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In the Line of Duty



11/01/1995	Wendy Thompson Andy Goedicke Jeffrey Dolph Dan Jorgensen Geir Zinke	EMA-II, Vancouver, B.C. Paramedic, Vancouver, B.C. MD, Vancouver, B.C. Pilot, Richmond, B.C. Pilot, Richmond, B.C.	Lear 35 Jet enroute to a med-evac flew into the Pacific on an IFR winter night flight on final approach to Masset, B.C. due to incorrectly set altimeters.
27/07/1995	Keith Barrie Manueal Caudros	Paramedic, Beausejour, Manitoba Paramedic, Beausejour, Manitoba	Type III ambulance running hot to a call collided with a semi trailer truck at a highway intersection near Beausejour, Manitoba.
04/10/1995	Ken Doughty	Paramedic	Helicopter crash in mountains, USSR.
07/07/1996	Richard Ayotte William Bing Richard Dendys	Provincial Emergency Program volunteers	Their plane crashed while assisting in a search for a Piper Cherokee aircraft in the Nelson-Cranbrook area. The aircraft was successfully located; two of the three persons in that aircraft survived.
02/11/1997	Ronald MacDonald	First Responder/Firefighter, Porters Lake Fire Service Halifax County, Porters Lake, Nova Scotia	Ronald died in the Line of Duty while responding in his private vehicle to an MVC in Lake Echo, Nova Scotia. He himself was involved in a MVC and succumbed to his injuries at the scene.
20/10/2002	April Hopkins	Emergency First Responder, Goulais River Response Team Goulais River, Ontario	Died in the Line of Duty when the Rescue vehicle she was responding in crashed enroute to an MVC.
29/05/2003	Wayne Duffy	Communications Officer, Toronto EMS , Toronto, Ontario. Former Paramedic, Toronto EMS , Toronto, Ontario	Wayne unexpectedly died in the Line of Duty during an Ambulance Record Information System 2 training session at the Medical Air Transport Centre. Wayne was 52 years of age.
29/09/2003	John Rossiter	Paramedic, Emergency Medical Care Inc. & QEII Hospital Halifax, Nova Scotia	John died in the Line of Duty during hurricane Juan when a tree blew over crushing his ambulance and fatally injuring him. John was 31 years of age.
2/10/2005	Andrea Thompson	Advanced Care Flight Paramedic, Dryden Ontario, Thunder Airlines	Andrea died suddenly & unexpected of unknown causes in North Western Ontario. Andrea collapsed early in the morning at her home, while on standby, as she was answering a flight call. Andrea was 26 years of age.

17/05/2006	Kim Karlen Weitzel	British Columbia Ambulance Service, Kimberly Station	Teck Cominco, Sullivan Mine– Kimberly BC , responding to a drowning call at the decommissioned mine, an employee and both Kim and partner Shawn were overcome and became the 3 rd and 4th victims of an unknown gas.
17/05/2006	Shawn Michael Currier	British Columbia Ambulance Service, Kimberly Station	Teck Cominco, Sullivan Mine – Kimberly BC, responding to a drowning call at the decommissioned mine, an employee and both Kim and partner Shawn were overcome and became the 3 rd and 4th victims of an unknown gas.
11/08/2006	Andrew Eykelenboom	Canadian Forces - 1 Field Ambulance, based in Edmonton Alberta	Medic Andrew James Eykelenboom from 1 Field Ambulance based in Edmonton, Alberta was killed on August 11th while serving in Afghanistan. Cpl Eykelenboom was also a licensed Emergency Medical Tech in the province of Alberta. In addition he was a dedicated, professional soldier who took great pride in serving in the Canadian Forces. Cpl Eykelenboom deployed with the role 1 HSS Coy as a dismounted Medic on Operation Archer in Kandahar, Afghanistan from January to August 06.
17/09/2006	Glen Arnold	Canadian Forces - 2 Field Ambulance based in Petawawa, Ontario	Medic Glen Arnold from 2 Field Ambulance based in Petawawa, Ontario was killed on September 18th while serving in Afghanistan. Glen's wife Kerry stated "He bravely served his country for 14 years during which he deployed to Bosnia-Herzegovina, as a member of DART in Sri Lanka and one previous deployment to Afghanistan."