



MEDICAL RESOURCE STANDBY

APPROVED: 
EMS Medical Director


Interim EMS Administrator

1. Applicable Incidents
 - 1.1 Hazardous materials incidents
 - 1.2 Search and rescue operations
 - 1.3 Fire operations
 - 1.4 Bomb threats, hostage and other law enforcement tactical operations
 - 1.5 Special operations by law enforcement
 - 1.6 Other situations as requested by the EMS Agency, Fire Service, or AMR Field Supervisor

2. Dispatch and Notifications
 - 2.1 Patients are reported: a normal dispatch assignment and the AMR Field Supervisor will be notified
 - 2.2 If no known patients are reported: AMR Field Supervisor will be notified and he/she will develop an appropriate response plan, in consultation with JPA- EMS Supervisor if indicated and time allows. Some examples of response plans are:
 - the AMR Field Supervisor or JPA- EMS Supervisor responding himself/herself
 - requesting that the closest paramedic first response vehicle be kept available to respond if needed
 - requesting that the closest paramedic first response vehicle be dispatched to the scene/staging area
 - requesting that the closest paramedic first response vehicle and an ambulance be dispatched to the scene/staging area.

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