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(a) **Standard.**

All direct care staff and all health care staff are trained to respond to health-related situations within a four-minute response time.

(b) **Procedures.**

(1) The training program, established under the direction of the TJJD medical director in cooperation with the superintendent, is conducted on an annual basis to ensure staff readiness and must include at a minimum the following:

- (A) recognition of signs and symptoms, and knowledge of action that is required in potential emergency situations;
- (B) recognition of signs and symptoms of mental illness, violent behavior, and acute chemical intoxication and withdrawal;
- (C) methods of obtaining assistance;
- (D) administration of basic first aid and certification in performing cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) in accordance with the recommendations of the certifying health organization;
- (E) suicide intervention; and
- (F) procedures for patient transfers to appropriate medical facilities or community health service providers.

(2) Health care personnel participate in the quarterly "Code Blue" drills as established in [INS.45.05](#).
