

January 25, 2011

**Joint - Quarterly Meeting
Hospital Preparedness Program & Public Health Emergency Preparedness**

Crowne Plaza Austin North Central

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MINUTES

- 1:00 PM Opening Remarks & Introductions – **Dana Birnberg & Ray Apodaca**
- 1:20 PM Texas Disaster Medical System (TDMS) Overview -- **Rick Bays, DSHS**
 ➤ **Overview of the TDMS Program presented**
- Medical Component, including EMTF -- **Eric Epley, STRAC**
 ➤ Presented information on the Medical Component of TDMS and how
 TDMS works/goes hand-in-hand with EMTF
- 2:50 PM Break
- 3:10 PM Public Health Component – **Jeff Hoogheem, DSHS**
 ➤ Presented the Public Health Component of TDMS and the role that Public
 Health plays in making the system work
- Medical Operation Center – **Dr. Emily Kidd**
 ➤ Presented a Draft of the new concept for the State Regional Medical
 Operations Centers Plan
- 4:40 PM Adjourn