

## Cities Readiness Initiative

Nashville-Davidson/Murfreesboro Metropolitan Statistical Area



**Metro Public Health Dept**  
Nashville/Davidson County  
Promoting and Protecting Health

# Join Metro Public Health Department and the Cities Readiness Initiative

## FAQ's

### Q: Why have other companies done this?

A: Many companies understand the urgency in getting essential life saving medication to employees in the event of a disaster. This program helps ensure that employees do not wait in long lines at schools for medication, and gives them direct access to the medication at your location.

### Q: How does this protect my employees?

A: In the event of a major terrorist attack or other biological agent release, your company can get rapid access to life saving medication for your employees and their dependents. This service is provided *free of charge* and requires only your willingness to dispense critical medication.

### Q: What is a "Worksite 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 may come to receive medications to protect against a specific attack. A Worksite POD is a facility dedicated to a limited number of people, such as a company's employees and their dependents. By establishing a series of Worksite PODs throughout Davidson County, Metro Health Department is better able to focus on operating Public PODs for residents not otherwise covered.

## Become a Worksite POD Today



*Life saving medications  
when you and your employees  
need them most*

Learn about this life saving  
**FREE** service provided by the

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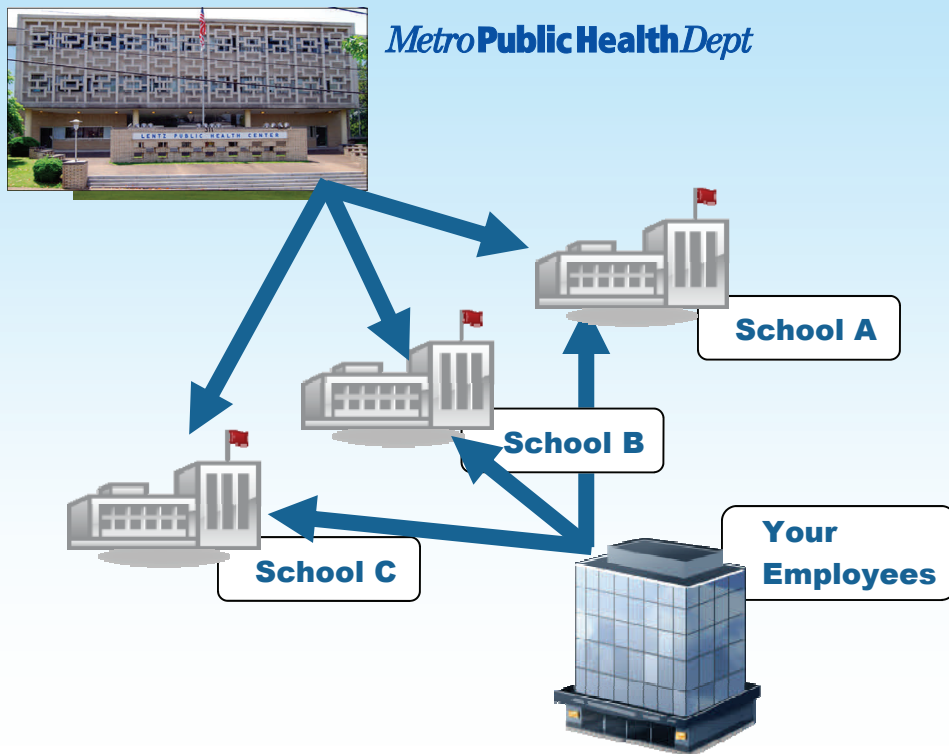
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# In the event of a bio-terrorist or dirty bomb attack, how can you protect your employees and their families?

## How it works:

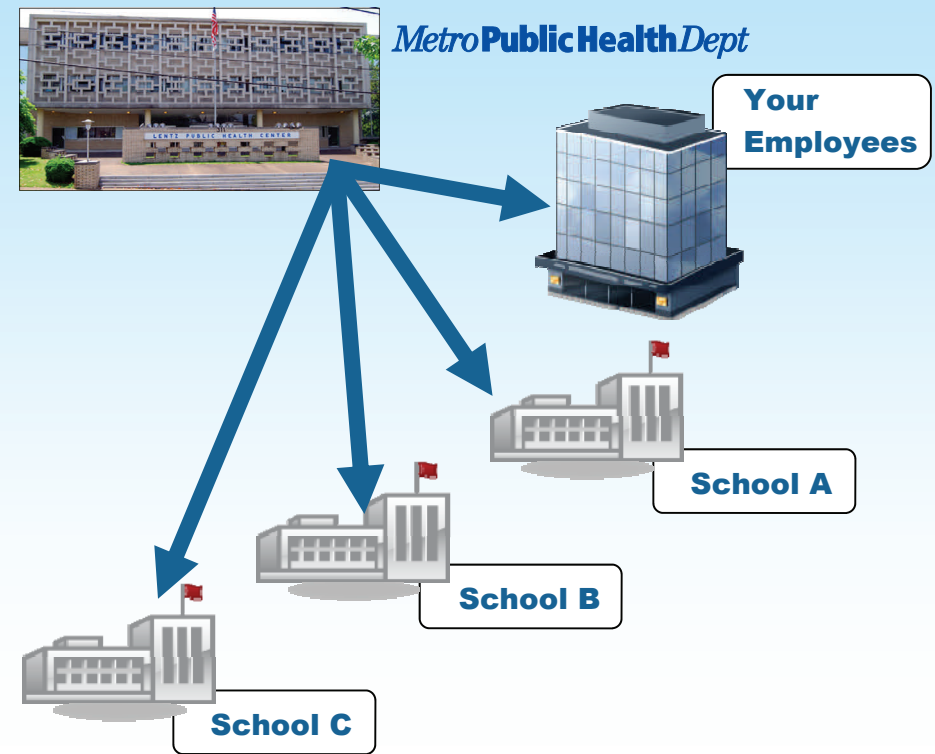
### The current scenario:

Metro Public Health provides life saving medication at Public Points of Dispensing. Your employees may wait in long lines to receive medication.



### Once enrolled as a CRI partner:

Metro Public Health provides life saving medication directly to you for you, your employees and their families. **No long lines. No waiting.**



## Why you should enroll:

- 1** Access to life saving medication when you and your employees need it the most.
- 2** No lines, No waiting, Direct access.
- 3** Protect your most important asset: Your people.
- 4** It's free and easy to sign up!

**Enroll today! Call James Woulfe at 615-340-5339 or email [james.woulfe@nashville.gov](mailto:james.woulfe@nashville.gov)**