

Emergency Paging Codes

TTUHSC Amarillo

CODE RED
Fire Emergency

Denotes a fire in the area of the sounding alarm. Follow R-A-C-E procedures.

Rescue anyone in danger
Activate the fire alarm
Contain the fire by closing doors
Evacuate to designated reassembly area*.

CODE BROWN
Severe Weather
Emergency

Tornado, heavy rain, high winds, hail or other weather situation is on collision course for TTUHSC.

May be preceded by *watch* (conditions are favorable) or *warning* (conditions occurring in Lubbock County). Move to your designated internal shelter area*. Avoid windows, glass, and open areas. Do not go outside. Always evacuate laboratories.

CODE GREEN
Internal Disaster

Major/minor internal damage to TTUHSC facility that requires relocation or evacuation.

If the code is in your area, evacuate immediately to your designated reassembly location* outside. Otherwise, close all doors and stay in place until the code is cleared or you are told to evacuate.

CODE BLACK
Bomb Threat

A bomb threat has been received and/or an explosive device located.

TTUHSC Police:
Business hours: 354-5568
After hours: 349-2775

If you receive a bomb threat, keep caller on phone as long as possible and direct someone to call TTUHSC Police. If safe, try to ascertain location, detonation time, type of bomb, and caller characteristics (e.g., sex, age, race).

CODE WHITE
Building Evacuation

An internal disaster or other situation has occurred requiring evacuation of the entire facility.

Evacuate immediately to designated reassembly location* outside using predetermined routes.

CODE BLUE
Cardiac Arrest

Denotes a medical crisis, please call 9-911 for immediate response by EMS.

Dispatch EMS. Facility AED response phone numbers are located under the receiver of all phones at AMA TTUHSC. Provide first aid/CPR according to training of available personnel. Post person at front entrance to guide EMS to location.

CODE PINK
Child Abduction

A child is missing/has been abducted.

TTUHSC Police:
Business hours: 354-5568
After hours: 349-2775

Clear corridors and do not allow patients/visitors to leave clinic areas. Observe movement in public areas and report any suspicious activity to TTUHSC Police.

*See your Unit Safety Officer for your designated areas.

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TTUHSC (Lubbock) and University Medical Center

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CODE BROWN Severe Weather Emergency	Tornado, heavy rain, high winds, hail or other weather situation is on collision course for TTUHSC.	May be preceded by <i>watch</i> (conditions are favorable) or <i>warning</i> (conditions occurring in Lubbock County). Move to your designated internal shelter area*. Avoid windows, glass, and open areas. Do not go outside. Always evacuate laboratories.
CODE YELLOW External Disaster	10-15 (minor) or more patients (major) needing emergency care at UMC ER.	Assigned medical personnel should respond immediately. All others should avoid contact with the UMC ER until the code is cleared.
CODE GREEN Internal Disaster	Major/minor internal damage to TTUHSC facility that requires relocation or evacuation.	If the code is in your area, evacuate immediately to your designated reassembly location* outside. Otherwise, close all doors and stay in place until the code is cleared or you are told to evacuate.
CODE BLACK Bomb Threat	A bomb threat has been received and/or an explosive device located.	If you receive a bomb threat, keep caller on phone as long as possible and direct someone to call TTU Police at 9-911. If safe, try to ascertain location, detonation time, type of bomb, and caller characteristics (e.g., sex, age, race).
CODE WHITE Building Evacuation	An internal disaster or other situation has occurred requiring evacuation of the entire facility.	Evacuate immediately to designated reassembly location* outside using predetermined routes.
CODE BLUE Cardiac Arrest	Denotes a medical crisis. Call 9-911 for immediate response by EMS.	Call 9-911 to dispatch EMS. Provide first aid/CPR according to training of available personnel. Post person at front entrance to guide EMS to location.
CODE PINK Child Abduction	A child is missing/has been abducted from UMC.	Clear corridors and do not allow patients/visitors to leave clinic areas. Observe movement in public areas and report any suspicious activity to TTU Police at 9-911 or 743-2000.

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TTUHSC El Paso

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Denotes a fire in the area of the sounding alarm. Follow R-A-C-E procedures.

Rescue anyone in danger
Activate the fire alarm
Contain the fire by closing doors
Evacuate to designated reassembly area*.

CODE BLACK Bomb Threat

A bomb threat has been received and/or an explosive device located.

If you receive a bomb threat, keep caller on phone as long as possible and direct someone to call TTU Police. If safe, try to ascertain location, detonation time, type of bomb, and caller characteristics (e.g., sex, age, race).

CODE BLUE Pharmacy Emergency

Denotes a robbery of the pharmacy for medications or money.

Activate the panic button or call the TTU Police immediately.

CODE AMBER Theft/Armed Robbery

Armed robbery or other aggressive/violent situation is in progress.

Activate the alarm if possible and can be done safely. Call the TTU Police. If a weapon is displayed, assume it is loaded. If necessary, TTU Police will evacuate facility via the back entrance. Don't touch anything.

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TTUHSC-ODESSA & MCH EMERGENCY CODES

OPERATION "O"	R-A-C-E/Fire, Smoke, Smell of something burning
CODE White	Severe Weather Watch
CODE YELLOW	Severe Weather Warning
CODE RED	Severe Weather/Tornado Emergency
CODE GREEN	Bomb Threat
CODE BLUE	Cardio-Respiratory Arrest
CODE BROWN	Internal Disaster
CODE BLACK	External Disaster
CODE PINK	Infant Missing
CODE ORANGE	Area Evacuation / Hazardous Spill
EVACUATION	Building Evacuation / Imminent Danger