

Section 3.7: Command System Procedures

At large scale special events (football games, Ring Day, etc.,) and in a mass casualty incident (MCI), an incident command system will be established. This may be for all of TAMU EMS territory or just the area immediately surrounding the event.

Incident Command will be responsible for dispatching and assigning units to calls for service. The final authority on all decisions related to the event will be Incident Command.

If a call for assistance comes through Texas A&M EMS Communications, the dispatcher should pre-alert and obtain the location, call back number, and chief complaint. The dispatcher should NOT tone out units. Instead, the dispatcher should alert Incident Command via the radio of the location and chief complaint, and then complete ProQA as normal. The dispatcher should then provide the secondary and any further information to the responding units on the appropriate channel.

During events such as football games, Command will have access to CAD and be able to manipulate it themselves.