Program Name Staff Responsible for Lesson:

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Date(s) Used	9/2009
Civics Category	II. Civics Participation
Civics Objective	12. Community Resources – Emergency
Civies Objective	
	Demonstrate basic knowledge and awareness of the emergency services
	available in the community and ways to contact and use emergency
T. F. (0, 1)	services and legal assistance agencies.
Time Frame to Complete	
Lesson	4 hours (2- 2 hour sessions)
EFL(s)	NRS levels 1 - 3
Standard(s)/Components	√ Listen Actively
of Performance	$\sqrt{ m Speak}$ so That Others Can Understand
	$\sqrt{\mathbf{R}}$ ead With Understanding
	$\sqrt{ m Convey}$ Ideas in Writing
Benchmark(s)	Listening Speaking Reading Writing
	L1.1 L2.1 L3.1 S1.1 S2.1 S3.1 R1.2, R2.1 R3.1 W1.1 W2.1 W3.1
	L1.4 L2.4 L3.4 S1.2 S2.2 S3.2 R1.4 R2.2 R3.2
	S1.3 S2.4 S3.4 R1.5 R2.4 R3.4
	R2.6 R3.6.
Materials	Situations (below) on index cards, blank index cards
Activities	TO CALL OR NOT TO CALL 911
	Review & Practice Activity
	<u>Prepare</u> : write one situation on each card:
	fire in the house break-in family member unconscious
	adult/child having seizure fall, can't stand/walk lost pet
	child drank poison stomach ache & vomiting broken arm
	car stolenfall off bicycle- bleeding kneesfall from tree/broken armstolen car/bicyclechild hit by cartwo dogs fighting in street
	<u>On board</u> , write: What is an emergency? Who are emergency workers?
	Solicit answers from students. Write answers on board – or have students write.
	What: An emergency is when a situation is life threatening, requires immediate
	action. Who: Solicit answers from students: Police, fire fighters, paramedics, doctors,
	nurses
	Activity:
	a) Distribute situation cards to students, one per student. Student shows card to
	class & tells whether the situation is an emergency or not. If not, who to call, or what to do.
	b) In pairs, students write dialogue for their call; ensure each pair receives an
	emergency call card;
	c) Each pair presents their dialogue to the class.
	On board, put sample dialogue:
	911 operator questions:

	What is your emergency? Where are you calling from?
	Go over the following information before they write their dialogue: Know your address & phone number even though it shows on the operator's screen. If you are calling from a street accident, look around for the name of streets or landmarks.
	Don't hang up the phone until emergency van arrives.
	Is your house or apartment number clear & visible? Apt. number inside easy to find?
	<u>Activity</u> : Students make an emergency telephone information card to display at home. Copy all information for this card, except actual phone numbers, from the board.
	Poison phone number = 1-800/222-1222 Fire: Police: Doctor: Name – address - phone Dentist: Name – address - phone Pharmacy: name - address - phone
	Keep this information card by your phone all the time.
Assessment/ Evidence	Student completed an information card which lists emergency phone numbers. Teacher checked for accuracy in spelling.
Reflection	Students were very interested in this lesson. Since many of our students are refugees from Africa and Vietnam, they were unfamiliar with reporting emergencies.