

Dispatcher Assisted CPR Program – QI

Call ID Number: _____

Date of Incident: __/__/__
(MO) (DAY) (YR)

Recording Available

- Yes No

Call Time: __:__:__ (to the sec) Cannot be determined

Communicator Number: _____

Transferring PSAP

- Cudahy Oak Creek
 Franklin South Milwaukee
 Greendale St. Francis
 Greenfield Wauwatosa
 Hales Corners West Allis
 Milwaukee and West Milwaukee Unknown
 North Shore No transfer; Greenfield assisted

Responding Agency(s) Select all that apply

- Cudahy North Shore
 Franklin Oak Creek
 Greendale South Milwaukee
 Greenfield St. Francis
 Hales Corners Wauwatosa
 Milwaukee West Allis
 Unknown

Unit Number(s): _____ Unknown (note – if multiple units, separate with commas)

How was the patient’s age determined?

- From PSAP Voluntered by caller Communicator asked exact age
 Communicator asked general age Not determined

If stated, patient age: _____

If exact age not stated, was patient: Adult Child over 8 Child 1-8 Child less than 1 Neonate Unknown

Were any special circumstances stated by the PSAP or the caller: Yes No Unknown
If yes, what: _____

Patient Gender

- Male Female Unknown

Time caller told to move phone to patient: __:__:__ Cannot be determined

Which script was used?

- Adults; Page 2 Pregnant woman (3rd trimester); Page 8
 Adults with ventilations; Page 3 Tracheostomy/Laryngectomy patients (stoma); Page 9
 Children over 8 years; Page 4 Patients not in cardiac arrest; Page 10
 Children 1-8 years; Page 5 Multiple, explain: _____
 Infants 0-12 months; Page 6 Unknown; explain: _____
 Neonate (newborn; associated field delivery); Page 7

Was it the correct script?

- Yes No Unknown

If no, why? _____

Were Telephone CPR Instructions offered by the communicator?

- Yes No Unknown (No recording)

If not offered, why? (Check all that apply)

- Caller hysterical
- Caller knew CPR/CPR in progress
- Caller left phone
- Caller not at scene
- Caller unable to move patient
- Communicator too busy, explain: _____
- EMS arrived too fast
- Language barrier
- Obvious death
- Patient reported as conscious and/or breathing
- Second party relay
- Should have been offered
- Other: _____
- Unknown
- Not Applicable

If yes, were instructions accepted?

- Yes
- Delayed Yes
- No/Refused
- Unknown
- NA; Not offered

If instructions refused, reason for refusal: (Check all that apply)

- Aid arrived too fast
- Animal/pet disruption
- Apathy/lack of interest or concern
- Believes aid will be there quickly
- Believes patient is alive (agonal, movement)
- Believes patient is dead/cold/unknown down time
- Caller knew CPR/CPR in progress
- Caller left phone
- Caller not at scene
- Caller unable to move patient
- Calling to report death only
- Can't hear or hear well
- Confused
- Dangerous environment
- Denial of medical emergency
- Disabled/wheelchair bound
- Distasteful characteristic
- Distracted
- DNR/living will (didn't know who else to call)
- Emotional distress
- Fear of contracting communicable disease
- Fear of hurting patient
- Health of patient (terminally ill, obese, etc.)
- Ill themselves/recent surgery
- Lack of strength/size difference
- Lack of training/skill
- Language barrier
- No access to patient
- Obvious death
- Others interfering/disrupting attempts
- Others who need care (child, elderly)
- Patient has internal defibrillator
- Patient is stranger/unknown to caller
- Scared, afraid
- Second party relay
- Unable to access patient
- Vision problems or blind
- Other: _____
- None
- Not Applicable

If yes, was communicator-assisted CPR begun?

