizations reaching approximately 27% of the population of the region. Further breakdown of our Push Partners reveal: approximately 73% of currently enrolled Push Partners serve vulnerable populations, 14% serve first responders and 13% represent large employers who can greatly reduce the number of people attending public PODs.



Resources and information can be found at:
http://crinorthwest.org/push_partner_registry.html

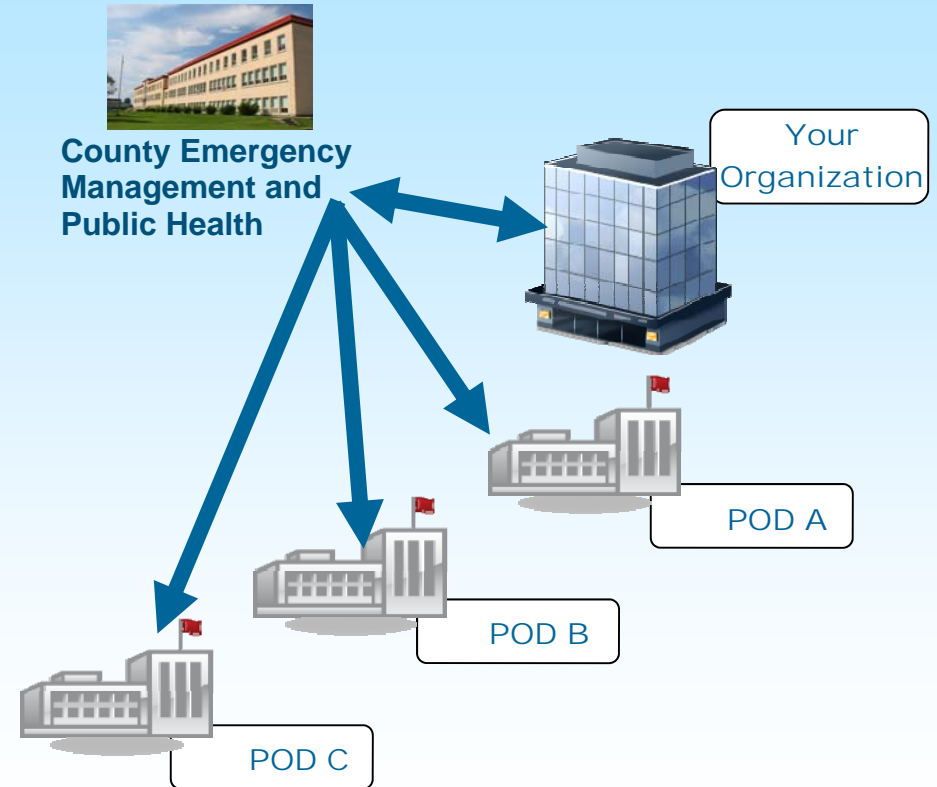
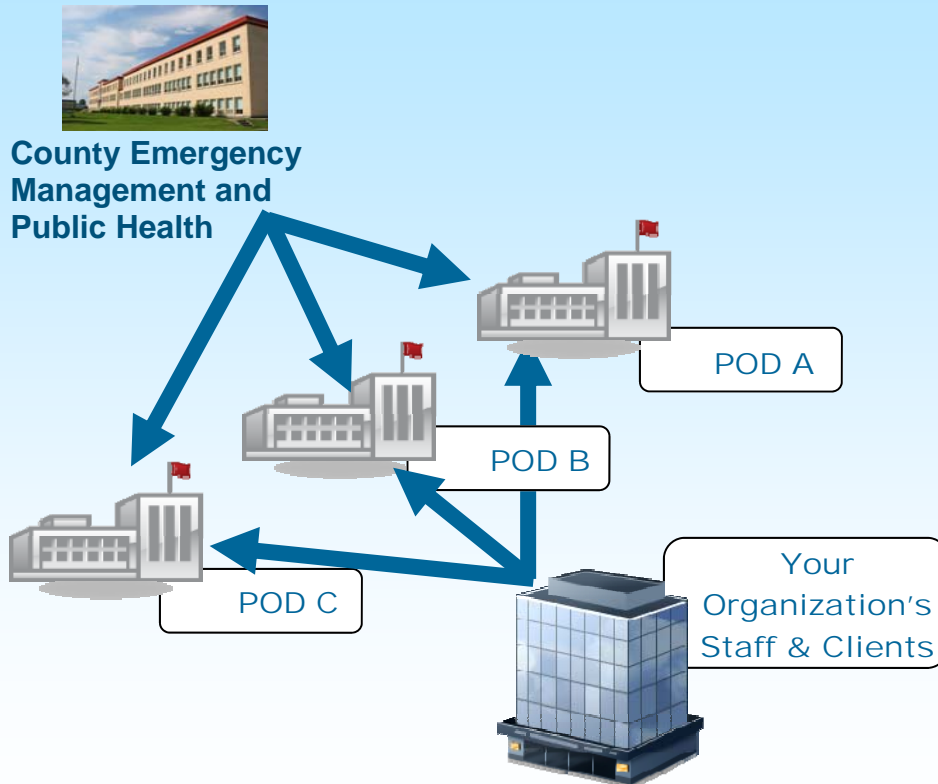
In the event of a bio-terrorist or other public health event, you can protect your employees and their families!

Before Push Partners:

Public Health provided life saving medication at Public PODs. Everyone had to go to Public PODs to receive medication.

With Push Partners:

Public health provides access to life saving medication for your employees, families, and clients (where applicable). This reduces the burden on Public PODs and expedites your organization's return to normal operations.



Remember!

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Access to life saving medication when you need it the most.

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Direct access. No lines. No waiting.

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Protect your most important asset: **your people.**

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