If you’re a first responder or a hospital worker preparing for a future mass casualty event, the numbers aren’t exactly stacked in your favor...

The distance in miles between U.S. military civil support resources and the fringes of their respective service areas.

The number of hours necessary for these resources to deploy in response to a Weapons of Mass Destruction (WMD) event.

A conservative estimate of potential casualties who left the scene and self-referred to local hospitals following the Sarin gas attacks on the Tokyo subway system in March 1995.

The number of firefighters and EMTs injured by direct or indirect exposure to Sarin gas in the Tokyo attack.

The number of minutes separating the first call for an ambulance and the arrival of the first Sarin casualties at nearby St. Luke’s International Hospital.

The approximate number of casualties received by St. Luke’s within the first 90 minutes following the Sarin attacks.

The number of St. Luke’s staff members who later reported symptoms of secondary exposure.

The number of hours that elapsed before St. Luke’s hospital staff learned via media reports that a Sarin gas release had been confirmed by police.

Luckily, Fisher Safety has just the number you’ve been looking for—

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Already America’s leading distributor of occupational health and safety products, Fisher Safety is now your one distribution resource for TVI Corporation products. An exclusive agreement grants Fisher access to the many shelters, showers, and accessories manufactured by this industry leader in fast-deploying decontamination systems. Such exclusivity uniquely positions Fisher Safety to provide your community with both the equipment and product knowledge necessary to mount a quick and decisive incident response.

As a first responder, you will be the first, best, and perhaps only hope for many involved in a future mass casualty event. As you prepare for that day, continue to look to the first and the best.

Look to Fisher Safety for...

• World-class emergency shelters and decontamination showers
• A database of more than 64,000 other safety and domestic preparedness products
• Planning and product selection assistance from dedicated first responder product specialists
• Decontamination training, as well as additional training geared towards other aspects of disaster response
• Support services designed to help you track spending and even obtain more available grant monies
Why experts turn to TVI Corporation

One of the major advantages TVI can offer its customers is practical experience. Specifications for TVI products are the result of testing and intelligence gathered from first responders during numerous field deployments. As a pioneer in the field of portable decontamination systems, TVI has long-standing relationships with several of the nation's most recognizable emergency response teams, including:

- National Medical Response Teams (NMRTs) maintained regionally by the Department of Health and Human Services;
- National Guard WMD Civil Support Teams (CSTs) maintained at the state level; and
- The United States Marine Corps Chemical-Biological Incident Response Force (CBIRF)

Using this feedback to refine its designs, TVI has created a product line employed routinely by federal, state, and local first responder agencies across the country. Notable deployments have occurred at or near:

- The Pentagon following the events of September 11, 2001;
- The 2002 Winter Olympics hosted by Salt Lake City, Utah;
- The Super Bowl, hosted by New Orleans in February 2002.

They say that speed kills. In incident response, so can a lack of it.

One of the foremost reasons why emergency responders turn to TVI is the need for speed. Thanks to a patented articulating frame design originally featured in freestanding military targets and decoys, TVI products earn outstanding marks for deployment speed, portability, and ease of assembly without sacrificing durability.

- Aircraft-grade structural aluminum frames store as compact cubes—some not much larger than a floor model television.
- When deployed, frames extend to form canopied shelters ranging from 5-1/2 to 14-1/2 feet in width and 4-1/2 to 24 feet in length.
- Fully integrated shelters require no poles or inflation devices for setup.
- Many shelters can be erected by just two people; some can be deployed in as little as 60 seconds.
- Unlike the inflatable components featured in some decontamination systems, the supporting framework of TVI shelters maintains its rigidity day in and day out, demonstrating a high strength-to-weight ratio suitable for use in adverse conditions.
- Each shelter can continue to operate with up to 30% of frame members broken or missing.
- A low-profile design reduces wind stress, allowing most of the shelters—when properly anchored—to survive wind gusts up to 55mph.
Whatever the application, Fisher Safety offers the right solution for your incident response needs.

Rugged Command and Control Shelters
- Offer protection from the elements as well as privacy.
- Utilize a chemical-resistant, flame-retardant, UV-stabilized fabric canopy.
- Come outfitted with one or more doors and windows depending on size; some are available with an internal skin.
- Serve primarily as command and control, and casualty management stations.

Military Tactical Shelters
- Feature modular expandability that allows them to be combined with other shelters, vehicles, and equipment.
- Incorporate double-wall design that offers optimum thermal efficiency and is robust enough to resist wind, rain, and snow.

Isolation/Infection Control Equipment
- Creates a negative pressure emergency safety zone suitable for patient isolation.
- Integrates transparent shelter with a separate filtration system that can attach to existing rooms or other canopied shelters.
- Provides HEPA filtration (UL 900 Class 1) to 99.97% (for 0.03µ particles) for a variety of chemical and biological agents (as tested at the U.S. Army Aberdeen Test Center, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Maryland).

Fully Integrated Decontamination Systems
- Build on the basic design of the general-purpose shelter, but turn that design inside out, shifting the outer canopy to the interior.
- Employ articulating frame as an exoskeleton; this convention allows the system to be easily and thoroughly cleaned after use.
- Handle decontamination of personnel exposed to Nuclear, Biological, and Chemical (NBC) agents.
- Include fully integrated, plug and play shower accessories such as full body sprays and handheld spray guns.
- Feature dividing curtains that provide privacy and keep contaminants from migrating between the hot and cold (contaminated and decontaminated) sides of the decon operation.

Accessories
- Expand versatility of shelters and showers by delivering decontamination solutions, hot water, light, and fresh air in any of a number of configurations.
- Include an optional litter conveyor system that facilitates the rapid decontamination of non-ambulatory casualties.
- Also include Haz Mat basins and barricades to help limit and manage contamination.

Decontamination equipment is one small, if critical, segment of your total disaster response. You will find that Fisher Safety is more than ready to provide for all of your domestic preparedness needs.

Even now, more and more federal, state, & local emergency management agencies are turning to Fisher Safety for:
- A large Web offering sorted by the Standardized Equipment List (SEL) and the Authorized Equipment Purchase List (AEPL);
- PPE, instrumentation, support equipment, and training from over 1000 of the world’s premier safety product manufacturers and consultants; and
- The flexibility and speed of 22 distribution centers strategically located throughout the country.

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