Prepared to assist Florida SART with response in all disasters
Accessing SART State and Regional Assets

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- SART’s responsibility is to support local Incident Command in coordination with the local Emergency Operations Centers (EOCs) and the State Emergency Operations Center (SEOC), by assisting with the deployment of resources needed to prevent, prepare for, and/or respond to agricultural and animal issues.
The SART may be called upon to support:

- Conducting needs and/or damage assessments for critical infrastructure of the agriculture and animal industry
- Providing emergency veterinary medical care
- Providing temporary emergency animal sheltering
- Providing emergency feed and water to animal shelters and the community
• Animal emergency rescue, evacuation and transportation
• Emergency decontamination of animals and facilities Management of animal disease outbreaks under the direction of the Director, Division of Animal Industry, State Animal Veterinarian
• Training of emergency response personnel
Regional Team Minimum Staffing plans

- Florida SART, as a statewide entity, is available to assist RDSTFs and counties through the following resources (minimal staffing for each resource is listed):
  - Small animal search and rescue (5-member team with supporting rescue equipment)
  - Small animal sheltering (8-persons per 100 animals sheltered per 24 hours)
• Small animal transportation team (2-member team with supporting equipment)
• Large animal search and rescue (6-member team with supporting rescue equipment)
• Large animal sheltering (8-persons per 100 animals sheltered per 24 hours)
• Large animal transportation team (2-member team with supporting equipment)
• Animal disease (1 Foreign Animal Disease Diagnostician [FADD] qualified veterinarian, 1 animal health technician)

• Animal/agricultural damage assessment team (2-member team with supporting equipment)

• Mosquito control (1 Agricultural Environmental Services [AES] mosquito control representative)
• Incident Management Team (6 person short team with animal/agricultural expertise)

• Veterinary Emergency Treatment Service (VETS) Team (17-member team to assist with basic to intermediate veterinary care, and associated equipment)
Team Basic Qualifications and Competencies

• For agricultural and animal response, there are different basic qualifications and competencies dependent on the specific responder role. Not included in this list are the various professional licenses, certifications, or registrations required by Florida statutes. The following are some of the recommended courses for animal and agricultural responders:
• IS-10 Animals in Disaster, Module A: Awareness and Preparedness
• IS-11 Animals in Disaster, Module B: Community Planning
• IS-111 Livestock in Disaster
• USDA FADD Training for Veterinarians
• Technical Large Animal Rescue
• FL-SARC Awareness Level Training
• Center for Domestic Preparedness (CDP) courses
• Department of Homeland Security (DHS) approved agroterrorism courses
• National Fire Protection Association (NFPA) courses
• PPE training
• Animal first aid courses
• ICS position-specific training
• Hazardous materials awareness
• Other agricultural and animal related courses that are approved by the Florida SART leadership
Minimum Levels of Training

• **Entry Level**
• SART responders will be required to have the following levels of training as appropriate for their respective positions:
  • FEMA IS-700: National Incident Management System (NIMS), An Introduction
  • ICS-100: Introduction to Incident Command Systems (ICS)
First Line, Single Resource, Field Supervisors

- IS-700, ICS-100 and ICS-200: Entry Level ICS or its equivalent
Mid-level Management: Strike Team Leaders, Division Supervisors, EOC Staff, etc.

- IS-700, IS-800, A NRP, ICS-100, ICS-200 and ICS-300*
Command and General Staff; Area, Emergency and EOC Managers

- IS-700, IS-800.A, ICS-100, ICS-200, ICS-300* and ICS-400*
Veterinary Response teams

- UF VETS
- VET CORPS
- VMAT
FLORIDA STATE ANIMAL RESPONSE COALITION

Animal Rescue
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(you must be a SART member)
go to Members Area
Scroll down to **SERVICES**
And click on **Mobile Animal Response Equipment**