## PREPARATORY AND UNIFIED COMMAND PHASE

1. **ARRIVE AND REPORT** to Staging Area in Secure Area

2. **REPORT TO UNIFIED COMMAND (UC)**
   - Notify UC that an EMS Team/Rescue Group is ready, staged, and awaiting direction

3. **PERSONAL Protective Equipment (PPE)**
   - Ballistic Vest, Ballistic Helmet

4. **Ensure Clear IDENTIFICATION** of Rescue personnel

5. **Prepare MEDICAL EQUIPMENT**
   - Tourniquets, Trauma Kit, Soft Stretcher/Skedco

6. **Perform Brief MEDICAL PLAN AND THREAT ASSESSMENT**
   - Identify Hot, Warm, and Cold Zone Areas

7. **Establish COMMUNICATION** with respective on-scene medical, fire, and law enforcement
   - Determine and Broadcast Response Routes for Additional Responding Resources
   - Obtain Duress Code

## RESCUE TASK FORCE FORMATION AND PRIORITY SETTING PHASE

1. **Form Rescue Task Force (RTF)**
   - 2-3 LE Officers (Force Protection Group)
   - 2 EMS Personnel, at least 1 ALS (Rescue Group)
   - Designate team leader

2. **Follow Direction of law enforcement Force Protection Group Leader**
   - Know Hot, Warm, and Cold Zone Areas
   - Follow Protected Access Routes

3. **Brief objective and direction of movement**
   - Identify initial Emergency Egress Routes
   - Identify secure Extraction Lane
   - Identify Initial Safe Refuge Area
   - Identify Rally Point
   - Identify “Mayday” operations emergency evacuation

4. **Identify Casualty Collection Points, both Dynamic and Static**

5. **Reinforce Mission Priorities (THREAT)**
   - T - Threat suppression
   - H - Hemorrhage control
   - RE - Rapid Extrication to safety
   - A - Assessment by medical providers
   - T - Transport to definitive care

## INDIRECT THREAT/WARM ZONE/YELLOW OPERATIONS PHASE

1. **Maintain Cover and Concealment** as directed by Rescue Task Force Leader (LE)

2. **Utilize Principles of Tactical Casualty Care (TCC)**
   - Triage as required

3. **Finalize Direction of movement** based upon prevailing conditions
   - Identify Emergency Egress Routes
   - Identify secure Extraction Lane
   - Identify Safe Refuge Area

4. **Maintain Situational Awareness** for Secondary devices at main and secondary scenes

5. **Identify Dynamic Casualty Collection Points**, as necessary

6. **Move casualties** to identified Casualty Collection Points or Cold Zone Treatment Area
   - Preference is movement from Warm Zone to Cold Zone Treatment Area
   - Transfer care to additional medical providers for treatment and transport

7. **Prepare to re-enter Warm Zone**

## POST INCIDENT PHASE

1. **Ensure Rescue Task Force accountability**

2. **Collect any incident management records and unit logs**

3. **Determine and announce an incident debriefing strategy**

4. **Assess mental and physical health of the responders**
   - Determine and announce a stress debrief plan

5. **Manage a formal unit release process**