

MERMET SPRINGS - EMERGENCY ACTION PLAN

Initial Notification of Emergency

If an accident or emergency occurs, you should immediately notify the Mermet Springs Office or a staff member. Staff members are identified by the turquoise T-Shirts with the word "Staff" in bright yellow letters on their right sleeves.

Emergency Medical Assistance

Ambulance/ Massac Memorial Hospital: (618) 524-2176
911: Rings to Illinois State Police in Ullin
Massac Co. Fire Department: (618) 524-3200
ARCH Air Medical Service & Medflight: (800) 325-9191
Air Evac – Air Ambulance Emergency Dispatch: (800) 247-3822
South East Missouri Hospital: (573) 334-4822

Diving Medical Information

DAN: 24 Hour Emergency #: (919) 684-9111
DAN Travel Assist: (919) 684-2948

Emergency First-Aid Procedures

- Notify office personnel or staff member
- Remove injured diver from water
- Place on side with head supported or on back for resuscitation
- Monitor vital signs (ABC's)
- Provide highest possible concentration of oxygen
- Provide emergency personnel with details of the accident/injury

Nearest Medical Facility

Leave Mermet Springs turn right (South) on US HWY 45. Proceed approximately 10.5 miles to Metropolis. Turn left onto JON Street. Proceed .3 of a mile on JON Street. Massac Memorial Hospital is on the left.

Recompression Chamber Information

Below are 3 of the Closest Recompression Chambers to our facility. It is important that injured divers seek local professional medical attention and then contact DAN to confirm chamber availability and staffing prior transport.

- Cape Girardeau, Missouri – Southeast Wound Care & Hyperbaric Medicine – 573-334-9637
- Columbia, Missouri – Center for Wound Care & Hyperbaric Medicine – 573-882-1488
- Springfield, Missouri – Mercy Wound Care & Hyperbaric – 417-885-0868