

HD114: EMERGENCY DECONTAMINATION OPERATION (ED0)

This course provides a detailed overview of an emergency decontamination operation from the point of patient presentation and code initiation through the actual decontamination process, concluding with Decon Area clean-up procedures.

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Introduction

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Step 1: Recognize Contamination

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Step 2: Escort Patient Outside

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Step 3: Gather Information

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Step 4: Remove and Contain Victim's Clothing

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Step 5: Decon Type and Location - Exposure vs. Contamination

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Step 5: Decon Type and Location - Shower

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Step 5: Decon Type and Location - Off-Gas

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Step 5: Decon Type and Location - Unidentified Substance

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Step 5: Decon Type and Location - # of Patients & Weather

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Step 6: Initiate HazMat Code

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Step 7: Perform Pre-Incident Briefing

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Step 8: Don Personal Protective Equipment

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Step 9: Set up Decon Area

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Step 9: Set up Decon Area - Additional Roles

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Step 10: Perform Patient Decontamination

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Step 10: Perform Patient Decontamination (cont.)

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Step 11: Perform Decontamination on Operations Team

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Step 12: Doff Personal Protective Equipment

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Step 13: Perform Post-Incident Debriefing

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Step 14: Hospital Decontamination Zone Cleanup

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Conclusion