

TreeStuff Aerial Rescue Rally by Kask Scenario 3 - Canopy Burners



Treestuff.com/Rescue-Rally Watch The Rescue Here: https://youtu.be/UHb3_QUk0T4		
Category	Score (X/5)	Notes & Commentary from Officials
Site assessment and creation of plan	4.5	Great tailboard talk and communication with EMS Great communication with 911 and formulating an "incident action plan" Excellent JSA. Responsibilities delegated. Crowd control discussed. Good EMS call. Bees and limb mentioned. Good job with the Job Briefing, plan and EMS call. Nice touch with the call to the next of kin to find out about the epi pen.
Contacted emergency services; quality of explanation and info provided	5.0	
Efficiency, speed, and safety	3.3	Not impressed with how high the rescuer climbed up the ladder without being tied in. Anything above 6 feet requires you to be tied in. Put himself at risk of a very high fall. First rule in a rescue is not to become a second victim Access was efficient but free climbing the ladder and starting victim assessment before even securing himself against a fall was a turnoff Ladder is quick and efficient, but climber unsecured. Initially stepped into tree without being secured. Continued assessment of casualty and equipment. Nice use of the ladder. Climber should have been secured before doing the assessment.
Continued inspection and assessment	3.8	
Identification of hazards	4.0	They didn't really mitigate the hazardous dead limb, still walked under it while climbers were aloft Acknowledged and avoided Mention of dead limb at beginning, but no mention of mitigation plan. No bees observed by climber. Identified the hazardous limb and worked to avoid it.
Method and execution of mitigation	4.0	
Assessment of casualty situation	4.3	Very good patient assessment, but the casualty wasn't packaged at all, just lowered I'm not sure if field personnel can administer an EpiPen on an unconscious victim. It may vary in other countries Cursory assessment. No first aid or packaging. Given the scenario, getting casualty to ground paramount. Good plan based on the identification of the potential allergic reaction.
Administration of first aid & assessing of urgency	3.8	
Adequate and appropriate stabilization of casualty for transport	3.5	
Choice of system and technical execution of casualty support/tie in	4.0	The rescue method was fast and efficient. They managed to make the transition smooth which was good. Honestly I don't know what they did to get him lowered. Why didn't he just put the Prussic on right away and lower without going up to a tie in. It worked, so I won't question it, I just don't know what they did up there. Would have been nice to have a camera in the canopy to really see what they did Lowering the casualty was a great idea but smoothness suffers Clever use of belay. Smooth lowering of casualty. No rush, good focus on safety.
Quality of transport for the casualty	4.0	
Quality of transition from suspension to injury appropriate position on ground	4.3	Nice, clean site. Great first aid. Maybe could have propped him up if there was suspension trauma risk Good transfer to EMS Some clutter. Removed casualty helmet while apparently under dead limb. Epi pen administered. Good EMS comms. Good overall, use of epi pen in shoulder? Normal use in in thigh.
Care of site, scene, and equipment	4.3	
Transition of care to EMS	4.3	
Communicating the plan	4.5	Great communication from start to finish! lots of reminders about the condition of the tree. "Rope rope" could have been better if the climber would have waited for a response Decent comms throughout. Didn't really avoid dead limb. God overall communication.
Communicating the hazards	4.3	
Communicating with, for, and about the casualty	4.5	
Reaction	4.0	Overall very realistic. Just would have liked a camera view from the canopy and not to have been scared watching the rescuer climb so high with no tie in! Nice work all Good job. Good role play. Good enactment.
Planning Overall Realism	4.3	



