

Day 5: What To Do If A Crisis Occurs

BE PREPARED:

Know the contents of your existing "Red Book".

IN THE EVENT OF A CRISIS, DO...

- 1. Ensure your safety and the safety of our Guests and Associates.
- 2. Escalate the event by informing your immediate supervisor and your local manager.
- 3. Report the event to the Crisis Reporting Line at **855-552-5976**.
- 4. Call 911 for any instances that require response from local fire, police or EMT services.
- 5. Only act upon confirmed facts regarding the situation
- 6. Inform/Work with local authorities, such as police and fire departments.
- 7. Quickly forward all media inquiries to Sharron Saunders at: 301.500.5737 or ssaunders@oakwood.com.
- 8. Use approved messaging to assure guests and Associates that we are aware of the situation and working to resolve it.

DO NOT:

- 1. Make assumptions regarding the incident.
- 2. Allow media or camera crews inside our facilities, which are private property, without prior permission.
- 3. Make any statements to the media. Instead direct them to your manager who can take the appropriate next steps.
- 4. Post details of the situation on Twitter, Facebook or other social media.
- 5. Pass along unconfirmed details to customers, guests, suppliers or vendors.

WHAT IS A CRISIS?

Oakwood defines a crisis as an event or sequence of events that may lead to serious consequences with negative impact on our Associates, **Customers, Guests,** properties, supply chain, revenue and/or reputation. A crisis is a situation that falls outside predefined business, security and/or emergency response processes.

