



Medical Emergencies

If you or someone else is in need of a medical professional in order to save a life due to injury or illness, that is a medical emergency and you should use 911.

Before an Incident Occurs

- Review the Fire or Explosion Checklist and be familiar with it.
- Review the [campus map](#) and be familiar with where the AEDs are located

If You Witness a Medical Emergency

- Call 911 or have someone call for you. If someone else calls, have the person report back to you to verify they have called 911.
- Protect victim from further injury by removing any persistent threat to the victim. **Do not move the victim unnecessarily. Do not** delay in obtaining trained medical assistance.
- If an Automatic Electric Defibrillator is needed because a person has no pulse or shows signs of heart attack, place the AED on the patient's bare chest, turn the device on, and follow the audio prompts.
- Provide first aid until help arrives if you have appropriate training and equipment.
- Send someone outside to escort emergency responders to the appropriate location.

For more information on medical emergencies see <http://www.alaska.edu/risksafety/emergency/medical-emergency/>