Emergency Action Plan
USM Softball

EMERGENCY PLAN: Softball Complex

Emergency Personnel: Certified athletic trainers, team physicians (if present), athletic training students, event management, and coaches.

Emergency Equipment: AED, Splints, Spineboard (Location: Home Dugout)

Emergency Communication: Emergency Personnel’s Cell Phones

EMERGENCY PLAN RESPONSIBILITIES

1. Certified Athletic Trainer
   A. Immediate care of injured/ill student-athlete; assess situation
   B. Activate Emergency Medical System (EMS)

2. Athletic Department Staff/Coach/Student A
   A. Instructed to CALL 911 by Certified Athletic Trainer
   B. When calling the EMS, give the following information:
      i. Identify yourself (MY NAME IS ______________________. I AM A ___(Title)___ AT SOUTHERN MISS. WE HAVE AN INJURED ATHLETE AT THE SOFTBALL FIELD (595 N. 25th Ave Hattiesburg MS, 39401)
      ii. Give campus location of injured athlete (USM Softball Complex)
         a) On the Field - inform the ambulance service that Student B/Event Management will be at the Softball entrance off of 25th Ave to direct them to the injured/ill athlete.
      iii. Inform them of what injury is suspected, what signs and symptoms are present, or current state of athlete. (WE SUSPECT THE ATHLETE HAS…)
      iv. Ask if any other information is needed.
      v. HANG UP LAST!!!!!!
      vi. Bring the athlete’s personal history and insurance information back to the injury site.
         a) Student A/Coach will accompany the athlete in the ambulance to the hospital

3. Athletic Department Staff/Coach/Student B
   A. This person will go to the Softball Complex Entrance (off of 25th); ensuring the Southeast Gate is opened and to direct the ambulance to the injured/ill athlete.

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Emergency Contact List

Ben Elliott ATC---------------------------------------------256-591-0017
Emergency Number---------------------------------------------911
University Emergency (land line phone) ------------------------9-911
Campus Security---------------------------------------------601-266-4986
AAA Ambulance Services----------------------------------------601-264-5211
Wesley Emergency Room----------------------------------------601-268-8193
Forrest General Emergency Room-----------------------------601-288-2100

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