

recovery position *(re-cov-er-y-po-sit-ion)*

Definition

n. a first aid position used to maintain an open airway in an unconscious person who is breathing normally, typically lying on their side.

Example Sentence

In first aid training, we learned how to place an injured person in the **recovery position** to keep their airway clear.

More Example Sentences

The instructor demonstrated the **recovery position** to ensure the victim could breathe properly.

Synonyms

side-lying position; lateral position

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