



Fire Protection Training

Procedures Handbook 4300

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

TOPIC: First Aid Kit and Supplies

TIME FRAME: 20 Minutes

LEVEL OF INSTRUCTION:

BEHAVIORAL OBJECTIVE:

Condition: A written quiz

Behavior: The student will list and describe the types and locations of first aid kits at the station and on assigned emergency apparatus.

Standard: With a minimum of 100% accuracy

MATERIALS NEEDED:

- Appropriate visual aids
- Audio visual equipment
- First aid kit, and supplies

REFERENCES:

- None

PREPARATION: Every CDF vehicle and fire station is equipped with a first aid kit which is used primarily to provide emergency medical treatment to employees injured on the job. It is your obligation to know where these kits are located and to be familiar with their contents. In the event of an injury or accident on the job, render medical aid to the extent of your training and report the injury or accident to your supervisor immediately.



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PRESENTATION	APPLICATION
<p>I. TYPES OF FIRST AID KITS</p> <p>A. Unit Kits</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Predetermined number and types of first aid supplies2. Each package within the unit kit<ol style="list-style-type: none">a. Contains one or more individual itemsb. Is sealed in a sterile wrapperc. Has directions and illustrations for use on the outside of the packaged. Is clearly labeled in bold letters on the top side as to contentse. Contains sufficient material to treat a single injury thereby reducing wastef. Arranged so that packages fit like building blocks and cannot shift if kit is kept fully supplied<ol style="list-style-type: none">(1) Especially good for mobile equipment3. Unit kits normally come in cases containing 16, 24, or 32 units	<p>Instructor should use first aid kits as teaching tools</p> <p>Open kit and show a unit package</p>



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<p>a. Contents, 16 unit first aid kit (Red Cross standards)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 units - 1" adhesive compress 2 units - 2" bandage compress compress 1 unit - 4" bandage compress 1 unit - 3"x 3" plain gauze pads 1 unit - Gauze roller bandage 2 units - plain absorbent gauze- 1/2 sq.yd. 2 units - plain absorbent gauze- 24"x 72" 3 units - triangular bandages - 40" 1 unit - tourniquet, scissors, tweezers <p>b. Contents, 24 unit First Aid Kit (Red Cross standards)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 2 units - 1" adhesive compress 2 units - 2" bandage compress 2 units - 3" bandage compress 2 units - 4" bandage compress 1 unit- 3"x 3" plain gauze pads 2 units - Gauze roller bandage 1 unit - eye dressing packet 4 units - plain absorbent gauze- 1/2 sq.yd. 3 units - plain absorbent gauze- 24"x 72" 4 units - triangular bandages - 40" 1 unit - tourniquet, scissors, tweezers <p>B. Cabinet Kits</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Range in size from pocket version to large industrial kits 	<p>How many unit packages in a 16 unit first aid kit?</p>



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<ul style="list-style-type: none">2. Contents are not standardized. May vary to meet specific needs3. Made to accept packages in different shapes and sizes4. Contain enough supplies for more than a single treatment5. Found in larger CDF facilities:<ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Conservation campsb. Automotive shopsc. Incident base	
II. USE OF FIRST AID KITS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Readily Accessible for Immediate UseB. Do Not Administer any Aid beyond the Scope of your TrainingC. Check with Immediate Supervisor for Local Policy on Use	
III. CARE AND MAINTENANCE OF FIRST AID KITS	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">A. Keep Unit Clean, Sanitary, Dust Free, and SealedB. Fully Stocked with Required Complement of Medical SuppliesC. Replace Items Used from Stockroom SuppliesD. Memorize Location of Kits in Station and on VehiclesE. Case and Bracket in Operable Condition and Well SecuredF. Check Rubber Lined Seal to Ensure Case Integrity	
IV. LOCATIONS	



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<p>A. Instructor will take Students around Facility and Point Out All First Aid Kit Locations</p> <p>B. Instructor will Point Out Location of First Aid Kits on All Vehicles</p>	



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SUMMARY:

When needed, the first aid kit must be found without delay. By knowing the location and contents of first aid kits, appropriate first aid can be administered immediately.

EVALUATION:

A written quiz.

ASSIGNMENT:

To be determined by instructor(s).