

Skills Summaries

Scene and Primary Survey



- 1** Identify and reduce any potential environmental risks or hazards.
- 2** Identify mechanism of injury/chief complaint.
- 3** Identify number of patients. Identify and request other needed resources and introduce self.



- 4** Determine responsiveness and level of consciousness (AVPU: Alert, Verbal, Painful, Unresponsive).



- 5** Determine if manual spinal precautions should be taken, and act appropriately.



- 6** Open Airway.



- 7** Check Breathing.



- 8** Check Circulation, including deadly bleeding.