



Emergency Management Procedures

Remarkables Ice & Mixed Festival





Secure Scene



Assess Impact



Call 111



Treat Victims



Record Details



Contact RIMF

Field Injury or Medical Emergency

Secure Scene

Check for further hazards

Move uninjured parties to safety

Assess Impact

Categorise injuries

Determine transport priority

Category 1 - Minor Illness/Injury

Minor cuts, bruises, abrasions,
strains

Minor asthma, cold, stomach upset
etc.

-Treat on the spot
-Give option of continuing or returning to base

Category 2 - Non-life threatening

Sprains, lacerations, fractures

Flu, food related vomiting/diarrhoea

-Treat to your level of resources
-Arrange evacuation if required
-Record Details

Field Injury or Medical Emergency

Category 3 - Life Threatening or Fatal

Complicated Fractures,
unconscious, head or spinal
injuries

Major illness requiring
hospitalisation



Stabilise victim if possible
Arrange immediate evacuation
Record Details
Minimise disturbance to scene

Follow-up action:

- Ensure remaining participants are safe and warm
 - Once the immediate crisis is over
contact RIMF Event Manager
- Category 1&2 Incidents: if safe and appropriate
return to normal operations.

Avalanche Emergency

Secure Scene

Stay Calm

Check for further hazards

Move survivors to safety



Assess Impact

Establish if anyone is missing

Prepare search plan with survivors

Assign a scribe to record communications, actions, timeline, etc



Initial Search

Set all transceivers to search

Transceiver search and coarse probe
20mins before calling rescue



Call Emergency/Rescue Services

Record and provide:
Time, location, grid reference, current weather, leader contact
Details of missing/injured

Avalanche Emergency

Search Phase – continue until relieved:

Plan

- Minimise further danger
- Assess group ability
- Assign roles

Record

- Names and numbers of survivors and missing
- Times and details of communications
- Incident time, location, weather

Search

- Set all transceivers to receive
- Visual search, determine likely burial areas & surface clues
- Transceiver search with probe

Extract

- Leave probe in place
- Dig in from the side
- Uncover head & chest

Care

- Administer first aid - assign caregiver
- Check for injuries
- Insulate - move only if necessary

Vehicle Emergency

Secure Scene

Evacuate Vehicles

Check for hazards

Close off road

Assess Impact

Establish number of casualties

Assess severity of injuries

Initial Triage

Stabilise victims where possible

Keep uninjured passengers
secure

Record Details

Driver's names, license number, registration, insurer
No not discuss liability at this point
Contact RIMF Event Manager

Course-specific Information: Ice Climbing Clinic

Approved Locations:

- Touchdown area on Sth Face of Single Cone, Remarkables
- Lake Alta Ice

Emergency Contacts:

Cellphone: Dial 111 ask for Police
Satellite Phone: Dial 03 363 7400 (Police Comms)

RIMF Emergency Contact Numbers:

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