



Multiple Patient



2-10 Victims

So, have you been at an incident?

1 Yes 0%
2 No 0%
3 I'm not really sure 0%



First Few Moments...

-  Roadway safety
-  Incident command
-  Patient triage
-  Patient treatment
-  Extrication

Dispatch

Be advised multiple cars and reports of several injured people.



Starts the assessment

Upon Arrival



 What are your first actions?

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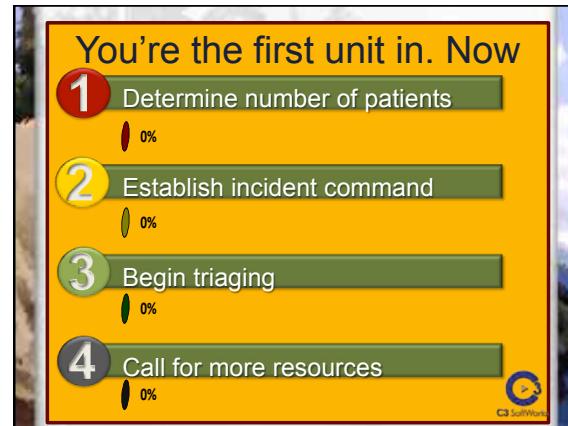
1 Establish incident command 0%
2 Assess safety through windshield 0%
3 Call for additional resources 0%
4 Determine the number of patients 0%



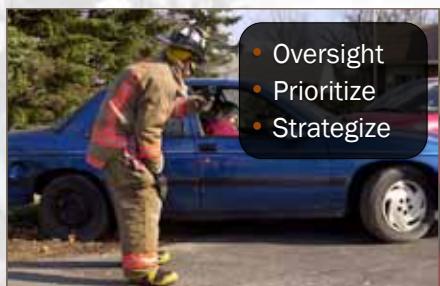
Upon Arrival



Situational Awareness



The Scenario

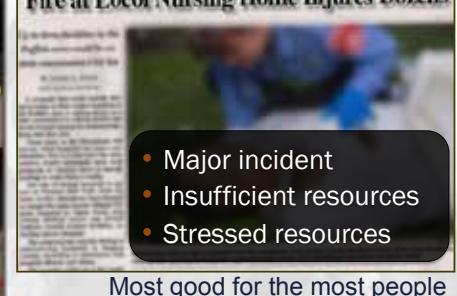


- Oversight
- Prioritize
- Strategize

Establishing Command

Incident Management

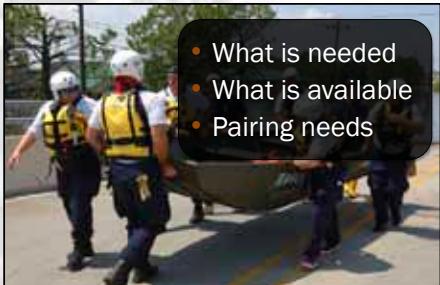
Fire at Local Nursing Home Injures Dozens



