

Information

Medical Emergencies

Effective

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Number

DEHS Emergency 3

Administrative Authority

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Responsible Unit

Environmental Health & Safety

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Categories

Statement:

- Do not move a seriously injured person unless he or she is in a life-threatening situation.
- Render first-aid or CPR only if you have been trained.
- Do not leave the injured person except to summon help.
- Summon help by calling local emergency medical services at 911.
- When reporting the medical emergency, provide the following information:

- Type of emergency.
- Location of the victim.
- Condition of the victim.
- Any dangerous conditions.
- Comfort the victim until emergency medical services arrive.
- Have someone stand by outside the building to flag down the ambulance when it reaches the vicinity.
- If you are exposed to another person's body fluids, wash the exposed area and contact your supervisor or the Department of Environmental Health and Safety at 502-852-6670.

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Reasoning:

If a member of the campus community becomes seriously ill or injured, they may require the service of the Emergency Medical Services.