

18 RELATIVES	Cork University Hospital		ACTION CARD NUMBER
	Medical Liaison Officer for Relatives		18.3
You Report To:	Relatives Co-ordinator	You Brief:	Relatives of Inpatients
Overall Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide medical information and advice to relatives of casualties and Garda Casualty Bureau Liaison Officer, ED 		
IMMEDIATE ACTIONS ON NOTIFICATION/ACTIVATION			
ON ACTIVATION		ON STANDBY	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr James Kinahan and with Dr Eddie O'Sullivan to liaise with ED Consultants on the status of number of patients admitted to CUH • Attend the RT Reception and brief relatives on patients admitted in liaison with the relatives co-ordinator and Risk Manager 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make way to Radiotherapy Reception 	
Consider these points			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To form part of the team that is designated for looking after the relatives of casualties. • Your role will involve talking to the relatives of casualties and providing them with information of a clinical nature in relation to their family members who have been involved in the major emergency • Liaise with the Garda Liaison Nurse and Gardaí stationed in the ED • Liaise closely with the Relatives Co-ordinator, the Social Work Team and the Radiotherapy Reception Area team to ensure all relatives are supported in a proper and dignified manner. 			

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