

First Aid Assessment Model



Check Scene

Hazards?

What Happened?

How many hurt?

Helpers nearby?

- Are there any dangers?
- Could dangers develop?
- How did this happen?
- What injuries are likely?
- How many are hurt?
- People who can help?

Check - Person

A Airway Clear?

B Breathing?

C Circulation?

- Head-Tilt-Chin-Lift?
- Breathing = alive
- Not Breathing = dead
- Bleeding?
- Pale/sweaty/bluish?
- Hot/warm/cold?

Call 9-1-1

Should you call 9-1-1?

- Err on the side of caution
- Send someone for AED

Care

Ongoing Care

Continuous Reassessment

Assist with Medication?

- Life-threatening problems
- Monitor A-B-Cs
- Assist with medication if...
They express conscious consent and it is safe



Secondary Survey

Interview

SAMPLE Questions

Signs & Symptoms

Allergies

Medications

Past Medical History

Last Oral Intake

Events leading up

Vital Signs

Level of Responsiveness

Breathing

Skin color & temperature

Injury Check

Thorough check for any injuries

Focused Examination (Responsive)

Hands-on Examination (Unresponsive)