



Fire Safety Information for Support Staff



Section Summary Sheet

Section 6 – Practical Skills

1. Blanket Drag
 - a. Practice all skills
 - b. Roll person
 - c. Push blanket underneath patient
 - d. Wrap blanket around them
 - e. Drag them to safety
2. Other carries and drags
 - a. Clothes drag
 - b. Extremities carry
3. Limited mobility and Non compliant
 - a. May need staff assistance
 - b. Address specific needs as part of your plan.
4. Fire Extinguishers
 - a. Classes of Fires (A, B, C, D, and K)
 - i. Class A – Ordinary Combustibles
 - ii. Class B – Flammable Liquids
 - iii. Class C – Energized Electrical Equipment
 - iv. Class D – Flammable Metals
 - v. Class K – Kitchen fires (oils and grease)
 - b. Types of Extinguishers
 - i. Dry Chemical
 - ii. Water Extinguishers
 - iii. CO2 types
 - iv. Foam or Purple K
 - c. PASS
 - i. Pull pin
 - ii. Aim at base of fire
 - iii. Squeeze handles
 - iv. Sweep side to side.
 - d. Back away from fire.
 - e. Contact Fire Department to investigate
5. Stop Drop and Roll if your clothes catch fire.
 - a. Cover your face with your hands.