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Care for casualties on location



Overview

The unit deals with the following:

- 1 Maintain a state of readiness
- 2 Prepare to receive casualties
- 3 Receive and treat casualties

During this work you must take account of the relevant operational requirements and safe working practices AS THEY APPLY TO YOU.

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Performance criteria

- You must be able to:*
- P1 clarify to all crew members their roles and responsibilities within the procedures for company training
 - P2 contribute to drills and exercises in accordance with the requirements of the vessel operator, duty holder and industry
 - P3 check the equipment, medical and non medical – including Triage and record documentation, decontamination showers, survivor accommodation facilities, in accordance with procedures and industry guidelines
 - P4 record serviceability of equipment and confirm the status to the master of the vessel in accordance with procedures
 - P5 establish effective working relationships and structure with all crew members and external sources of medical assistance
 - P6 respond to alarm bells, klaxons, whistles, siren, vocals in accordance with emergency procedures, standing orders and the watch and station bill
 - P7 wear PPE in accordance with emergency procedures
 - P8 direct the relevant crew members to undertake tasks in accordance with priorities and emergency procedures, standing orders and the watch and station bill
 - P9 establish and maintain effective communication with the master, mate, FRC Coxswain installation/rig medic and the ship to shore medical radio link in accordance with emergency procedures, standing orders and the watch and station bill
 - P10 make preparations to receive casualties in accordance with emergency procedures, standing orders and the watch and station bill (preparations to include management of team and the provision of equipment)
 - P11 confirm the readiness of facilities and equipment to the bridge, in accordance with emergency procedures, standing orders and the watch and station bill
 - P12 respond to communications from the master, mate and external medical advisors in accordance with emergency procedures, standing orders and the watch and station bill
 - P13 receive casualties onboard and assess their condition in accordance with primary and secondary survey techniques. Provide advice on out onboard transfers in accordance with procedures for casualty handling for walking and stretcher casualties
 - P14 record by triage cards, the details of casualties identification, nature of injuries, treatment continued monitoring and triage category
 - P15 deliver medical treatment to the casualties including resuscitation, cold and immersion injuries, unconsciousness, blood loss, burns/scalds, fractures/dislocation, pain, eye injuries, contamination, sea sickness in

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- accordance with priorities
- P16 manage the medical care team
- P17 observe and record the condition of casualties with the use of observation charts and modified the treatment as required
- P18 prepare casualties for transfer from SBV in accordance with procedures for casualty handling for walking and stretcher casualties
- P19 medically supervise the casualties during transfer from SBV to the point of transfer handover by helicopter, FRC/other craft, transfer basket or port of call
- P20 communicate follow-up information to the receiving medical unit, including updated monitoring, triage and treatment information

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Knowledge and understanding

You need to know and understand:

- K1 watch and Station Bill and Emergency Procedures.
- K2 company and industry training requirements.
- K3 medical and non-medical equipment inspection, serviceability, recording of checks.
- K4 leadership, teamworking, coaching and appraisal techniques.
- K5 industry Guidelines (Survey & Management of Operations).
- K6 team management techniques.
- K7 alarm response routines.
- K8 watch and Station Bill, equipment preparation, care (preparation, reception, assessment, triage, treatment), transfer (onboard and from vessel).
- K9 use of PPE.
- K10 preparation and use of medical and non medical equipment.
- K11 medical communications by radio.
- K12 use of internal communications equipment.
- K13 relevant methods of communication - intercom, telephone, hand-held VHF, treatment room radio link, written/documentary, face to face.
- K14 casualty handling methods.
- K15 IMDG code (medical first aid guide).
- K16 preparations of casualties for transfer.
- K17 the principle of supervision and management of human and medical resources.
- K18 theoretical knowledge
 - K18.1 principles and Priorities of First Aid (Primary and secondary survey techniques)
 - K18.2 anatomy and Physiology
- K19 applied Medical Knowledge
 - K19.1 primary and secondary survey techniques
 - K19.2 cold and immersion injuries (drowning, near drowning, secondary drowning, hypothermia, frostbite, contamination)
 - K19.3 resuscitation (EAR, CPR, recovery position, airway protection, oxygen administration, choking)
 - K19.4 unconsciousness (causes, levels)
 - K19.5 shock (blood loss)
 - K19.6 burns and scalds
 - K19.7 fractures, dislocations and soft tissue injuries
 - K19.8 chest/abdominal injury
 - K19.9 blast injury
 - K19.10 control of pain
 - K19.11 eye injuries
 - K19.12 spinal injuries

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- K19.13 sea sickness
- K19.14 casualty recording procedures
- K19.15 head injuries
- K19.16 crush injuries
- K20 specialist Procedures
 - K20.1 IV infusions, cannulations (preparation, administration and monitoring)
 - K20.2 administration of injections
 - K20.3 use of suction
 - K20.4 hygienic wound dressing
 - K20.5 basic nursing care
 - K20.6 administration of eye drops
 - K20.7 establishing and monitor vital signs
 - K20.8 defibrillation

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