

Emergency?

What to do Until Help Arrives



YOU can make a life-saving difference.

● No special skills required. ●

Tips on how to handle a crisis until professional help arrives.

Life-threatening injuries can happen at any time:

- Vehicle crashes
- Home repair or household accidents
- Severe weather
- Sudden onset of health issues

The first care someone gets requires no special skills and can potentially be the difference between life and death.

Steps you can take when faced with an emergency situation:

- ✓ **Call 9-1-1**
- ✓ **Protect the injured from harm**
- ✓ **Stop the bleeding**
- ✓ **Position the injured so they can breathe**
- ✓ **Provide comfort**



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Are you prepared to be the help until help arrives? For more in depth training visit <https://community.fema.gov/until-help-arrives>