SOP 303 – PERSONNEL INJURY PROCEDURES

PROCEDURE FOR A BURNED FIREFIGHTER

1. Transport to Stony Brook University Hospital Burn Center via Suffolk County Police Medivac is strongly recommended. If time is a factor then ground transport to the closest Local Trauma Center will suffice.

2. Any Dix Hills Fire Department Member or any Mutual Aided Firefighter Burned while operating in Dix Hills Fire District or operating at any Incident in Suffolk County shall result in the following Notification Procedure Immediately.
    - Text Message to all Dix Hills Fire Department Chiefs with the **Nature, Location, and Pertinent Information. – Include Company Officers**
    - Notification to receiving Hospital via Phone advising Burned Firefighter, nature and condition.
    - Notification to Suffolk County Fire Rescue Emergency Services (FRES) via
        - Telephone (631) 924 – 5252 or
        - Low Band Radio 46.46 to FIRECOM
    - Information to give FRES
        - Advise FRES you have a Burned Firefighter being Transported to (name) Hospital.
        - Advise FRES Department Name with contact numbers for Dispatch Office and Chief of Department.
        - Transporting Department name if different then Dix Hills FD.

3. FRES Dispatch will notify the Burn Center Nurses Desk that a Firefighter is being transported to Hospital (name) with Burns.

4. FRES Dispatch will notify the Burn Center Executive Committee via pager. Executive Committee will ensure contact has been made to the Burn Center Nurse Desk.

5. This Procedure shall be followed regardless of the Hospital in which the Burned Firefighter is transported to.

6. It should be noted that a Burned Firefighter treated at a Local Trauma Center may be transferred to Stony Brook University Hospital Burn Center depending on the severity of the burns and / or for follow up evaluation by the Burn Center Clinic.