| Chain of Command: | 1. 2. 3. | First Aid Area: | Reunification Area: | |
|---------------------------------------|----------------|--|------------------------|--|
| Incident Command Post Location: | | Staff Assignments: Name/Role: | | |
| Assembly Point: Alternate: | | Individuals needing extra support (12C): | | |

REQUEST GATE OPERATIONS

EXCEPTIONS DESK - Standard Operating Procedure (SOP)

- 1. The **REUNIFICATION LEAD/IC/Principal** will determine staffing of the **EXCEPTIONS DESK**.
 - a. Staffing of the **EXCEPTIONS DESK** will include at least one (1) school official as the Lead with the authority to release a student to an individual not listed on the authorization form.
- 2. The **REQUEST GATE LEAD** will determine the location of the **EXCEPTIONS DESK** within the **REQUEST GATE** area if operations.
- 3. The **EXCEPTIONS DESK LEAD** will make the determination on all requests for student release that DO NOT meet the defined district standard for student release.
 - a. If the individual is authorized:
 - i. Endorse the release form with name, time, and date
 - ii. Route/Escort to the appropriate REQUEST DESK for processing.
 - b. If the individual is NOT authorized:
 - i. Inform them as to the needed steps to me authorization requirements. i.e., Return with appropriate identification etc.
 - ii. Route/Escort them out of the REQUEST GATE area.
 - iii. Notify security as required.
- 4. Continue operations until all students are reunified with authorized person.

Refer to the attached Job Action Sheet, workflow, and decision tree documents.

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Job Action Sheet

EXCEPTIONS DESK LEAD

**JOB: This position oversees all activity at EXCEPTIONS DESK.

DUTIES:

- 1. Attend incident briefing.
- 2. Review and understand job description for Exceptions Desk.
- 3. Set up Exceptions Desk Station to include table, chairs, signage, and supplies.
- 4. Be familiar with steps involved to log on to student information system and to look for parent/guardian who is authorized to pick up student(s).
- 5. Make determination on all requests for student release that DO NOT meet district/school requirements.
 - If the individual is authorized:
 - Endorse the release form with name, time, and date
 - Route/escort to the appropriate REQUEST DESK for processing.
 - If the individual is NOT authorized:
 - Inform them as to the needed steps to me authorization requirements. i.e., Return with appropriate identification etc.
 - Route them out of the **REQUEST GATE** area.
 - Notify security as required.

REUNIFICATION COMPLETE:

- 1. Coordinate with Logistic Chief on clean up and return of supplies and equipment.
- 2. Participate in the After-Action Review process, including identification of areas that need improvement.
- 3. Assist with review and revision of Parent/Student Reunification Plan.

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EQUIPMENT:

- Vest and Name Tag
- \Box Table (1) & Chairs (3)
- Pens
- □ Copies of student lists (all students in the school)
- □ Laptops & Laptop log on information
- □ Student information system access to review parent/guardian authorization.
- □ Signs: EXCEPTIONS DESK
- □ Sufficient staff
- □ District radio (if available)

This position receives direction & reports to the Request Gate Lead /Interior Operations/Reunification Lead

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Job Action Sheet

EXCEPTIONS DESK STAFF/ ESCORT

****JOB:** This position moves all parent/guardians processed at the **EXCEPTIONS DESK** to the appropriate locations.

DUTIES:

- 1. Escort parents/guardians based on the determination made and as needed
 - If the individual is authorized:
 - Escort to the appropriate **REQUEST DESK** for processing.
 - If the individual is NOT authorized:
 - Escort them out of the **REQUEST GATE** area.
 - Notify security as required.

REUNIFICATION COMPLETE:

- 2. Coordinate with Logistic Chief on clean up and return of supplies and equipment.
- 3. Participate in the After-Action Review process, including identification of areas that need improvement.

EQUIPMENT:

- Vest and Name Tag
- □ District radio (if available)

This position receives direction and reports to the EXCEPTIONS DESK LEAD.

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Request Gate Operations: Exceptions Desk Workflow and Decision Tree

