

SAN FRANCISCO FIRE DEPARTMENT Public Information Office

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SFFD Teaching Hands Only CPR and First Aid to High School Students

On May the 18th, from 08:15 to 11:20 a.m., the San Francisco Fire Department will be teaching Hands Only CPR and First Aid to John O'Connell High School Students during National EMS week. High school students will learn how to identify a person who needs CPR, initiate Hands Only CPR, and activate the 911 system. Students will also learn a number of first aid techniques to help make their school, home and community safer. O'Connell High School is located at 2355 Folsom Street, San Francisco, CA 94110.

"Our students understand that they are part of a global society and they feel a sense of responsibility to make a contribution to their community and beyond. This training is part of the contribution they are making." - Superintendent Richard A. Carranza.

"We are empowering the next generation in San Francisco", said Chief Joanne Hayes-White, "Now that we know how valuable Hands-Only-CPR is, it is important that we incorporate it into the school curriculum."

The following is the agenda for the events. Members of the Media, please RSVP with the SFFD PIO prior to the event.

- 8:15-10:15 With students CPR and First Aid classes
- 10:15- 10:30 11th and 12th graders accompany SFFD to yard to set up ambulances and activities
- 10:30 -10:50- Interested Students (10th, 11th, 12th grades) can come down early to participate
- 10:50 11:20 Lunchtime Activities all students can come participate in hands only CPR demos and other interactive activities



MAY 18, 2016 EMS DAY FOR KIDS AT JOCHS

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JOHN O'CONNELL HIGH SCHOOL

2355 Folsom St. San Francisco, CA 94110

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Wednesday 5/18/16 8:15am-11:20am