

## Ambulance Operations

<p><b>Phases of the Ambulance Call</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Preparation for the call</li> <li>• Dispatch &amp; responding</li> <li>• Transferring patient to the ambulance</li> <li>• Transporting the patient</li> <li>• Terminating the call</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Preparation for the Call</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <i>Is it there?</i></li> <li>• <i>Does it work?</i></li> <li>• <i>Will it fail?</i></li>   <li>• Mechanical/Fluids</li> <li>• Walk-Around</li> <li>• Communication</li> <li>• Treatment Supplies</li> <li>• Safety Equipment</li> <li>• Other Supplies</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Check Equipment (Follow agency checklist)</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mechanical/Fluids             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ “Under-hood” check</li> <li>▪ Starts</li> <li>▪ Steers</li> <li>▪ Stops</li> <li>▪ Stays running</li> </ul> </li>   <li>• Walk-around             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ New body damage</li> <li>▪ Fluid leaks</li> <li>▪ Tire wear</li> <li>▪ Warning equipment</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	











