

**STANDARDS PRESENTATION
TO
CALIFORNIA OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH STANDARDS BOARD**

PROPOSED STATE STANDARD REVISIONS,
TITLE 8, CHAPTER 4, SUBCHAPTER 7,

Amend section 3400 to read:

§3400. Medical Services and First Aid.

- (a) Employer shall ensure the ready availability of medical personnel for advice and consultation on matters of industrial health or injury.
- (b) In the absence of an infirmary, clinic, or hospital, in near proximity to the workplace, which is used for the treatment of all injured employees, a person or persons shall be adequately trained to render first aid. Training shall be equal to that of the American Red Cross or the ~~Mining Enforcement and Safety Administration~~ Mine Safety and Health Administration.
- (c) There shall be adequate first-aid materials, approved by the consulting physician, readily available for ~~workmen~~ employees on every job. Such materials shall be kept in a sanitary and usable condition. A frequent inspection shall be made of all first-aid materials, which shall be replenished as necessary.

(f) ~~At isolated locations, Effective provisions must shall be made in advance for prompt medical treatment attention in ease the event of serious injuries injury or illness. This may shall be accomplished by on the site facilities or proper equipment for prompt transportation of the injured person to a physician or a telephone communication system for contacting a doctor or combinations of these that will avoid unnecessary delay in treatment. one or a combination of the following that will avoid unnecessary delay in treatment:~~

- (1) A communication system for contacting a doctor or emergency medical service, such as access to 911 or equivalent telephone system. The communication system or employees using the system shall have the ability to direct emergency services to the location of the injured or ill employee.
- (2) Readily accessible and available on-site treatment facilities suitable for treatment of reasonably anticipated injury and illness.
- (3) Proper equipment for prompt medical transport when transportation of injured or ill employees is necessary and appropriate.

NOTE: Authority cited: Section 142.3, Labor Code. Reference: Section 142.3, Labor Code.