Medical Emergency Plan

In the event of an emergency/accident the following guidelines should be adhered to:

1. Assess the situation:

a. Is it truly an emergency? Is the victim breathing, conscious, bleeding severely, moving, in severe pain, etc.?

2. If any of the above warrants the situation as **serious** TAKE CONTROL!

a. Provide reassurance to the victim. Demonstrate confidence.

b. Direct other participants in the group to sit and wait in a specific location, away from the victim, be visible.

- **c.** Stay with the victim.
- **d.** Send another Roo Crew member/ assigned participant,to the nearest: phone. -Direct this individual to call 911

e. The person making the call should be able to provide the following information:

-Location from where they are telephoning: trail head, what do you see around you -Location of victim

-Condition of victim, i.e., severe bleeding, unconscious, diabetic, etc.

f. Paramedics should be on the scene in several minutes.

If the situation warrants action *prior to the arrival of the paramedics* more extensive than reassuring and/or calming the victim, the Roo Crew member should perform only those steps/procedures they have been trained in.

For Example:

a. severe bleeding: apply direct pressure

b. **respiratory emergency**: open airway and initiate artificial respiration. In the event you are unable/unfamiliar with the appropriate procedures for such emergencies as those indicated above, be sure to call for help from other counselors, passers by etc.

Medical Services

Fire & Medical Emergency 911

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