

Emergency Codes at CCH:



Code Red → fire / explosion

R.A.C.E.E. / P.A.S.S



Code Blue → cardiac/pulmonary emergency

Code Blue Buttons throughout facility

If accidental code blue activation, notify PBX



Code Black → tornado / severe weather

The national weather service has alerted that funnel is in the vicinity of CCH. Weather radios throughout the facility.

Move patients to safety ASAP.

Code Yellow → disaster

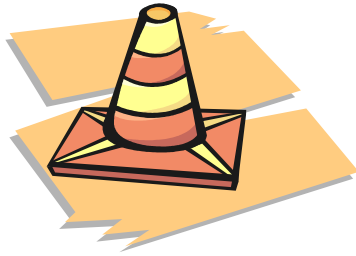


Administration will activate the disaster call list.

Internal or external disaster, CCH might have more patients than normal staffing can handle.



Code Orange → chemical spill or hazardous material



(Think orange cones to block halls) Block the hallways to reduce exposure. Look for SDS information or call the 3E company.



Code Pink → infant or child abduction

Block elevators and doorways, so no one leaves the building. Search for infant or child as announced.



Code Gray → man power needed

A show of support

All staff and supervisors trained to respond should.

Be a presence, stand together, show support for the staff, do not speak, trained staff will interact with patient.



Code Zebra → bioterrorism

A national alert if there is an attack, Campbell County and The State have a plan.

Code W → wanderer

Announced if a patient/resident has wandered away from the unit. All available staff will search.





Code OB

Indicates a critical emergency related to a delivery. Only staff with OB experience should respond to Delivery rooms STAT.



Code Silver

Hostage situation or active shooter or threat of violence. Goal is to ensure a safe, secure environment for patients, visitors and staff.



Code M.H.

Malignant Hyperthermia

An emergency situation involving a patient's reaction to specific anesthetic agents. House Supervisor, ECD Nurse, Lab, Pharmacy and CPS respond to the location to aid in emergency treatment.

Emergency Activation Preparation

- ☐ Locate the emergency call lights for your area[s]
- ☐ Locate the disaster call list
- ☐ Review the Emergency Preparedness Plan Policy and Procedure for your area.