

MAYDAY Checklist

- Transmit** - - "All units hold radio traffic for a MAYDAY. Unit calling MAYDAY identify"

WHO

WHAT Lost Trapped Out of Air SCBA malfunction Other _____.

WHERE Floor: Side: Area: DIV/Group:

AIR _____psi

- Transmit** - - "Escondido Fire _____ IC clear the air for EMERGENCY TRAFFIC" (Dispatch tones)
"EMERGENCY TRAFFIC, EMERGENCY TRAFFIC, EMERGENCY TRAFFIC."
All units we have a MAYDAY (who, what where); maintain your current assignments (or suppression efforts) and maintain radio discipline. Advise IC if you are immediate area to affect a rescue."
- Request PAR from all assigned units if unable to identify MAYDAY requestor
- Announce Radio frequency (if different)
- Announce who is initiating the rescue (inside out method)
- Put IRIC/RIC on notice (if not immediately deployed)
- Transmit** - - Reassure distressed FF: Stay calm, Activate PASS, Breathing, Noise, Light, Feel for hose line

Considerations:

- Assign someone to assume incident operations (Operations) or to oversee the rescue (Division Supervisor)
- Assign a RIC Group Supervisor
- Request additional alarm(s), additional medic units
- Request additional radio channels

Clearing MAYDAY:

- PAR from all IDLH companies
- Brief MAYDAY update
- Re-evaluate strategy and IAP
- Resource determination
- Clear Emergency traffic