EMT-PARAMEDIC | LEVEL: 2

Estimated Time: 15 minutes • Debriefing Time: 10 minutes



Scan to Begin

DISCIPLINE: EMT-Paramedic



Patient Name: Olivia Brooks

# **SCENARIO OVERVIEW**

Olivia Brooks is a 22-year-old, pregnant female who was found in the restroom of a local college after bystanders heard her yelling for help.

Level 2 requires a "Scene Size-Up" and a "Primary Survey" based on the National Registry of Emergency Technicians Psychomotor Exam.

# **LEARNING OBJECTIVES**

- 1. Gather information related to dispatch
- 2. Perform a "Scene Size-up"
- 3. Perform a "Primary Survey"
- 4. Perform "History Taking"
- 5. Make a Transport Decision

# **CURRICULUM MAPPING**

## **WTCS EMT-P PROGRAM OUTCOMES**

- Prepare for incident response and EMS operations
- Integrate pathophysiological principles and assessment findings to provide appropriate patient care.
- Communicate effectively with others
- Demonstrate professional behavior
- Meet state and national competencies listed for EMT- paramedic certification(s)

# SIMULATION LEARNING ENVIRONMENT & SET-UP

## **PATIENT PROFILE**

Name: Olivia Brooks Gender: Female

DOB: 01/29/XX Height: 162.5 cm (5 ft 5 in)

Age: 22 Weight: 70.9 kg (156 lbs)

## **EQUIPMENT/SUPPLIES/SETTINGS**

## **Patient**

- Street clothes with belly to simulate 32 weeks pregnant
- Bathroom is littered with papers and books, garbage is tipped over, and it looks there was a scuffle

## **Monitor Settings**

None

## **QR CODES**

## DISPATCH



## **SCENE**



### **PATIENT**



### **BYSTANDER**



# **TEACHING PLAN**

### **PREBRIEF**

The facilitator should lead this portion of the simulation. The following steps will guide you through Prebrief.

- Scan the **QR code:** "Scan to Begin" while students are in Prebrief
- "Meet Your Patient" (on iPad) and explain how the iPad works in the simulated learning environment including:
  - Facilitator note: This scenario has been designed to flow without scanning additional QR codes for convenience in the classroom. For added flexibility, you may elect to use the QR codes provided above to design your own scenario flow.
- Discuss the simulation "Learning Objective(s)" (on iPad) as well as any other Prebrief materials

## STATE 1

# RECEIVE DISPATCH

- Play "Dispatch" (on iPad): "ARISE EMS: You're dispatched for a 22-year-old female patient. She is in a bathroom at ARISE University after an apparent domestic abuse incident. Assailant has apparently fled the scene. Caller stated she was pregnant, but didn't know how far along and there may be evidence of vaginal bleeding."
- View the "En Route to the scene" message
- Preview the National Registry of EMT Psychomotor Examination form for Medical Assessment
- Possible Facilitator Question
  - o What are your plans based on the dispatch you received?

## STATE 2

# SURVEY THE SCENE & PRIMARY ASSESSMENT

- Play "Scene Survey" video
- View the "Scene Size-Up" plaque with the following questions:
  - Verbalize how you will perform a "Scene Size-up"
  - Verbalize appropriate body substance isolation precautions
- View the reminder plaque stating "Your transport decision must be made within 15 minutes."
- View the "Bystander" video
  - Verbalize how you would respond to the bystander
- View the "Patient" video
  - Verbalize how you would respond to the patient
- View the "Primary Survey" plaque with the following questions:
  - Verbalize responsiveness/level of consciousness
  - Verbalize chief complaint/apparent life threats
  - Assess airway and breathing
    - Verbalize how you would assure adequate ventilation
    - Verbalize how you would initiate appropriate oxygen therapy
  - Assess circulation
    - Verbalize how you assess/control major bleeding
    - Verbalize how you would assess skin
    - Verbalize how you would assess pulse
- Identify priority patients/make a transport decision
- History taking
  - Verbalize the questions you would ask to obtain "History of Present Illness" (OPQRST)

- Verbalize the questions you would ask to obtain "Past Medical History"
- View plaque entitled "Indicate Transport Decision" with instructions to "Indicate you transport decision by tapping the Transport tab."
  - Tap on the Menu icon in upper left-hand corner of the screen, then the Transport tab to indicate transport decision. See further instructions below under Transport tab.
  - o Tabbed iPad Content

# **EMERGENCY HOME SCREEN**

This is the home screen. In the top left corner is the "menu" icon where the tabs described below can be accessed.

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# MEDICAL ASSESSMENT FORM



# National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians<sup>®</sup> Emergency Medical Technician Psychomotor Examination