- Major incident
- Insufficient resources
- Stressed resources

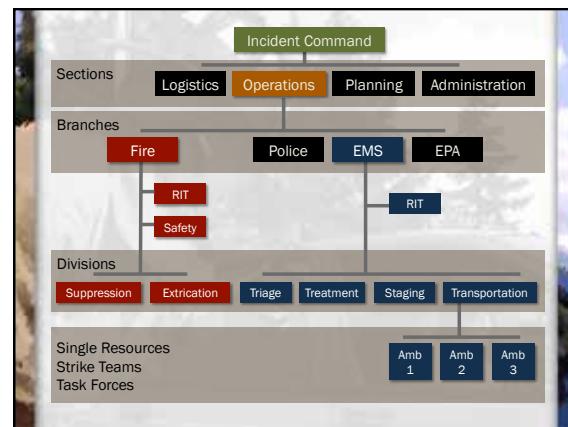
Most good for the most people

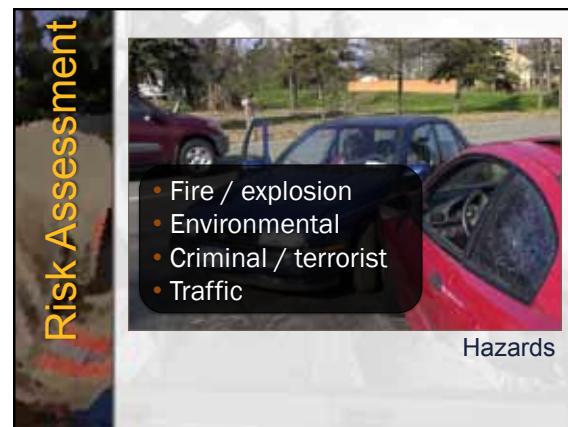
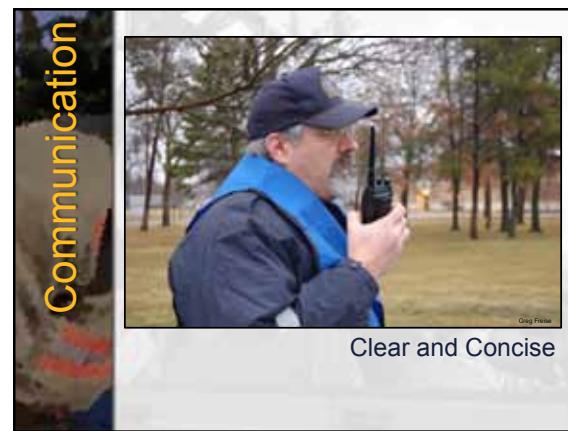
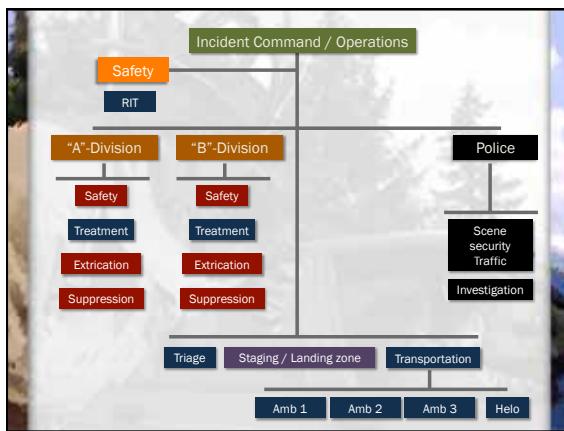
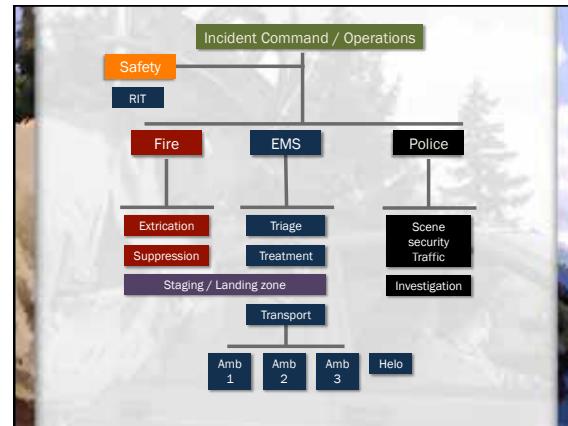
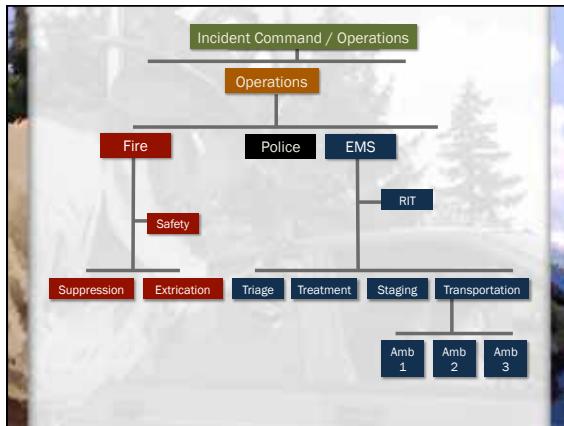
Incident Management



