

## **2. OHCC CERT TEAMS**

### **2.1 TEAM OPERATIONS**

OHCC CERT is comprised of three Tactical Teams and a Medical Team reporting to an Incident Command Post. Team operations generally provide a greater scope of capability as well as improved efficiency, effectiveness, and safety while performing tasks. Although there is a basic CERT team organizational template presented here, OHCC CERT will adjust and adapt the structure of the teams as required.

#### **2.1.1 SPAN OF CONTROL**

Span of control is a concept relating to the number of people who can effectively be supervised or directed by one individual. Generally, operationally oriented teams should consist of 3 to 7 persons, depending on the complexity of an assignment.