

## FIRST RESOURCE ON SCENE – ATTENDANT

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TASK	DESCRIPTION	✓	TIME
1	Park as near to the scene as safety permits, upwind and uphill of the incident and adjacent to Police and Fire Controls if possible.		
2	Assume the role of Bronze Commander until relieved by an appropriate Ambulance manager.		
3	Don appropriate PPE.		
4	<b>Stay focussed on your role. DO NOT ATTEMPT RESCUE OR TREATMENT OF CASUALTIES.</b>		
5	<p>Assess the scene and if determined safe to enter, carry out the reconnaissance of the scene and report the following to Ambulance Control Room using METHANE</p> <p><b>M.</b> Major Incident declared or “Major Incident Standby”.</p> <p><b>E.</b> Confirm exact location of the incident</p> <p><b>T.</b> Type of Incident with brief details</p> <p><b>H.</b> Identify hazards present and potential</p> <p><b>A.</b> Determine best access &amp; egress routes &amp; RVP</p> <p><b>N.</b> Estimate number of casualties e.g. dead/injured</p> <p><b>E.</b> Emergency Services are on scene and what are required</p> <p>Start a log book</p>		
6	Ascertain the requirement for specialist teams e.g. SORT, MERIT, HART, BASICS, Air Support and specialist equipment		
7	<p>In liaison with the other Emergency Services, initially identify:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Consider RVP criteria –Avoid objects i.e. waste bins, check for suspect packages, rotate RVPs –don’t always have them at predetermined points</li> <li>• Ambulance Parking and Ambulance Control Point (normally situated with Police Control and Fire Control)</li> <li>• Location for a Casualty Triage, collection and clearing points</li> <li>• Ambulance Loading Point</li> </ul>		
8	On arrival of additional staff designate further roles as required.		
9	Prepare a “brief” for the first Ambulance Commander on scene.		