

Incidents Requiring Mass Burials

- **Natural disasters**
 - **Floods**
 - **Earthquakes**
- **Infectious Disease**
 - **Pandemic Influenza**
- **Intentional terrorist incidents**
 - **Dirty bomb/nuclear Power plant sabotage**
 - **Introduction of zoonotic disease or contamination of the food supply**



Disposition of Casualties

- **Mass graves**
- **Individual graves**
- **Incineration**



Alabama Department of Public Health Field Staff

Public Health Environmentalist:

- * **Familiar with local companies capable of handling excavations**
- * **Familiar with vector and vermin control**

Soil classifiers:

- * **Can make recommendations on depth to ground water**
- * **Determine soil conditions through soil borings and visual soil classification**
- * **Research Flood status**



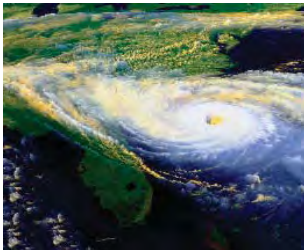
Plans in Place:

Mission Training Plan for Quarter Master
Mortuary Affairs Company

Care and Disposition of Remains

Disposition of Personal Effects

Soldier's Manual and Training Guide



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Temporary Burial Site Environmental Issues



An outline of possible issues
associated with the selection of
temporary burials sites following
a natural disaster, terrorist or
pandemic event.