

## **Grand Island Senior High School Emergency Care Plan**

The emergency plan addresses immediate need for medical assistance in the event of traumatic injury or illness. The emergency plan outlines the guidelines for effective evaluation, transportation and follow-up of the situation. The emergency plan impacts coaches, spectators, practice/game officials as well as athletes. The emergency plan addresses situations that may arise from the first day of practice to the last team meeting, including weekends.

Included in the emergency plan are site specific emergency action plans and maps of each site with highlighted areas of entrance. (Maps of each site have been provided to local EMS as well.)

Should an injury occur which needs medical assistance, the following are critical items that would need to be addressed by the certified athletic trainer (ATC), coach, designated first aid responder and/or athletic director.

- Athlete Injury Evaluation:
  - Certified Athletic Trainer
  - Head Coach
  - Athletic Director or School Official
  - GISH Student Athletic Trainers
- Notification of Ambulance (911):
  - Certified Athletic Trainer
  - Head Coach
  - Athletic Director or School Official

\*\*AED Locations: One by the old training room (100 wing); One by the new training room on the east side of the new gym; One by the nurse's station; One in the auditorium

- Meet Ambulance:
  - Athletic Director or School Official
  - GISH Students Athletic Trainers
- Notification of Parents:
  - Certified Athletic Trainer
  - Head Coach
  - Athletic Director or School Official

First aid kits, with emergency care and concussion cards, and quick access to ice will be the standard for each practice and event. The Certified Athletic Trainer will be within easy contact to provide care.

In case of catastrophic injury, no information should be given to any part other than the EMS. The ATC and/ or coach should notify the athletic director. The athletic director should be responsible for contacting the superintendent and/or principal of the school. The athletic director or other school administrator will release the appropriate information to the media.