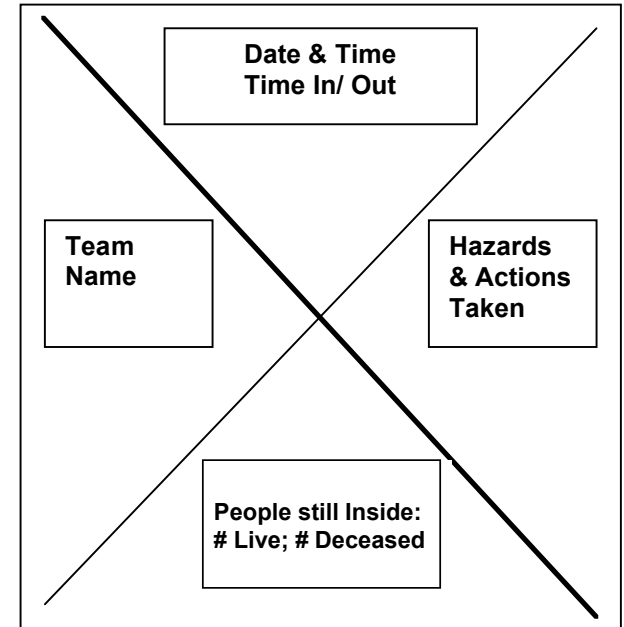


Conducting a Search of a Building

- ❑ Discuss duties and communication (3 whistles for emergency)
- ❑ Conduct a 360 degree walk around of the building and report findings
- ❑ Knock on door and announce yourself
- ❑ Feel the door (back of hand, bottom to top)
- ❑ Mark the wall (1st line and time entering)
- ❑ Brace outward opening door with foot while opening
- ❑ Prop open door
- ❑ Leave a light in the opening
- ❑ Call out to announce help, and asking survivors to come to you
- ❑ Receive walking wounded at the door
- ❑ Proper search technique – against the wall, systematic plan
- ❑ Document: Hazards. Triage victims
- ❑ Report findings to Team Lead
- ❑ Develop plan to remove victims
- ❑ Mark the wall "X" when team leaves structure



Question: When should you move a patient? (Only if the situation is unsafe, or you don't have enough people to have someone stay with them, or better care is available elsewhere)

