

What Eagles do in the Off-Season Top Ten Eagles Blogs to Call your AtTention to



The Eagles Visit the Library



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- » Questions arise: Protocols, policies, personnel
- » How do we share?
- » How do we organize?
- » How do we remember?
- » How to keep filling the library?
- » And we have "Short Stories" only in the library



Why do Eagles Visit the Library?

- » Industrial tourism
- » Efficient way for rapid sharing
- » Not enough time to get all research done on your own
- » Limited literature on most of what we do
- » Need consistency in Best Practices
- » It is OK to steal!!!!



How do we share?

- » Discipline set a while ago
- » "Short Stories" only
- » Quick questions
- » Attach a document if needed
- » Short answers acceptable
- » Thread consolidated and back to group



Issues

- » This is unvarnished
- » It is brutally honest
- » Needs better indexing
- » Need summary of results, not just raw language
- » Protecting IDs, emails



How do we organize?

- » The library uses a decimal system with organized categories
- » Infinite expansion capability
- » Good for hard copy or digital files
- » Notate with a data (This month is 214)
- » Annual sharing of file contents



Fire EMS Filing System

- 1. ORGANIZATION**
- 2. LEGAL, REGULATORY, FINANCE, STATS**
- 3. PERSONNEL AND TRAINING**
- 4. FIRE RESCUE AND INCIDENTS**
- 5. MEDICAL CARE**
- 6. SYSTEMS AND ORGANIZATIONS**
- 7. TECHNOLOGY**
- 8. RESPONSE, TRANSPORT, HOSPITAL**
- 9. EQUIPMENT**
- 10. MAJOR INCIDENT MANAGEMENT**

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8. RESPONSE/TRANSPORT/HOSPITAL

8.1. Transport policy

8.1.1. Patient refusal

8.1.2. Lights and sirens

8.2. Response/Scene/Transport times

8.3. Crime Scene Issues

8.4. Interfacility Transport

8.5. Hospital Interfaces

8.5.1. Diversion



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9. EQUIPMENT

9.1. Design regulatory standards

9.2. Prehospital Medical Care

9.2.1. Cardiac

9.2.1.1. AEDs

9.2.2. Airway and Respiratory

9.2.2.1. Oximetry & End Tidal CO2

9.2.3. Thermometers and Pt Assessment

9.2.4. Lift/Immobilize/Cut Rings

9.2.5. Disaster Medical

9.2.6. Medications/Drugs

9.2.7. Drug Shortage for EMS

9.3. Vehicles

9.3.1. Ambulance Safety

9.3.2. Fire/Rescue

9.3.2.1. Paramedic Engines

9.3.3. MICU's

9.3.4. Air

9.3.4.1. Appropriate Use of Air

9.4. Personal Protective Equipment

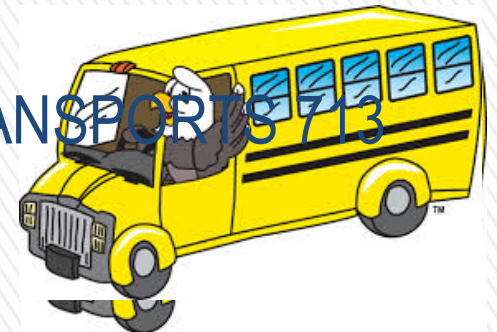
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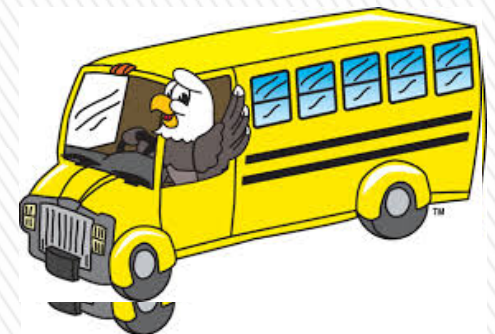
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How to keep filling the library?

- » Innovative questions and problems to solve
- » Concepts that arise from innovative minds in the field
- » Product developers: What do you need
- » "Short Stories" again are the feature



What does the Industry Need?

- » A library of protocols
- » Great sharing capability
- » Timely sharing of problem solving
- » Innovation
- » Sharing of information with product developers



The Library Isn't so Bad

