

The Police

National Bureau of Investigation

- is responsible for investigations into serious crime or accidents and disaster victim identification (DVI).

Police departments (local police)

- participate in rescue operations and maintenance of public order;
- is responsible for reporting accidents to other necessary police departments and the Operational Command Centre of the Helsinki Police Department;
- coordination responsibility in vessel-related special incidents as specified in the internal guidelines of the Police;
- Helsinki Police Department:
 - has national responsibility for special security operations (the Counter Terrorist Unit and the Bomb Unit) in tasks related to public order and security;
 - acts as the national point of contact for the MRCC.
- The Police are responsible for maritime searches of missing persons following the termination of maritime SAR operations as unsuccessful (cf. section 3.4.4 of this Manual).

The Finnish Meteorological Institute

- provides the Border Guard with access to expertise in its sector;
- produces weather and navigational data and related forecasts needed by maritime SAR services;
- maintains the Border Guard's weather portal;
- produces the weather service for rescue operations.

Health care authorities and emergency medical services

- In addition to first aid administered by maritime SAR services, emergency medical services required in maritime duties are also provided by the hospital districts. Care and treatment preparedness can be divided as follows:
 - All maritime SRUs have the minimum capability of administering "lay person's" first aid.
 - As a rule, the Border Guard's maritime SAR helicopters are used in tasks that require basic level emergency medical services. If necessary, rescue and medical services units transported to the scene by maritime SRUs can be used for the provision of basic level emergency medical services.
 - The maritime SAR helicopter on call is always equipped with basic-level emergency medical service preparedness for SAR duties and capable of performing basic level patient transport.
 - On-call and emergency medical services provided by health care authorities are used for emergency medical service tasks that require care level response.
- Emergency medical services provided by health care authorities are responsible for the provision of telemedical assistance services (TMAS) for maritime SAR and the provision of on-call physicians' services for the assessment of the level of urgency in relation to maritime SAR services.
- Psychosocial support for rescued persons is provided by social welfare authorities.