



STATE OF FLORIDA

# DIVISION OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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As required in section 252.351(3), Florida Statutes, political subdivisions shall provide notification to the State Watch Office when an incident on the list of reportable incidents has occurred within its geographical boundaries, as soon as practicable, following the initial response to the incident.

The Florida Division of Emergency Management hereby gives notice that on November 15, 2021, the following incident types shall be added to the list of mandatory reportable incidents, pursuant to Florida Statutes 252.351.

- Mass Casualty Incident
- Cyber Disruption
- Public Safety Answering Point Disruption

A brief overview of the new incident types is provided below to assist political subdivisions determine if an incident meets the new reportable criteria:

### **Mass Casualty Incident (MCI)**

A mass casualty incident is any incident in which the number of casualties exceeds the capabilities of local resources, as determined by the local jurisdiction. An MCI may be classified by different levels (e.g., Level 1 – Level 5) depending on the number of casualties.

### **Cyber Disruption**

A cyber disruption incident is any information system incident that disrupts or is likely to disrupt the normal operations of government or negatively impact residents' ability to communicate with government. An information system incident may be issues related to unauthorized access to computer systems, denial of service attacks, prolonged power outages or other events with significant adverse effect on the information system. Such disruptions may threaten critical infrastructure, public safety, economic systems, or any other governmental services or critical infrastructure operations.

### **Public Safety Answering Point (PSAP) Disruption**

A PSAP disruption incident is any unexpected and prolonged incident hindering operations or services at Public Safety Answering Points. Such disruptions may include 911 telecommunications outages, the inability to access Computer Aided Dispatching software, or significant radio system degradation or outages.

For a full list of reportable incidents, please visit <https://www.floridadisaster.org/swo>.

Please direct any questions regarding the additions to the reportable incident list to Ian Guidicelli at: (850) 354-3044 or [Ian.Guidicelli@em.myflorida.com](mailto:Ian.Guidicelli@em.myflorida.com).

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