

EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN

Franklin Park

(Men's/Women's Cross Country)

136 Seaver St, Dorchester, MA

* ATC or person with highest medical authority will assess the injury and initiate appropriate actions. In all circumstances, when present, the team physician provides direction over all emergency procedures. In the event of off season workouts strength or sports coach will initiate EAP.

1.) In order to activate the Emergency Medical Services (EMS), you MUST call:

911 and state you are in Dorchester, MA

- You will be connected to Massachusetts State Police
- Be ready to provide the following information so they may dispatch local emergency personnel:
 - Identify yourself (caller name and title)
 - Location (Franklin Park, 136 Seaver St., Dorchester, MA)
 - Situation (What happened? Conscious/Unconscious, breathing...)

- If a cellular phone is not available:

- Find a bystander or park ranger to activate EMS – 911.

- Provide the following information to the dispatcher:

- Identify yourself (caller name and title)
- Location (Franklin Park, 136 Seaver St., Dorchester, MA)
- Situation (What happened? Conscious/Unconscious, breathing...)

2.) The AED is located:

- The AED will be located at the medical tent near the finish line during meets.
- There will be no AED during practice coverage.

3.) Send appointed person (preferably a coach) to be on the lookout for EMS to direct them to specific location of emergency.

- If possible, EMS should occur via direct contact with Park Ranges (if immediately available)

4.) Provide appropriate emergency care until arrival of EMS personnel; on arrival of EMS personnel, provide pertinent information (method of injury, vital signs, treatment rendered, medical history) and assist with emergency care as needed.

5.) Request EMS to transport the patient to nearest medical facility:

- Faulkner Hospital is located at:

1153 Centre Street, MA (617) 983-7000

OR

-Hospitals near Longwood Area:

1. Children's Hospital
2. Beth Israel Deaconess Medical Center
3. New England Baptist
4. Brigham and Women's Hospital

6.) Contact Mike McKenney, Northeastern University Director of Sports Medicine, at 617-637-5565 to notify of the situation.

