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Six Phases of an Extrication

COMMAND

- Outer scene assessment
- Inner scene assessment
- Control scene
- Dynamic Risk Assessment
- Introduce controls
- Deploy resources
- Gather information
- Planning

Safety

TECHNICAL

- Equipment set up
- Initial stabilisation and access
- Full stabilisation
- Space creation
- Glass management
- Full access

Medical

- Assess the kinematics
- Identify and locate any casualties
- Triage
- AVPU
- Level of entrapment
 - Primary survey
- Secondary survey
- Patient care and ongoing assessment
- Lead casualty extrication

CONSIDERATIONS

- Risk to responders and members of the public
- Safe systems of work
- Number, location and orientation of any casualties
- Immediate priorities
- Vehicle type, make and the extent of the impact
- Need for additional resouces
- Interaction with other services
- Ongoing priorities

CONSIDERATIONS

- Immediate risks
- Location of equipment and debris dump
- Vehicle stability
- Access points to the vehicle
- Vehicle age, shape and construction
- Internal space creation options
- Pathways and full access

CONSIDERATIONS

- Extent of the impact
- Number and location of the casualties
- Triage
- Access to vehicles
- Casualties condition
- Type of entrapment
- Limitations created by the situation
- Immediate priorities
- Pathway for extrication
- Control of the extrication phase