- What is needed
- What is available
- Pairing needs

Knowledge is success





Risk Assessment



Incident Factors

- Vehicle condition
- Scene access / egress
- Environment
- Evidence
- Occupants

Risk Assessment



Responder Capabilities



Triage Background

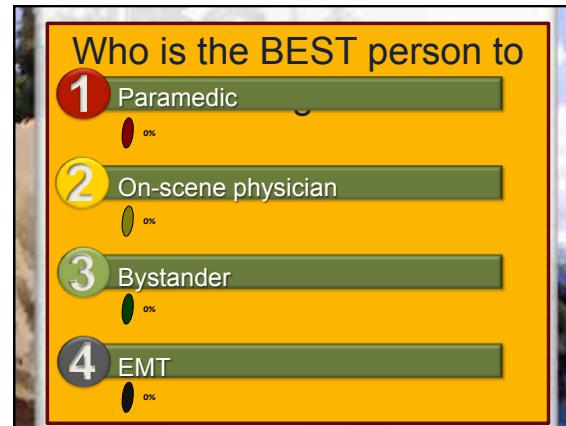


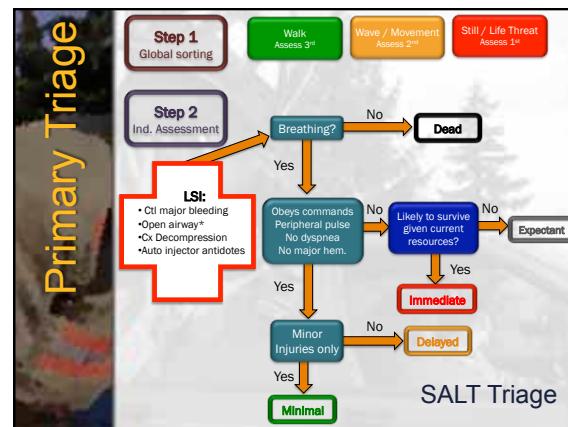
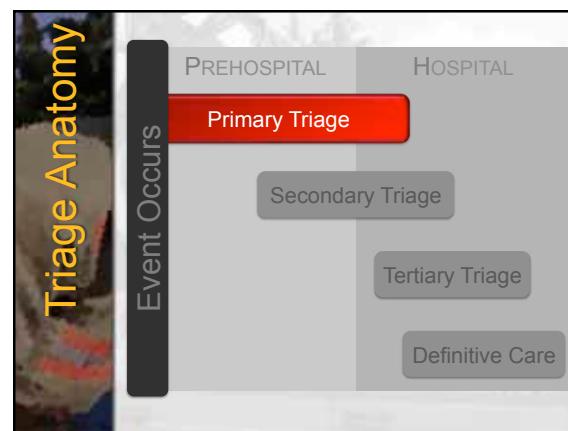
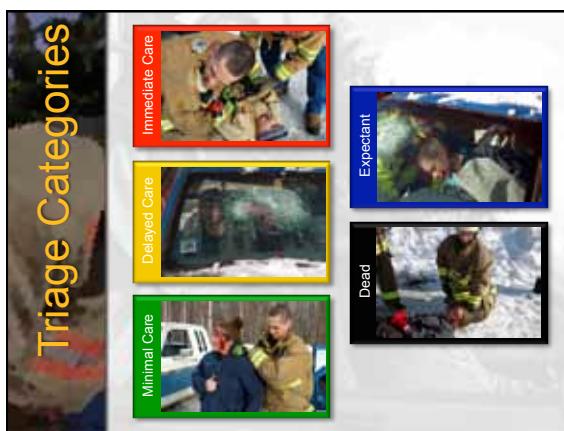
A continuous process of categorizing patients

