

HMD Skeds can be stored and shipped on pallets of 50 to 150 per pallet. Pallets can be stacked 4 high for prolonged storage of up to 600 HMD Skeds in a space of 8' x 3' x 7.5' high. Bagged strap sets stored in moisture resistant boxes on top of the stack. Picture below shows 78 HMD Skeds in an eight inch height.

Pallets can be placed on 4' x 8' trailers and towed or sling loaded under helicopters or loaded onto light trucks for transport to the incident. Two people, one on each side of the pallet can attach the straps. HMD Skeds are assembled in 1-2 minutes each. This is faster than they can be used.



Ready to use HMD Skeds can be rolled 1-4 per bundle in rapid deployment bags for easy storage in compartments of Haz-Mat rescue or fire apparatus. This allows for rapid use by units first on the scene.

Emergency responses to Hazardous Materials incidents are not just dangerous. They are very complex, personnel rich, and the equipment is very expensive. These factors greatly limit the numbers of non-ambulatory patients that can be removed from a contaminated zone. The introduction of the HMD Sked and newly developed tactics, have greater capabilities in fulfilling the rescue mission. These include, at the very least, the ability to *rapidly* (a word not often used in Haz-Mat operations) remove large numbers of patients and minimize the risk to rescuers. By using these creative new techniques and others being developed, the potential of this device is only limited by the creativity and expertise of the trainers and field personnel. Medical Examiners have now found it safer, faster and easier to recover bodies from the contaminated area.

The rapid deployment case holds 4 HMD Skeds assembled and ready for use. It will also carry 8 bagged Shuttle Sked rope kits. That allows you to have the complete kit in 2 or 3 bags. With Haz-Mat incidents on the rise in this country and the potential for terrorist activities which can result in mass casualty incidents, the HMD Sked is a tool that allows response personnel to efficiently and above all, more SAFELY rescue substantially more of the victims.

The HMD Sked is NOT SAFE FOR ROPE RESCUE OR VERTICAL HOISTING.

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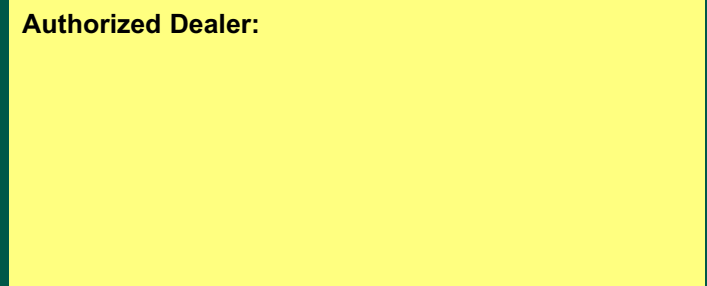


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# MASS CASUALTY HAZ-MAT/DECONTAMINABLE (HMD) SKED STRETCHER

This litter is designed for use in mass casualty incidents where terrorists using Weapons of Mass destruction or any other Haz-Mat incident requiring level A protection may occur.



This is an illustration of a system utilizing the Skyhook winch with continuous loop rope, HMD Skeds and Haz-Mat rope grabs. As many as six victims can be dragged while sending empty stretchers back to the hot zone.

The HMD Sked is exceptionally versatile. It can be dragged over virtually any terrain including stairways. It requires less effort from everyone involved including rescuers in level A protection.

