FIRST AID SUPPLIES GUIDELINES REQUIRED PER POST/UNIT

Post or Mobile Post Unit No.:	
Date of Inventory Inspection: _	

Quantities	List of Supplies	Stock No.
4	adhesive dressings - 10 cm x 6 cm	*
8	non-adhesive dressings - 7.5 cm x 5 cm	*
2	first aid dressings - 17 cm x 17 cm	*
1	first aid dressing drainage - 25 cm x 40cm	*
3	elastic gauze bandages c/w clip - 3 m x 8 cm	*
30	cleansing wipes - benzalkonium chloride	
24	sterile gauze pads - 7.5 cm x 7.5 cm	
8	triangular bandages	*8580-4
2	rescue blankets	*8580-5
10	safety pins - various sizes	
1 pair	scissors	
1 roll	adhesive tape - 2" roll	
1 roll	adhesive tape - 1/2" roll	
small bottle	antiseptic solution (hand rinse)	
6 pairs	latex/vinyl gloves (large size - 3 pairs of each)	
25	adhesive bandages (plastic) various sizes	
	casualty report forms	
1	note pad	
1	pen	
1	small flashlight	
1	folding knife - 2" blade	
1	splinter forceps	
1	resuscitation mask	*8580-7
2	plastic garbage bags	

Notes:

- a. This list is the minimum required for a first aid post. When determining additional items or quantities, take into account the size of the venue, the type of venue, and the level of training of the Brigade unit(s) covering the duty. Brigade members may not use supplies or attempt procedures that have not been included in the training standard to which they have been qualified.
- b. Brigade members are encouraged to obtain and use St. John Ambulance supplies. Items marked * are available through the St. John supply system and have been rigorously reviewed and presented as the most cost effective items available. They may be obtained as elements of the Modular Packs as follows:

No. 1 Stock #8580-1 (Small Wounds)

- 6 plastic adhesive dressings 7.5 cm x 2 cm
- 2 plastic adhesive dressings 7.5 cm. x 2.5 cm
- 2 elastic adhesive dressings 10 cm x 6 cm
- 4 non-stick adhesive dressings 7.5 cm x 5 cm
- 6 cleansing wipes

No. 2 Stock #8580-2 (Medium Wounds)

- 1 pressure dressing with elasticized ties 17 x 17 cm
- 2 gauze dressings 10 cm x 17 cm
- 2 cleansing wipes

No. 3 Stock #8580-3 (Large Wounds/ Burns)

- 1 non-stick absorbent dressing
- 2 elasticized bandages with fastening clips

- c. If supplies other than St. John supplies are used, the quality must be confirmed by a Medical Officer as being at least equal to that contained in the St. John packs.
- d. The preferred container for Brigade members to carry supplies is the fanny pack, available from Councils, either empty (stock #8576) or partially filled (stock #8575).
- e. A face mask and valve is a recommended optional item for the kit. If a mask and valve are carried, St. John stock No. 8580-7 is the preferred item.