

Homewood Middle School

Emergency Action Plan

395 Mecca Ave.

Homewood, AL 35209

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Purpose: Ensure expedient and appropriate action is taken in the event of a medical emergency during athletics

Emergency Team: Certified athletic trainer, coaches, school administrators

Emergency Equipment On-Site: AED, Trauma Kit, Splint Kit (athletic training room)

Role of First Responders at HMS

- 1. Immediate Care of Injured/III Athlete(s)**
 - a. Contact athletic trainer
 - b. Provide immediate first aid

- 2. Activation of Emergency Medical System**
 - a. Call 911
 - b. Be able to provide the following: name, site address, number of injured athletes, first aid provided, specific directions to the site, and other information as needed.

- 3. Emergency Equipment Retrieval**
 - a. If on site, athletic trainer will have trauma kit and AED in possession or in athletic training room.
 - b. Other AED in HMS located in room 223 "Elective Team Room"

- 4. Direct EMS to Scene**
 - a. Coaches and administrators will be sure appropriate doors and gates are unlocked and doorways are clear
 - b. Designate individual to watch for EMS and direct to scene

- 5. Control Scene**
 - a. Limit scene to first aid providers

- 6. Contact Athlete's Parents or Guardians**

****If athletic trainer is not on-scene, coaches will assume responsibility of activating emergency action plan and assigning specific duties to coaches, administrators, managers, and bystanders as necessary.***

*****Athletes' pertinent medical and insurance information is on file with school and can be provided to emergency personnel via coaches.***