

# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

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## IVORY CLERKLEY'S RETIREMENT

Public Safety Officer Ivory Clerkley is moving on from Mott Community College to retirement. Ivory began her career here in 1998. At various times working all shifts on the main campus and at the Workforce Development Center. Ivory prefers first shift, even though it gets her up well before dawn! PSO Clerkley has been responsible for opening doors and buildings, traffic control, securing offices, taking complaints and assisting our MCC community. She rarely misses a day reinforcing her philosophy that you should, "be on time, do what your suppose to do, keep yourself out of trouble and come to work unless you're really sick." She has always been consistent and reliable in her job duties.



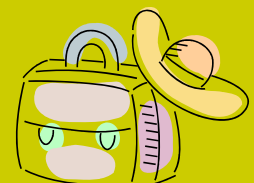
Ivory visits her hometown of Helena, Arkansas, where 2 of her sisters still reside. Her son is deceased but with her brother in Detroit, MI and daughter and 2 grandchildren local, she enjoys her family, dancing and shopping. She looks forward to traveling and working on projects around the house after the new year.



Ivory is well known in the department for her yummy chicken salad and for taking special care of us. She mothers us all with her kindness.

Ivory has believed that you "should not be stressed at work, enjoy your work and do it well" and for her it's important that she follows her motto "In thee O' Lord, I put my trust."

Join us in saying thank you to Ivory for her invaluable service and best wishes for a well deserved retirement!



**Important Phone Numbers**

- **Emergency**  
(810) 762-5666
- **Non-Emergency**  
(810) 762-0222
- **Campus Closing**  
(810) 232-8989



### ICE

It stands for "In Case of Emergency". You can program it into your cell phone with a contact that you can count on. Emergency personnel can access your phone and know whom to get in touch with right away.

The measure of life, after all, is not its duration but its donation.

- Corrie Ten Boom



## DO 1 THING FIRST AID



"The goal: Be prepared to give first aid while waiting for an ambulance. An emergency can happen at any time and any place. Many public places have a first aid kit, oxygen, or an AED (automated external defibrillator) to treat people. These items can only save lives if someone knows how to use them. Actions you take in the first few minutes after an injury or other medical incident may save someone's life."

Become better prepared, choose one of these actions to do this month.

### Know what to do while waiting for an ambulance to arrive.



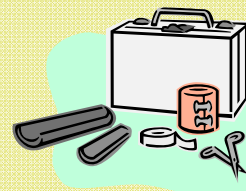
1. Stay on the line with 911 to follow emergency instructions.
2. Stay calm and try to keep the patient calm.
3. Do not move a patient who was injured in an automobile accident, fall or who was found unconscious.
4. If cold, cover them with a blanket.
5. Have someone watch for the ambulance to guide them to where the patient is located.

### Make or buy first aid kits for your home and car.



You can find ready made kits at most department store but you may also be already equipped to make one from items you have around the house. You'll need:

- Adhesive tape, gauze pads and roller gauze
- Band-aids in assorted sizes and a triangular bandage
- Antiseptic ointment, hand sanitizer, disposable gloves
- Cold pack, plastic bags
- Scissors and tweezers
- Flashlight with batteries



### Take training in first aid, CPR, AED or pet first aid.



Helping others in a medical emergency isn't as hard to learn as you might think. Knowing how to apply a bandage, identify the signs and symptoms of shock, perform CPR or use an AED can save a life.

First responders may not be on the scene for five minutes. It may be up to you to be ready to help someone who is injured. Be that person that can step up and possibly save a life, perhaps for even someone you love.