

Onsite Paramedical Services



Capability Statement



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FRA GUARANTEED SYSTEM

- Queensland Health approved Commercial Paramedic Service and drug license (PAR004912615)
- Dedicated onsite paramedical services
- Medical Clinic support services
- Provision of emergency equipment and restocking of consumables
- Clinical Governance and Audit Systems, by our Emergency Physician / Medical Director (via phone and Medical Advisory Panel Meetings in Cairns).
- Clinical Advice Support by the RFDS for our Clinical Practice Guidelines, via an MOU
- Guaranteed qualified staffing and replacements
- Provision of a dedicated ambulance/s if required
- Hospital Approved Patient Transport (HAPT) service - Operator Accreditation under the Transport Operations (Passenger Transport) Regulation 2005 for the Department of Transport and Main Roads, Queensland
- Onsite Emergency Service, Security, WHSE Liaison
- Ongoing emergency skills maintenance
- Onsite First Aid Training for all staff as an option
- Indigenous mine staff first aid training experience
- Registered Training Organisation since 1998, with courses from CPR to Paramedic Diploma.
- Liaison with CQU Cairns for Paramedic Degree
- WHSE onsite compliance to company's system
- WHSE consultant available if required



The Clinical Practice Guidelines that they use are reviewed and governed by an FRA Medical Advisory Panel including an Emergency Medical Physician who is our Medical Director. The Royal Flying Doctor Service supports us with medical consultation during the events that we cover.

FRA Paramedics and EMTs can work from fully equipped onsite paramedic ambulances, other means of transport, site facilities and on foot if required. Our range of emergency care equipment is the same as a State Ambulance Service and includes: full spinal immobilisation; advanced bleeding control and fluid resuscitation; burns treatment; advanced splinting; cardiac monitoring and defibrillation; advanced airway and breathing support, to name a few.

As a provider of Onsite Paramedic Services we are approved by Queensland Health to carry a range of paramedical drugs to be used under our Clinical Practice Guidelines. This means that we can quickly reduce pain from accidents and other causes and treat a full range of respiratory, cardiac and medical emergencies according to approved protocols.

We also work in conjunction with State Ambulance Services and call them early if required so that we have quick ongoing support and transport to hospital. This allows us to stay onsite so that the event or service can continue with minimal interruptions.



List of Services and Procedures Provided by FRA

1. Provision of an Onsite Paramedical Service including Advanced Care Paramedics (ACPs) and/ or Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs)
2. Provision of Onsite Paramedic Ambulance/s in the Far North Queensland and Cape region that are fully equipped and staffed by trained personnel
3. Advanced Spinal Injury Management with cervical splints and full body mattresses
4. Modern heart monitors and defibrillators to manage cardiac arrest and other heart problems
5. Advanced Bleeding management with Haemostatic agents and military tourniquets
6. Advanced airway devices, for example, Supraglottic airways
7. Treatment for respiratory emergencies including medications, nebulisers and oxygen
8. Treatment of traumatic injuries from accidents, including effective pain relief and fluid therapy if required
9. Advanced Fracture management
10. Intravenous and Intraosseous Vascular Access
11. Pain Management
12. Advanced Life Support treatment for a range of medical and trauma emergencies
13. Resuscitation with team approach
14. Full communication and support with other emergency services and rescue
15. Gauge and provide emergency requirements from a review of possible risks

