

**Student-oriented disaster preparedness lecture series:
"Tactical Medicine in a Disaster Setting"
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Lecture outline:

- I. What is tactical medicine?
- II. History of tactical medicine
- III. Role of tactical medicine in homeland security
- IV. Most common types of trauma encountered in tactical medicine
- V. General principles of Tactical Primary Survey (TEMS)
- VI. Six components of TEMS: XABCDE
- VII. Zones of care and medical management in each
 - a. Hot
 - b. Warm
 - c. Cold
- VIII. Tactical provider: what special skills are required?
- IX. Equipment used in the tactical environment
- X. Involvement opportunities in tactical medicine