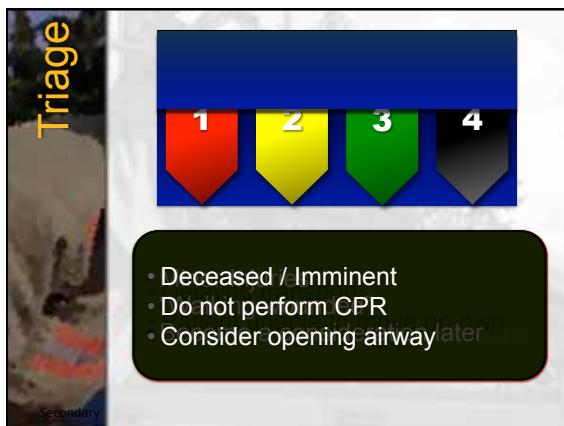
Patient Triage

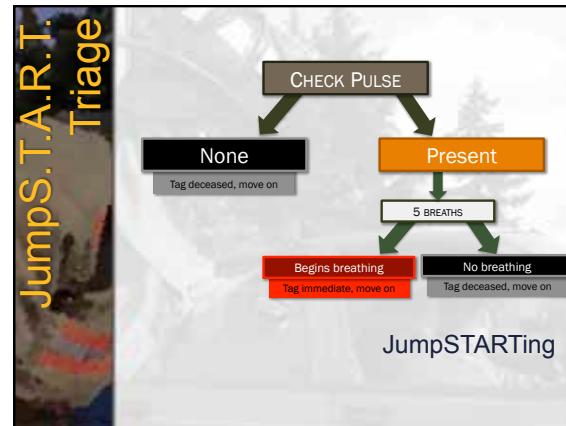


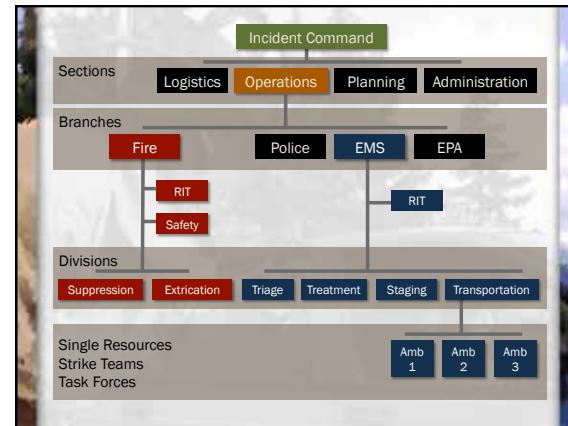
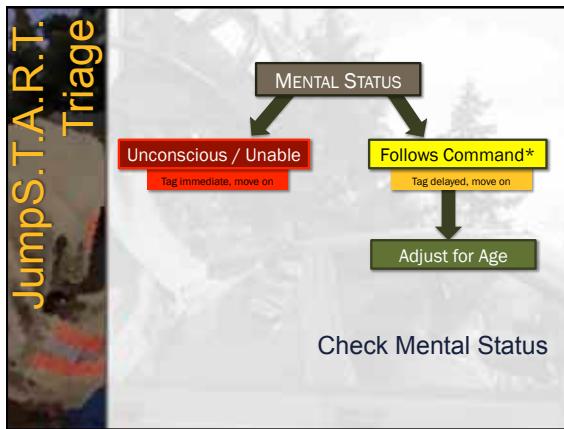
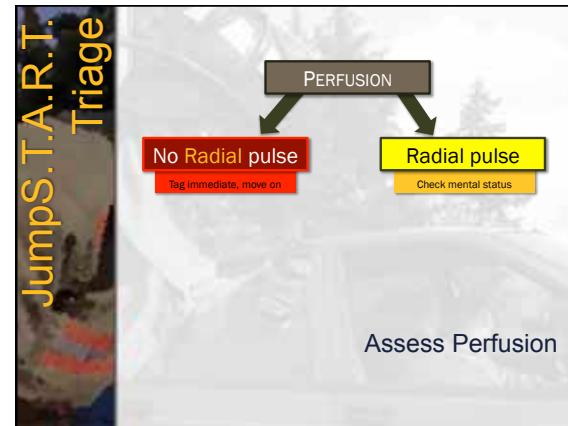
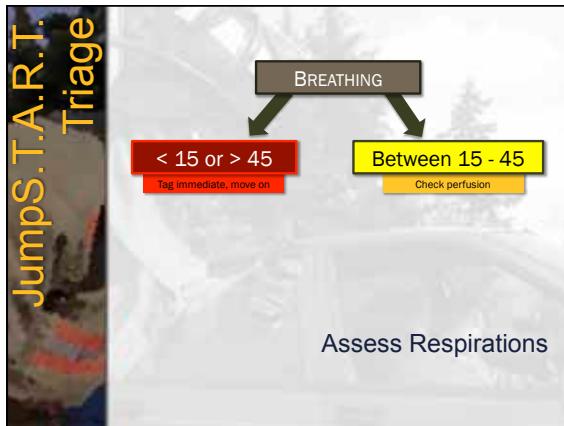
Do the most good for the most people











