# COLORADO SPRINGS

### **Colorado Springs Dressage Association**

www.csdressage.org

### Norris Penrose Event Center 1045 W Rio Grande St Colorado Springs, CO 80906 USA office 719 634-1394

## DRESSAGE COMPETITION Accident Preparedness Plan

### **Emergency Contact Numbers:**

911

Show Manager Radio Channel: 14-1 (Motorola – provided) Cell: 719.238.7665 Show Office Radio Channel: 14-1 (Motorola – provided) Phone: 719.338.0854

Medical Personnel Radio Channel: 14-1 (Motorola – provided)
Technical Delegate Radio Channel: 14-1 (Motorola – provided)

### **On/Off Site Providers**:

- State licensed EMS personnel are on show grounds at all times during the competition.
- Colorado Springs Fire, Station #03, is stationed approximately 1 ½ miles from show grounds and dispatched via Colorado Springs Dispatch (911).
- American Medical Response Ambulance (AMR) is stationed about 2 miles from show grounds and dispatched via Colorado Springs Dispatch (911).
- Penrose St Francis Hospital is about 4 miles from show grounds at 2215 N Cascade Ave. (719-776-5476).

#### **Protocol**:

- In the event of an accident/injury requiring medical attention, management/show office shall contact Police Dispatch via **911** with a description of incident and directions to competition.
- Management/show office personnel shall immediately notify on-site EMS personnel and Technical Delegate of incident and location on show grounds via phone/radio.
- Management/show office will designate show staff to respond to grounds gate and stand by to direct EMS responders to the injury site and ensure **NO** lights/sirens on grounds.
- Designated show staff shall clear all obstacles that may impede ingress/egress of EMS vehicles and staff and clear area of horses and non-essential people.
- Management shall follow-up on the injured party and report to appropriate persons/entities, as necessary.
- The Technical Delegate/Medical Personnel shall complete the USEF Accident/Injury Report Form and submit to the Federation.
- In the event of an equine injury/illness, management/show office personnel shall notify the oncall veterinarian at the request of the competitor/owner, if available, but in all cases shall take all steps (including veterinarian notification) to ensure the well-being of the injured animal.
- In the event of an equine injury, the Technical Delegate will be notified immediately.
- Any public statement regarding the accident/injury shall be made by Competition Management only.