

## **TEMPORARY MORTUARY PLAN**

When an emergency or major incident has occurred involving numerous fatalities, normal public or hospital mortuary facilities may be overwhelmed or ill-suited to deal with prolonged mortuary work, forensic examinations and other associated activities.

The plan details the procedures for establishing a Temporary Mortuary on behalf of HM Coroner. It also outlines the methods necessary to provide controlled access to the designated site for those involved in the establishment, operation and management of a Temporary Mortuary.

The plan also sets out the specific functions and associated activities to be undertaken by the various individuals and agencies that may well operate within and in support of the Temporary Mortuary and highlights any additional resources that may be required to maintain its operation.