

**Question 1**

Evaluate the use of the following pieces of equipment in Emergency Medical Services.

- a) The scoop stretcher [5]
- b) The staircase chair [5]
- c) The back board [5]
- d) The ambulance stretcher [5]
- e) The sked stretcher [5]

**Question 2**

Justify the special lifting and moving techniques required for the following:

- a) Patients with head injury. [5]
- b) Trauma victims. [5]
- c) Pregnant patients. [5]
- d) Obese patients. [5]
- e) Geriatric patients [5]

**Question 3**

'The best and safest method of extrication is self-extrication'. Discuss.

**Question 4**

'A patient is to be moved from a rural health centre to a central hospital for care following a motor vehicle accident'. Discuss the "transport decisions" involved in this scenario

**Question 5**

Examine the advantages and disadvantages of air medical evacuation (casevac or medivac).

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