

## Search and Rescue Procedure Summary for the Search and Rescue Squad

**Main Steps:** Size Up; Act; Report

**Size Up :** Directives; Assess; Prioritize; Plan; Briefing;

**Directives:** Receive/Discuss assignments, directions, and resources from Captain

**Assess :** 360; Entries/Exits; Facts; Conditions; Hazards; Damage; Safety; Resources

**Prioritize:** Do the Greatest Good for the Greatest Number of People

**Plan:** Assignments; Entry Point; Search Pattern; Tracking; Rope Strategy; Communications

**Briefing:** Discuss Plan; Safety moment

**Act:** Equip; Search; Rescue; Evaluate; Update

**Equip:** Distribute and Check Equipment

**Search:** Yell; Mark entry; Enter; Assess Safety; Identify/Moderate/Report hazards, paths, exits;  
Victims - Greet, Triage, Report

**Rescue:** Assess; Plan; Assign; Equip; Identify/Clear path; manage ropes; Transport victim;  
Report status to treatment area

**Evaluate:** Effectiveness; Changing Conditions; New Reports; Fatigue; Safety

**Update:** Plan; Assignments;

**Report:** Ongoing Status reports to Captain; Mark Exit

START Triage <b>Assess, Treat, (use bystanders)</b> When you have a color STOP - TAG - MOVE ON	
<b>M</b>	<b>I</b>
<b>DECEASED</b>	
<b>IMMEDIATE</b>	
<b>DELAIED</b>	
<b>D</b>	
-- Move Walking Wounded -- No RESPIRATIONS after head tilt -- Breathing but UNCONSCIOUS -- Respirations - over 30 -- Perfusion Capillary refill > 2 or NO RADIAL PULSE Control bleeding -- Mental Status Unable to follow simple commands -- Otherwise	
<b>REMEMBER:</b> Respirations - 30 Perfusion - 2 Mental Status - Can Do	

