



Medical Emergency Guide for Trails North ATV Riders

If there is a medical emergency during the ride, please do the following:

1. The person with the most current medical training is in charge.
2. Assess the situation, how many are injured and what is the extent of the injuries.
3. Render first aid to each patient and record his or her condition and/or vital signs.
4. If additional help is needed some one needs to call the 911 system for

help.

5. Appoint a responsible person to activate the 911 system.
6. Be prepared to give the 911 operator your name and the information shown below.

Number of injured patients: _____ Age and sex of each patient: _____

Extent of injuries to each patient (i.e., patient is unconscious with possible back injuries and broken R arm)

Is there a medically trained person (like nurse or EMT) on scene (Y/N): _____

TIME and nature of incident: _____

GPS Location: **N** _____ **W** _____

Topographical features, (i.e. on Dog Mt, or 10 miles up Lawson Creek) _____

Road Access (how can a ambulance or search and rescue vehicle get to the injured, what road or trail are you on?)

Medivac/helicopter (is it needed, see below *) Is there a clear area? _____ Wind Dir/Speed: _____

Patient Wt: _____ (lbs)

Additional Notes:

*** If the patient has head trauma, severe bleeding, internal injuries, or is in a spot that waiting for ground transport could result in death or permanent injuries request a Medivac. If a Medivac is requested you must have a 20' near flat area and about a 60-100' radius clear area with nothing over 18" high. If landing is not possible next to the scene can the patient be moved to an area that is flat and clear? Remove any loose item from the landing area. When the helicopter arrives have someone show them where to land. Be prepared for a 1-4 hour wait.**