

Segment Five: 'A Trip to the Emergency Room!'

Vocabulary Words:

Listed below are some words that were used in the HCI Video Segment Five: 'A Trip to the Emergency Room!'
Draw a line from the word in the left column to the meaning of that word in the right column.

Trauma	Examining and deciding a patient's condition
Triage	Treatment that keeps a patient living while they are seriously injured or ill
EMT	Getting a patient's vitals as close to normal as possible
Paramedic	An advanced EMT
Scene Size-Up	Equipment that moves air in and out of a patient's lungs
Stabilize	Deciding the seriousness of an accident scene
Manikin Simulator	A computerized manikin used for medical training
ICU	Emergency Medical Technician
Pediatrics	Any injury to the body
Neonate	A person who communicates between an emergency patient and the hospital
Life Support	A newborn infant
Stretcher	Branch of medicine that cares for infants and children
Ventilator	A portable bed used to transport a patient
Intubate	Intensive Care Unit
Dispatcher	Placing a tube in a patient's airway attached to a ventilator for breathing

Classroom Activity: Students divide into groups and research emergency situations and the appropriate actions of lay people until emergency help arrives. Students then act out mock emergency situations.

Possible situations include:

Poisoning	Concussion	Back injury from a fall
Drowning	Burn victim	Heart attack
Stroke	Snake bite	Car accident
Sports injury		