Rochester General Health System Plain Language Emergency Code Announcements

Announcement	Definition
Amber Alert	Infant or pediatric patient is missing or
	known to be abducted
Assistance Needed STAT (Location)	Behavioral / Uncontrolled Person
	Incident
Code Team or Pediatric Code Team	Cardiac or Respiratory Arrest
(Location)	
Command Center Activated – (Internal	Emergency incident or unusual event
Medical, External Medical or	either within the hospital or within the
Engineering) – Hospital Command	community with potential for patient
Center Team to Respond to (Location)	surge, evacuation, property damage or
	impairment to infrastructure.
Critical Security Incident (Location as	Situation involving weapon, active
applicable)	shooter or bomb threat.
Decontamination Team Alert	HazMat contaminated person(s)
Fire Alert (Location)	Fire, smoke, electrical sparking or
	arcing
Lockdown	Hospital Lockdown
Missing Person Alert (Location and	Missing person of any age other than
Description)	Amber Alert
OB Team STAT (Location)	Critical imminent birth event (outside
	maternity unit or critical baby delivery)