

ESF-15 Congressional Affairs (CA) Organizational Chart

Congressional Affairs serves as the primary point of contact for all Congressional situations at the JFO. Members of Congress have a right to know what affects their constituency and developing the trust of Congressional offices is essential to building a positive and credible relationship. The goal of Congressional Affairs is to be a credible and reliable source of information. The mission of Congressional Affairs is to contribute to the well-being of the nation following an incident by coordinating a proactive and continuous dialogue between the federal efforts and the Congressional delegation of the affected area.

- Coordinates the exchange of information between DHS, FEMA, Members of Congress and their staff
- Responds to Congressional inquiries and casework
- Arranges for Congressional site visits to help Members understand the federal/state/local response and recovery process
- Develops Congressional Affairs strategy for outreach and incident-specific objectives

Figure: Congressional Affairs Organizational Chart

