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Medical Chapter Re-write Working Group

16 Working Groups have been established to consider the Chapters

The Medical Working Group membership as determined by HSE is:

Department of Health

NHS Ambulance Service

Scottish Ambulance Service

Local Government Association

St John Ambulance

British Red Cross

Safety Management Consultancy

Commercial medical services providers (x3)

The process

Working Groups review existing Chapter Content List

Working Group agrees new list

Submit list to HSE for approval

When approved edit Chapter content list electronically only on password protected 'wiki' page

Final draft of Chapter Content List published on a website for general consultation

Proposed timescales

Summary of proposed Medical Chapter contents

1. Introduction
2. Before the event
3. During the event
4. Major incidents
5. After the event
6. Tables

1 Introduction

2 Before the event

- 2.1 Medical/first aid risk assessment
- 2.2 Appointing a competent medical and/or first aid services provider
- 2.3 Multiple medical/first aid services providers
- 2.4 Medical Plan
- 2.5 Planning
- 2.6 Site access and egress routes
- 2.7 Interface with other agencies and Safety Advisory Group

3 During the event

- 3.1 Site build and preparation
- 3.2 Command, control and communications
- 3.3 Specific event considerations
- 3.4 Medical and first aid provision
- 3.5 Clinical waste
- 3.6 Welfare
- 3.7 Documentation
- 3.8 Interface with the local health economy
- 3.9 Interface with the emergency services

4 Major incidents

4.1 At the event

4.2 Outside the footprint of the event but
having an impact

5 After the event

- 5.1 Stand down of medical and first aid services
- 5.2 Hot debrief
- 5.3 Site break down
- 5.4 Collation and future management of patient records
- 5.5 Event medical report
- 5.6 The formal debrief process
- 5.7 Investing in lessons learnt

6 Tables

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Any questions?