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MCAS Yuma Marines Provide Medevac

MARINE CORPS AIR STATION YUMA, Ariz. (January 8, 2015) – Marines with the Search and Rescue team from MCAS Yuma, provided medevac support for injured personnel when a tour bus rolled over in Yuma County, today.

The Marines responded to a call from the Yuma Proving Grounds Fire Dispatch at 10:55 a.m. requesting assistance transporting the injured to Yuma Regional Medical Center.

Two helicopter crews departed MCAS Yuma within minutes of getting the call. Each aircraft was loaded with two litters, used to deliver patients to YRMC before returning to MCAS Yuma at 12:08 p.m.

Interviews will be available upon request. For additional information, please call the Public Affairs Office at (928) 269-3682 or email Yuma_PAO@usmc.mil.