

OLE MISS
HEALTH & SPORTS
PERFORMANCE

Emergency Action Plan: Vaught-Hemingway Stadium

Practice Personnel: Certified Athletic Trainers; Physician on call for practice.

Gameday Personnel: Home team sideline- Certified Athletic Trainers, Team Physicians (primary care, orthopedic); EMS and ER Physician in the southeast tunnel. Visiting Team Sideline- Host Certified Athletic Trainer.

Emergency Equipment:

Gameday- Home sideline, under the evaluation table: AED, splint bag #1, bolt cutters, oxygen tank, Emergency Red kit (BVM, suction kit, OPA kit, pulse oximeter, BP cuff, inhalers, epi-pen, thermometer). On medical cart: splint bag #2, bolt cutters. With EMS- spine board

Practice: Home sideline- spine board. On medical cart- AED, splint bag, Emergency Red kit, oxygen tank, bolt cutters, ice towels.

Role of the First Responders:

1. Immediate care of the injured or ill student athlete.
2. Emergency Equipment retrieval.
3. Activation of emergency medical system (EMS).
 - a. 911 call (provide name, address, telephone number, number of individuals injured, condition of the injured, first aid treatment, specific directions, any other information that is needed. DO NOT HANG UP UNTIL THE EMS OPERATOR HANGS UP.
 - b. Campus police (662-915-7234) respond to 911 calls.
4. Direction of EMS to scene
 - a. Open appropriate gates and doors.
 - b. Designate individual to meet EMS at the site and direct them to injured.
 - c. Scene Control: limit scene to first aid providers and move bystanders from the area.

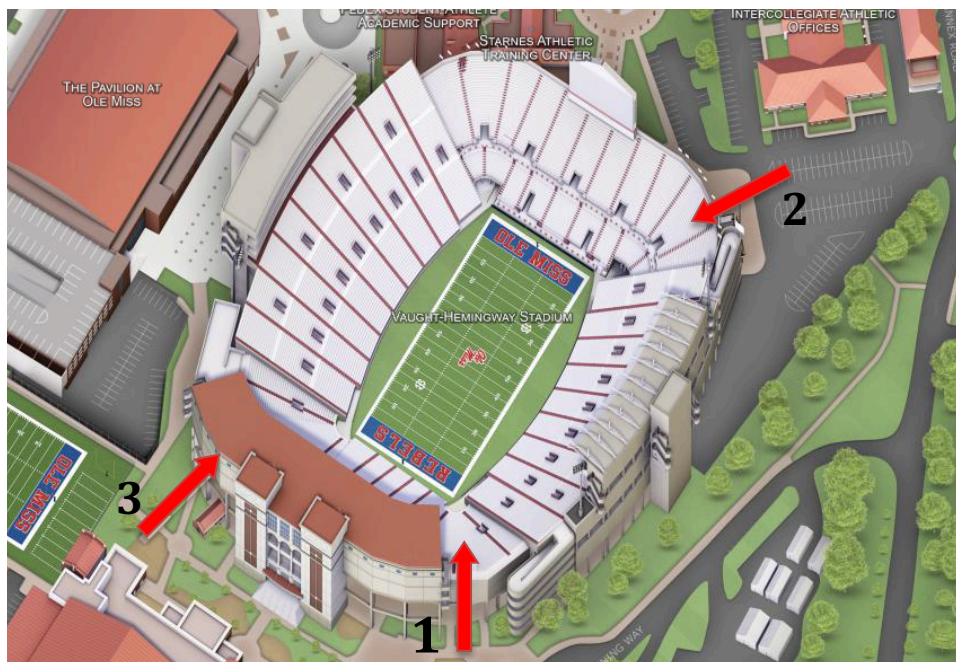
Venue Directions:

1) Primary Entrance: Located off E Stadium Drive on the **Southeast corner** of the stadium (**Tunnel 21**). Gameday on-field ambulance- enter through gate located on southeast corner of the stadium.

2) Alternate Entrance: Gate located off Gertrude Ford Blvd. on the **Northeast corner** of the stadium (**Gates 4-12**). To be used as secondary entrance.

3) Half-Time Locker Room Area: Located in the breezeway of the south end zone underneath stands. Must enter through Primary Entrance to access with vehicle.

4) Emergency airlift will take place on in-field of the track.



This Emergency Action Plan should be utilized for (but not limited to) the following emergency medical situations:

Cardiac arrest

Exertional heat stroke

Asthma

Exertional collapse associated with sickle cell trait

Any exertional or non-exertional collapse

Mental health emergency

After EMS arrives:

EMS will transport to Baptist Memorial Hospital- North Mississippi or to other location deemed appropriate by EMS personnel.

As time permits, Certified Athletic Trainer will notify Medical Director and Assistant A.D. for Sports Medicine/Executive Associate A.D. of the injury/illness, emergency care procedures, and treatment plan.

Following Emergency Care:

Certified Athletic Trainer completes the "Emergency Care Post-Incident" form and/or documents the incident in the Sports Medicine injury tracking system- identifying all personnel involved, personnel roles, emergency care procedures, treatment plan, and any other information deemed necessary to document.

Other Emergency Operations:

Emergency Management Team is comprised of at minimum: Athletic trainer/s, team physician/s, EMS personnel, facility management personnel.

1. Emergency action plan is reviewed and rehearsed annually with the Emergency Management team (Complete and submit "Emergency Action Plan Annual Rehearsal and Review" form)
2. Development of any new emergency action plans involve the Emergency Management team
3. All athletic trainers and strength and conditioning coaches maintain CPR/AED certification
4. Athletic trainer conducts monthly AED check offs
5. Athletic trainer conducts monthly emergency equipment check offs
6. Athletic trainer reviews Emergency Action Plan with coaching staff annually
7. Full-body ice water immersion will be readily available during warm weather events and fall pre-season training
8. Rectal thermometry will be used to measure core body temperature of exertional heat injury emergencies