What is the first step of

- 1 Tag all red patients
- 2 Remove dead bodies
- 3 Call for a paramedic
- 4 Tell everyone to move to an area

36 y/o male found sitting outside

My head is killing me! I'm going to black out!

R 25/min

P Radial pulse present

M Shows you 2 fingers

1 2 3 4

33 y/o female found lying outside

My back hurts!

R 28/min & shallow

P Radial pulse present

M Shows you 2 fingers

1 2 3 4

13 y/o female found on roadway

Open airway

R Still none

P Slow radial present

M Unresponsive

1 2 3 4

25 y/o male lying across seat

I like ice cream!

R 32/min

P Radial pulse present

M Shows you 1 finger

1 2 3 4

5 y/o male found under luggage

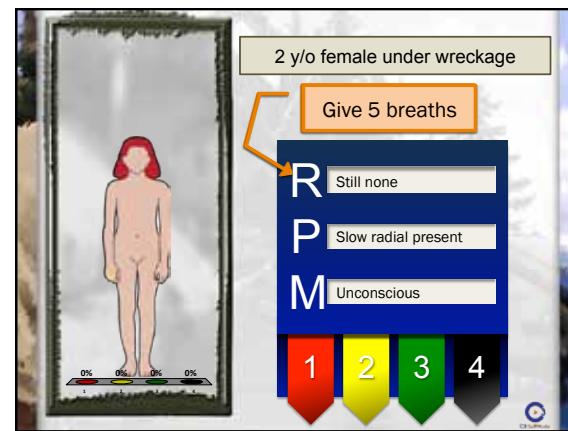
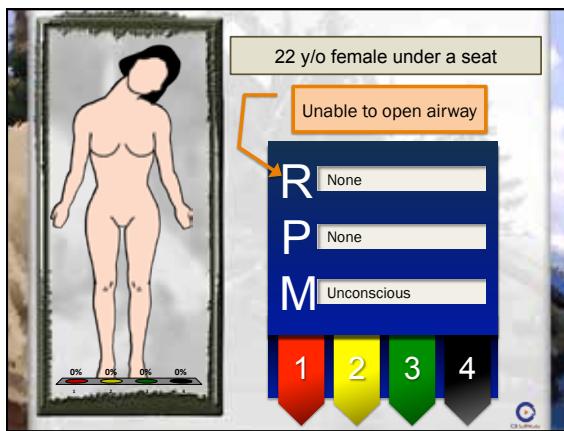
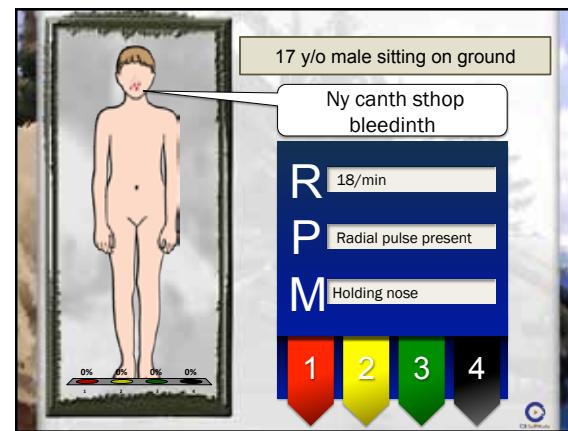
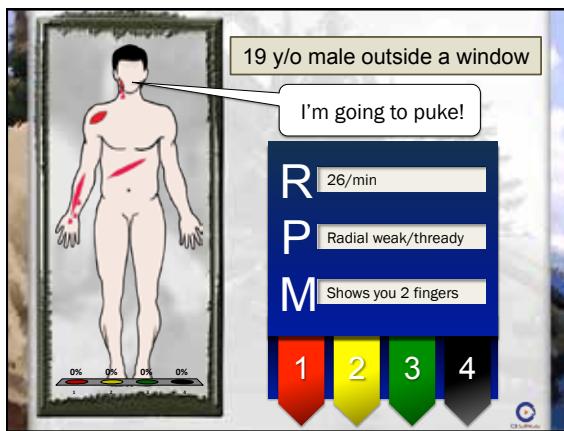
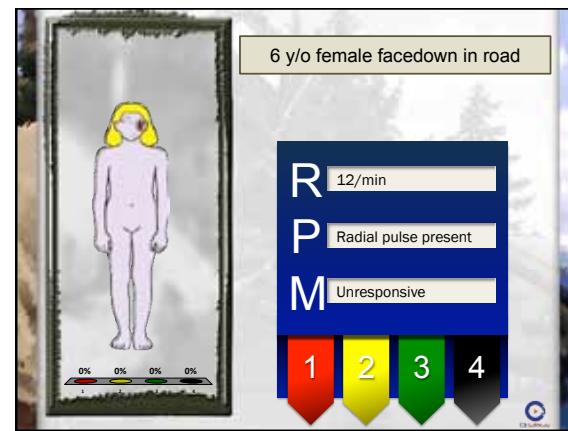
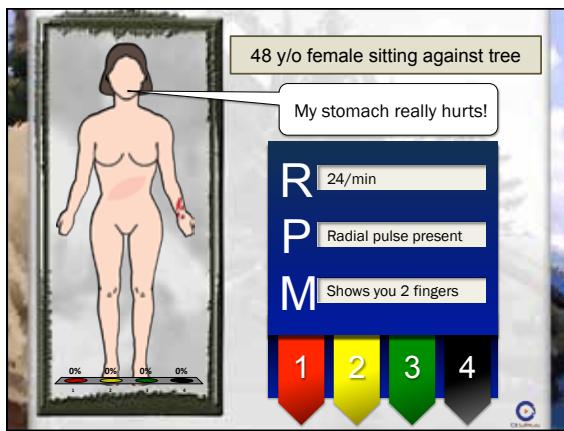
Give 5 breaths

