

Directions for use of this Worksheet

The purpose of this worksheet is to assist in gathering the information needed to complete the Patroller Cross nomination. Samples are available on the web site.

The Patroller's Cross may be awarded to a patroller who is seriously injured in one of the following categories:

- During scheduled on-the-hill duty and/or training.
- While performing search and rescue activities under the direction of a recognized authority.
- When performing avalanche control work under the direction of area management.
- When performing lift evacuation under the direction of area management.

The definition of a serious injury is an injury requiring physician care over a long period of time, surgery, extended rehabilitation, and/or lost work time. It is further described as an injury that prevented the patroller from returning to their normal patrolling duties for the balance of the ski season.

All nominations must include a letter of recommendation from the sponsor

- Describe the nature of the injury sustained and the nominee's inability to perform their normal patrolling duties. Include the time span in which the patroller was unable to perform their normal duties.