

HEMS MCA
System Protocol
Urban Search and Rescue Medical Response Team
CQI/PSRO Reporting Policy

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Purpose: to establish the procedure to report USAR medical incidents to HEMS for CQI or PSRO review.

CQI Reporting

1. USAR Medical Specialist Paramedic will notify HEMS within 72 hours of incident
2. USAR team will review all runs with the USAR Team Physician
3. Final report with after action report will be submitted to HEMS within 7 days
4. All USAR runs involving medical care will be reviewed by HEMS

PSRO Reporting

1. The following incidents will be reported for PSRO review.
 - a. Compartment Syndrome
 - b. Crush Syndrome
 - c. Rapid Sequence Intubation
 - d. Field Fasciotomy
 - e. Field Amputation
 - f. Extrication longer than 4 hours
 - g. Any significant call the USAR team or PSRO deem necessary for review.
2. It will be the responsibility of the USAR team members to submit the documentation of the call, including the patient e-PCR, to HEMS for PSRO review.

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