### PATIENT ASSESSMENT/MANAGEMENT - MEDICAL

Candidate:	Examiner:		
Date:	Signature:		
Scenario#	-		
Actual Time Started:		Possible Points	Points Awarded
Takes or verbalizes appropriate body substance isolation precautions		1	
SCENE SIZE-UP			
Determines the scene/situation is safe		1	
Determines the mechanism of injury/nature of illness		1	
Determines the number of patients		1	
Requests additional EMS assistance if necessary		1	
Considers stabilization of the spine		1	
PRIMARY SURVEY/RESUSCITATION			
Verbalizes the general impression of the patient		1	
Determines responsiveness/level of consciousness (AVPU)		1	
Determines chief complaint/apparent life-threats		1	
Assesses airway and breathing			
	Initiates appropriate oxygen therapy (1 point)	3	
Assesses circulation			
-Assesses/controls major bleeding (1 point)	Checks pulse (1 point)	3	
-Assesses skin [either skin color, temperature or condition] (1 point)			
Identifies patient priority and makes treatment/transport decision		1	
HISTORY TAKING			
History of the present illness			
	Severity (1 point)	8	
	Fime (1 point)	Ü	
-Clarifying questions of associated signs and symptoms related to OPQRS	T (2 points)		
Past medical history			
	Events leading to present illness (1 point)	5	
-Medications (1 point) -Last oral intake (1 point)			
SECONDARY ASSESSMENT			
Assesses affected body part/system			
-Cardiovascular -Neurological -Integumentary		5	
-Pulmonary -Musculoskeletal -GI/GU	-Psychological/Social		
VITAL SIGNS			
	Respiratory rate and quality (1 point each)	4	
States field impression of patient		1	
Interventions [verbalizes proper interventions/treatment]		1	
REASSESSMENT			
Demonstrates how and when to reassess the patient to determine changes	in condition	1	
Provides accurate verbal report to arriving EMS unit		1	
Actual Time Ended:	TOTAL	42	
CRITICAL CRITERIA			
Failure to initiate or call for transport of the patient within 15 minute time limit			
Failure to take or verbalize appropriate body substance isolation precautions			
Failure to determine scene safety before approaching patient			
Failure to voice and ultimately provide appropriate oxygen therapy			
Failure to assess/provide adequate ventilation			
Failure to find or appropriately manage problems associated with airway, breathing, hemorrhage or shock			
Failure to differentiate patient's need for immediate transportation versus continued assessment or treatment at the scene			
Performs secondary examination before assessing and treating threats to airway, breathing and circulation			
Orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention			
Failure to provide accurate report to arriving EMS unit			
Failure to manage the patient as a competent EMT			
Exhibits unacceptable affect with patient or other personnel			
Uses or orders a dangerous or inappropriate intervention			
You must factually document your rationale for checking any of the above critical items on the reverse side of this form.			

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## PATIENT PROFILE

Demographic information about the patient is displayed under this tab.

# **SCENE SURVEY**

Tap here to replay the video of the scene.

## **PATIENT**

Tap here to replay the video of the patient.

## **BYSTANDER**

Tap here to replay the video of the bystander.

## **TRANSPORT**

Tap here to indicate transport decision. The following text appears:

- "Have you made your transport decision? Yes/No"
- If student selects "No": a 15-minute timer appears with reminder "Your transport decision must be made within 15 minutes."
- If student selects "Yes": Another question appears: "Will you transport?"
- If student selects "Yes": Student will see "Prepare to Transport" message followed by a message "Scenario objectives have been met. You may exit the scenario."
- If student selects No: Student will see "Communicate your decision to dispatch"

Note: Students have 15 minutes to indicate a Transport decision or they are automatically exited from the scenario. Students will receive a 10-minute warning.

## **SCANNER**

Use this to scan optional QR Codes.

## **EXIT**

If all the objectives have not been met, the iPad reads, "Are you sure you want to exit? All data will be lost?"

- If "No" is selected, the iPad will return to the tabbed content.
- If "Yes" is selected, the iPad will let the student(s) exit and prompt them to complete an embedded 3-5 minute survey.

When the student taps the Exit tab after making their transport decision, the iPad reads, "All scenario objectives have been completed. Would you like to exit the scenario?"

- If "No" is selected, the iPad will return to the tabbed content.
- If "Yes" is selected, the iPad will let the student(s) exit and prompt them to complete an embedded 3-5 minute survey.

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### **DEBRIEF**

Nothing needed from the iPad.

# QUESTIONS

- 1. How did you feel this scenario went?
- 2. Review understanding of scenario learning objectives.
  - a. Was the scene safe? Explain.
  - b. What actions are required when an altercation is suspected?
  - c. What body isolation precautions were appropriate?
  - d. What is the nature of the patient's condition?
  - e. Did you require additional EMS assistance? Why or why not?
  - f. What did you discover during your Primary Survey?
  - g. What information did you gather while performing History Taking?
  - h. What was your transport decision? Why?
  - i. If you could "do over," would you do anything differently?
- 3. Summary/Take Away Points:
  - a. "Today you analyzed the scene, performed a Scene Size-up and Primary Survey for a 22-year-old pregnant female found in a public restroom of a local college after an apparent altercation. What is one thing you learned from participating in this scenario that you will take with you into your EMS practice?" (Each student must share something different from what the others' share.)

NOTE: Debriefing technique is based on INASCL Standards for Debriefing

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## **SURVEY**

Print this page and provide to students.

Students, please complete a brief (2-3 minute) survey regarding your experience with this ARISE simulation. There are two options:

- 1. Use QR Code: Survey
  - a. Note: You will need to download a QR Code reader/scanner onto your own device (smartphone or tablet). There are multiple free scanner apps available for both Android and Apple devices from the app store.
  - b. This QR Code will not work in the ARIS app.



- 2. Copy and paste the following survey link into your browser.
  - a. https://ircvtc.co1.qualtrics.com/SE/?SID=SV\_6Mwfv98ShBfRnBX

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