EMS COMMAND

SENIOR EMT ON FIRST ARRIVING EMS UNIT. SEE ** BELOW

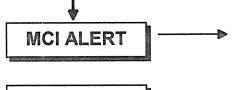


DO NOT BECOME INVOLVED IN PATIENT CARE. ACTIVATE MCI PROCEDURES AS FOLLOWS

- 1. Locate and identify yourself to INCIDENT COMMAND (IC). Request location for EMS OPERATIONS AND COMMAND.
- 2. 2nd EMT assumes role of TRIAGE GROUP LEADER, enters active scene only after clearance from IC.
- 3. Together, EMS COMMAND and TRIAGE GROUP LEADER quickly determine NUMBER OF VICTIMS and NATURE OF INCIDENT.



EMS COMMAND PROCEDURES:



FOR A POTENTIAL OR UNCONFIRMED MCI

- 1. CONTACT CMED when at the scene of a potential MCI or while enroute.
- 2. CMED alerts surrounding EMS Services and Hospitals to "Possible MCI."

PHASE I MCI

EMS COMMAND TO MANAGE

ALL EMS BRANCH ACTIVITIES

REQUIRES AT LEAST 3 AMBULANCES

- 1. Contact own Dispatch to request additional units to respond.
- 2. CONTACT CMED, identify unit calling, advise of incident. (See * below)
- 3. Request HOSPITAL ASSIGNMENTS when readied for transport.

PHASE II MCI

EMS COMMAND DESIGNATES:

Triage **Treatment** Staging Officer Officer Officer Loading -Officer

REQUIRES AT LEAST 5 AMBULANCES, INITIATE CMED MUTUAL AID

- 1. CONTACT CMED, identify unit calling, advise of incident.
- 2. Receive radio frequency assignment from CMED, STAY ON CMED FREQ.
- 3. REQUEST MUTUAL AID FROM CMED, state number of EMS units needed, and Staging Area.
- 4. Request HOSPITAL ASSIGNMENTS when readied for transport.

PHASE III MCI

EMS COMMAND DESIGNATES: Treatment Staging Triage

Officer

Officer

Loading Officer

Officer

REQUIRES AT LEAST 10 AMBULANCES, INITIATE CMED MUTUAL AID

- 1. CONTACT CMED, advise of incident, receive radio frequency assignment.
- 2. REQUEST MUTUAL AID FROM CMED, state number of EMS units needed and location of Staging Area.
- 3. STAY ON ASSIGNED CMED FREQUENCY. ALL EMS communications are to be conducted with CMED ONLY.

FOR ALL PHASES -

- the following information is needed by CMED as soon as possible:
- 1. Location of Incident, Type, and Hazards
- 2. Number of victims (estimate)
- 3. Identify and location of EMS Command
- 4. Location of Ambulance Staging Area

**THE MUNICIPALITY'S FIRST ARRIVING PARAMEDIC OR EMS SUPERVISOR WILL EVALUATE EMS COMMAND. IN NECESSARY, THE PARAMEDIC OR EMS SUPERVISOR, WITH INCIDENT COMMAND'S APPROVAL, WILL ASSUME THE ROLE OF EMS COMMAND.