PISSOURI RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION PLUS SCHEME

This bulletin is to advise and confirm to members of the Pissouri Residents Association Plus (PRA +), the sequence of actions to be taken when requesting emergency medical assistance as part of the scheme.

There have been a number of occasions when a delay has occurred in providing emergency medical assistance as part of the PRA+ scheme due to calls being made direct to the emergency ambulance call centre, essentially by-passing the on-call Emergency Responder.

This has led to the cause of the delay in providing emergency medical assistance.

Please note the following points and procedures:-

The emergency ambulance call centre *will not mobilise an ambulance* unless the call is initiated by the on-call Emergency Responder or the PRA+ Co-Ordinator.

The on-call Emergency Responder is also able to contact a medical doctor who is available 24/7 and will attend within minutes if deemed necessary.

Just to confirm that the PRA+ scheme provides a 24/7 medical emergency response as follows:

- On-call Emergency Responder.
 - On-call medical Doctor.
- Emergency Ambulance (Paramedic/Nurse-British qualified).

If you require emergency medical assistance as part of the PRA+ scheme you must **FIRST** phone the

'Emergency Helpline' number 97 836222

This number is located on the back of your Pissouri Residents Association membership card labelled 'Emergency Helpline'

In the unlikely event you cannot get through then you can call the

Co-ordinator on **97 838345**

Time is critical when someone needs emergency care, following the correct procedure ensures that we get to you as quickly as possible.