



Charles County Department of Emergency Services
STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURES

Section 100 - Management & Administration

General Rules & Administration - 100.00		
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100.04.01 Purpose

The purpose of this SOP is to establish a schedule of daily and weekly performance mile stones comprised of collateral job related duties and task assignments for EMS Field Personnel.

100.04.02 Policy

When personnel are not responding to calls for service, it is their responsibility to ensure the following collateral duties and task assignments are completed as noted:

DAILY

0700 hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Relieve previous shift, Obtain a face to face shift pass-on; Perform "<i>Daily Apparatus Check</i>".
0900-1700 hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Wash and clean apparatus, Restock apparatus as needed; Complete assigned station maintenance duties; Check county email and Power DMS; Perform any assigned training details for the day.
1900 hours	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personnel may retire to sleeping quarters if desired.
End of Shift	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personnel shall insure that all <i>ePCR</i> reports are completed.

WEEKLY

Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> It is the duty of each Monday's shift to complete a "<i>Weekly Apparatus Check Sheet</i>" in conjunction with the normal assigned morning tasks.
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Restrictions & Exemptions

1. Personnel are restricted from watching television or other leisure activities on their down time unless all of their collateral duties and task assignments have been completed.
2. Shifts experiencing a heavy call volume (unit utilizations above 0.4) may be exempted from station maintenance duties if their supervisor deems fit.
3. Shifts experiencing a heavy call volume (unit utilizations above 0.4) may be exempted from daily training assignments if their supervisor deems fit.