

ECP Procedure for off campus practices/games if a **Certified Athletic Trainer** is **NOT** present:

A cell phone will be used for communications

1: When the injury occurs, the head coach will be responsible for the care of the injured athlete, providing the appropriate first aid. If necessary, the head coach or designated individual will call Emergency Medical System.

2. Call 911 and give the following information:

Name

Title

Type of injury (severity if known, do not guess)

Location of injured athlete (be specific)

Let EMS terminate the call

3. After call is terminated by EMS a Coach/Designated individual will go to the entrance of the practice/game area and guide the ambulance to the injury site.

4. Upon arrival of EMS personnel, the head coach or designated individual will help coordinate care of the injured athlete with EMS personnel.

5. The parents of the injured athlete should be notified as soon as possible by the head coach.

If EMS is not necessary, but immediate medical care is thought to be needed:

1. The athletes should be stabilized with the following

Control bleeding

Normal level of consciousness

If athlete cannot be stabilized, activate EMS

Treat for shock

2. The athlete should be taken to the Hospital or Urgent Treatment Center by a responsible Adult driver and at least one other person. If the certified Athletic Trainer is not on site, they can be called to help expedite medical arrangements (i.e. Sports Medicine or Orthopedic on-call physician).

The parents of the injured athlete should be notified as soon as possible by the head coach or a member of the coaching staff.