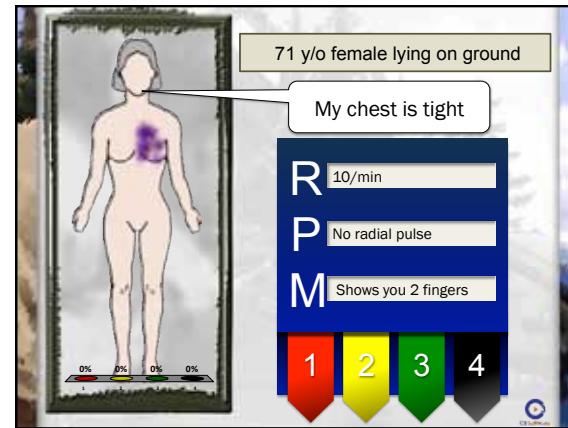
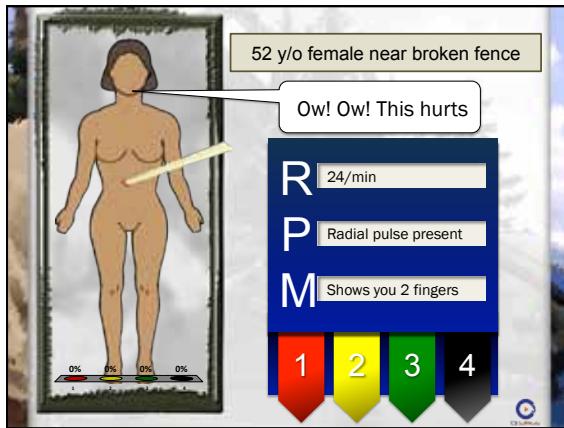
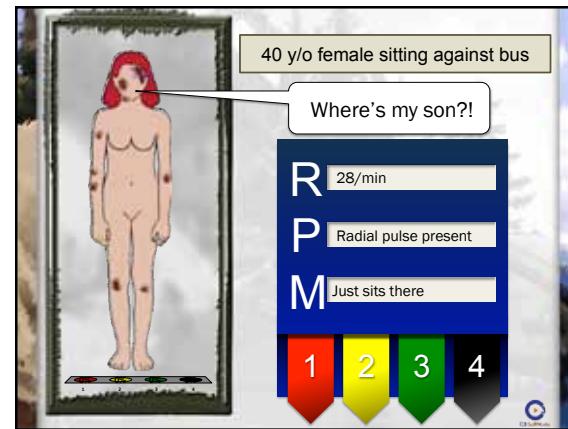
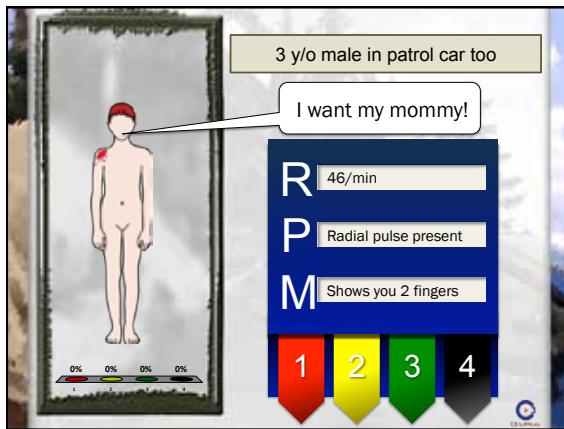
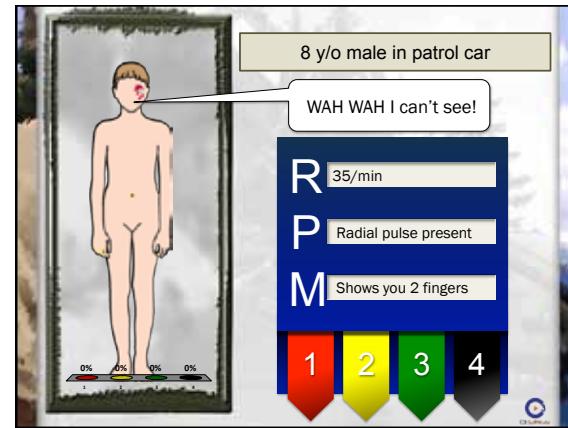
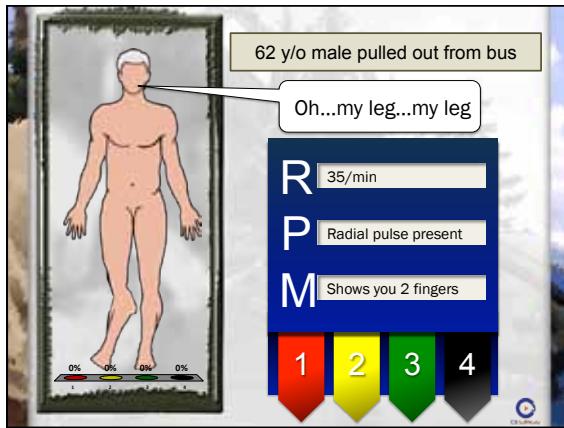
R Starts breathing!

