

4. EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT	Cork University Hospital	ACTION CARD NUMBER
	EM Consultant RED ZONE	4.7a
You Report To:	ED Consultant lead	You Brief: ED Team- RED ZONE
Overall Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To prepare the RED ZONE in the ED for casualties in consultation with shift leader/CNM3. To liaise with and update the lead EM Consultant. 	
IMMEDIATE ACTIONS ON NOTIFICATION/ACTIVATION		
ON ACTIVATION		ON STANDBY
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure preparedness in the ED RED ZONE. As more EM consultants arrives their allocation should be prioritised to the ED RED ZONE. Assist with/organise the admission/discharge/referral of current ED casualties Designate doctors to each RED ZONE cubicle and ensure availability of supplies depending on nature of the incident. Prepare to receive severely injured/ill category P1 patients. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ensure preparedness in the ED Assist with/organise the admission/discharge/referral of current ED casualties.
Consider these points		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Patient should be transferred to theatre, ICU or wards without delay to facilitate patient flow 		

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