

MCI Task Card 5 - Treatment

Reports to Medical (Use assigned radio channel) Coordinates with Triage and Transportation

OBJECTIVES:

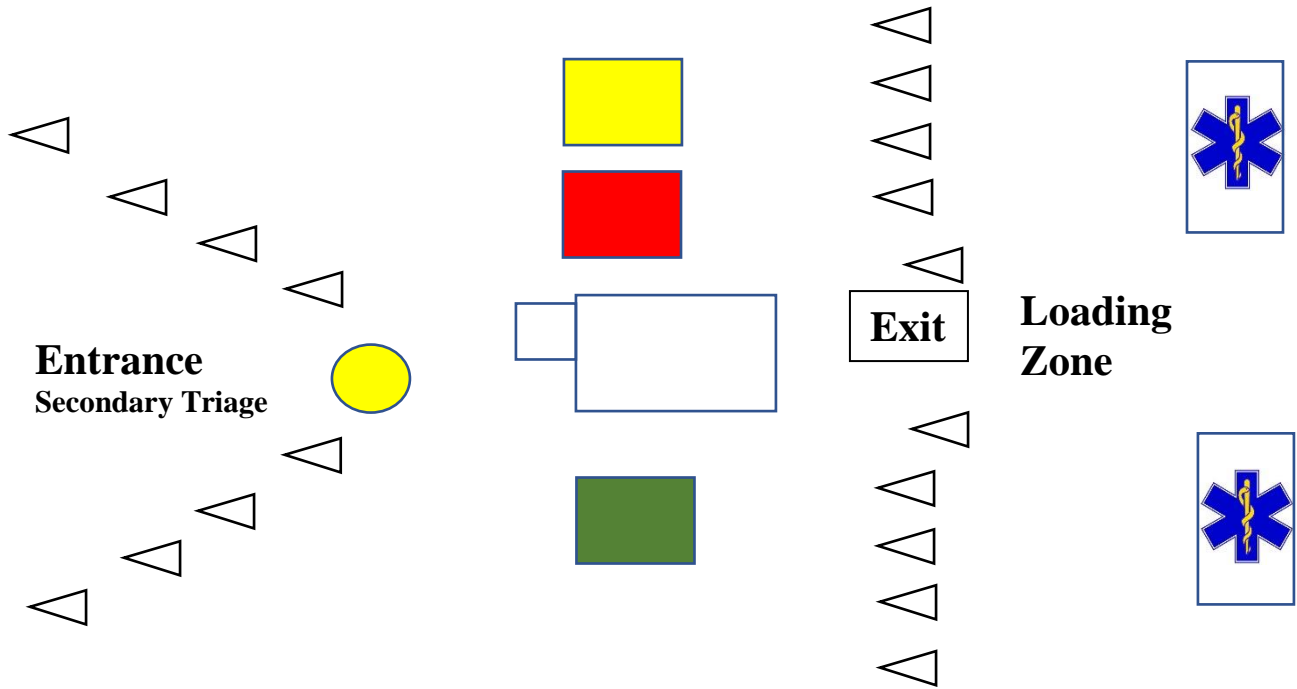
1. To rapidly treat and transport all patients.
2. Identify and establish large treatment area(s) to stabilize and care for patients until transported.
3. Coordinate all activities within the treatment area.
4. Coordinate movement of patients from treatment area(s) with Transportation.
5. Provide accountability for personnel working in Treatment.

ACTIONS:

- Establish treatment area(s) large enough to receive estimated number of patients. Set up area with room to expand if necessary. Provide for environmental protection of victims and allow easy ambulance access and egress. If multiple treatment areas are needed, identify each geographically. (e.g. - North/South, street name, division name, etc.). See Diagram.
- Order additional resources through Medical.
- Clearly identify treatment area entry point. Assign a person at the entrance to conduct primary or secondary triage, attach triage tags and direct patients to correct treatment area.
- Consider appointing "Red," "Yellow," and "Green" Treatment Team Leaders and assign support personnel.
- Establish a medical supply drop area for incoming ambulances and fire units.
- Provide BLS care in the treatment area until resources allow a higher level.
- Ensure all patients in treatment area have been tagged with a triage tag.
- Identify the order in which patients are to be transported. Coordinate patient movement to the loading zone with Transportation.
- Provide accountability for personnel working within treatment area.
- Set up treatment area WELL AWAY from Hazardous. Consider ambulance access/egress, wind direction and slope.
- Make it BIG. Set up in an area that will allow you to expand.
- Clearly identify entry point and exit point for patient transportation.
- Utilize colored tarps and flags to identify each treatment area.
- Separate the green area from yellow/red area. Consider separating with CBRNE unit or another natural barrier.
- Assign treatment team leaders to each area and identify them with the appropriate colored vests.

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Example of a scene layout:



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| OPS Channels | Medical: | Treatment: | Transport: |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------------------------------|------------|
| Assign Treatment Team Leaders | | Current Patients in Treatment Area | |
| RED Team Leader | | Red | |
| YELLOW Team Leader | | Yellow | |
| Green Team Leader | | Green | |
| Supply: | | Black | |
| Additional Company Assignments | | Notes | |
| Company | Assignment | | |
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