- Yes
- No
- Not Applicable
- Unknown

If no, reason not begun: (Check all that apply)

- Aid arrived
- Caller changed mind, now refusing
- Caller distracted
- Caller hard of hearing
- Caller having difficulty performing instructions (pinch nose, flat on floor, etc.)
- Caller having difficulty understanding instructions
- Caller hysterical (intermittent)
- Caller is afraid of hurting the patient
- Caller knew CPR/CPR in progress
- Caller left phone for unknown reason, open line
- Caller left phone to check patient, at communicator request
- Caller left phone to confine animal
- Caller left phone to unlock door, turn on light, etc
- Caller unable to move patient: confined workspace, weak rescuer; patient at risk of injury if moved, overweight patient/caller
- Communicator delay due to unnecessary questions
- Communicator delay in starting instructions; unknown why
- Communicator delay, single communicator center/staffing
- Communicator issue
- Other: _____
- Unknown
- Not Applicable

Arrest Location

- Attic
- Bedroom
- Bathroom
- Car
- Garage
- Basement
- Kitchen
- Other living area
- Yard
- Public location indoor
- Public location outdoor
- Unable to determine
- Other: _____

Patient Moveable

- Yes
- No
- Unable to determine
- Other: _____

Position of patient

- Lying in bed
- Lying on floor, abdomen
- Lying on floor, back
- Sitting
- Wedged against/between object
- Unable to determine
- Other: _____

Delivery Method of CPR Instructions (more than one answer may apply):

- Due to logistics, gave caller all CPR instructions at once and sent them to perform until help arrived; hung up with caller
- Given to caller who is also rescuer
- Given to caller who relayed to rescuer, open line, maintained contact with 911
- Multiple rescuers, switched out
- N/A no instructions given/accepted
- Stopped CPR prior to unit on scene to unlock door, confine pet, etc.

Time to First Chest Compression (in seconds): __ __: __ __: __ __ (to the sec) Cannot be determined

Were ventilation instructions offered? Yes No Unknown

Did the caller provide ventilations? Yes No Unknown Not Applicable

If no, why?

- Refused to perform
- Physically could not perform
- Couldn't follow the directions
- EMS arrived too fast
- Other: _____
- Unknown
- Not Applicable

If the caller refused to provide ventilations, did they continue to provide compressions? Yes No Unknown Not Applicable

Time to First Ventilation (in seconds): __ __: __ __: __ __ (to the sec) Cannot be determined

First EMS unit arrival time: __ __: __ __: __ __ (to the sec) Cannot be determined

Relationship of Caller to Patient (note – caller is initial person to contact 911)

- Child
- Parent
- Sibling
- Spouse/significant other
- Other relative _____
- Healthcare Provider/Professional Caregiver
- Friend/neighbor
- Work colleague
- Stranger
- Other: _____
- Unknown

Gender of Caller

- Male
- Female
- Unknown

Approximate Age of Caller

- Child
- Adult
- Unknown

If child:

- Child < 12
- Adolescent (12-17)
- Unknown

If adult:

- Young Adult (18-35)
- Senior (>65)
- Adult (36-65)
- Unknown

Were there other people besides the patient and caller at the scene?

- Yes No Unknown

Was it suggested to get help from others to:

Move the patient: Yes No

Give compressions: Yes No

Was the arrest witnessed?

- Yes No Unknown

Rescuer had prior CPR training (anyone at the scene)

- Not trained Other: _____
 Trained; likely lay person Unknown
 Trained, likely professional (e.g., nurse, EMT, doctor)

Did the patient turn out **NOT** to be in cardiac arrest?

- Yes No

If the patient was not in cardiac arrest, was it discovered after they received a compression?

- Yes No

If the patient was not in cardiac arrest and received a compression, did they sustain an injury that required medical treatment?

- Yes No Unknown

Did the caller say there was an AED on scene? Yes No

If yes, was it used? Yes No Unknown

If yes, were AED instructions needed? Yes No

Was the caller put on hold? Yes No

If yes, for how many seconds? _____

If yes, did the caller hang up? Yes No

Transporting agency

- Cudahy North Shore
 Franklin Oak Creek
 Greendale South Milwaukee
 Greenfield St. Francis
 Hales Corners Wauwatosa
 Milwaukee West Allis

Transporting agency unit number: _____

EMS Med rec # _____

Patient transported to hospital: Yes No Unknown

If yes, which hospital: _____

Patient admitted to hospital: Yes No Unknown

Patient survived to hospital discharge: Yes No Unknown

Comments to communicator: _____

None

Resolution: _____

None needed