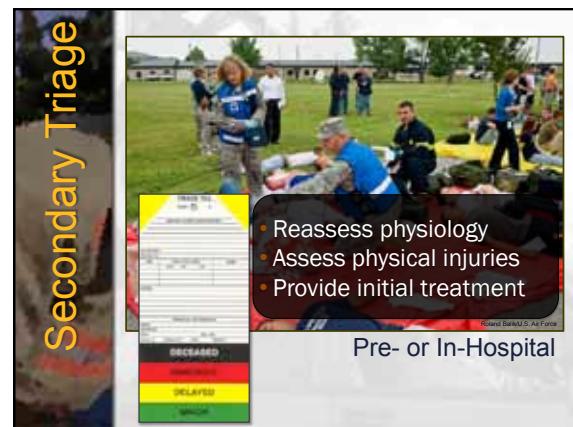
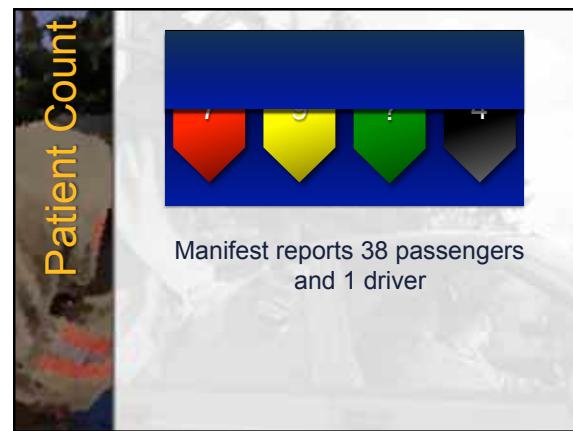
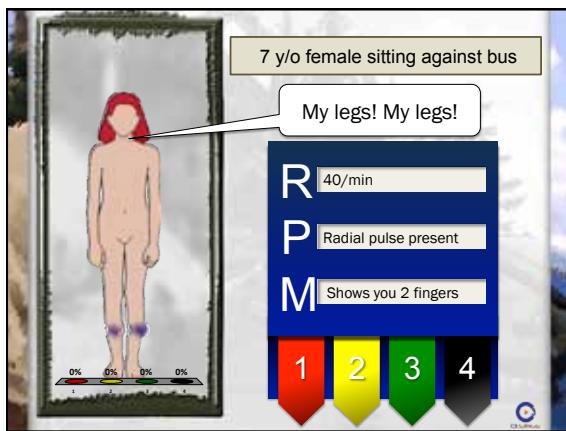
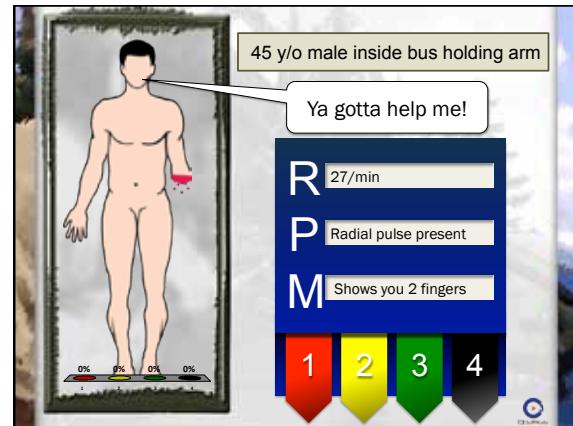
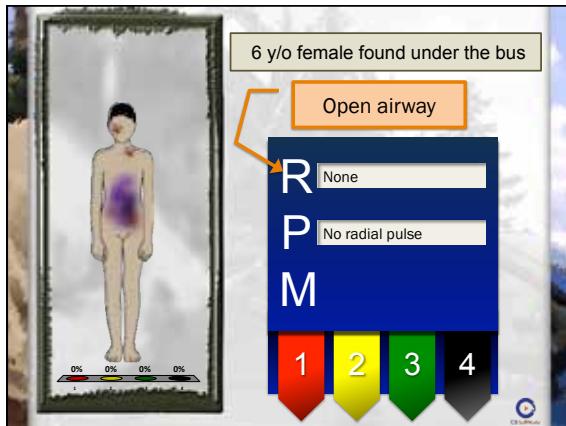
P Weak radial present

M

1 2 3 4







Secondary Triage



Will die no matter
Will live no matter
Will benefit

SAVE Triage

Secondary Triage



Prognosis if:
Minimal treatment
Available resources

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SAVE Triage

Secondary Triage



To Treatment Area if:
Survival increases
Non-consuming care

2nd Lt. Joel Bang-Jensen/US Air Force
SAVE Triage

To be successful...

Plan
Train
Communicate
Triage

To be successful...

Know what is needed
Know what is available
Match needs/resources

Ultimate Goal...

Do the most good for the most people!

