**SYMPTOMATIC MANAGEMENT GUIDELINES FOR NON-HEALTH STAFF**

**BURNS**

Authorized non-health staff may manage burns as follows:

1. Remove the student from the source of the burns.
2. Insure an open airway and proceed with CPR if indicated.
3. Call 911 if the burn involves the face, head, neck, fingers, toes, genitalia or more than 25 percent of the trunk or an extremity.
4. Rinse the burn wound with sterile saline or clean water.
5. Cover the wound with sterile gauze soaked in sterile saline or clean water. Use gauze to secure the saline soaked gauze. Leave blisters intact.
6. Have the burns evaluated by a clinician as soon as possible.
7. Offer the student acetaminophen 650 to 1000 mg every 4 hours [MDD 4 g] or ibuprofen 400 to 600 mg every 6 hours [MDD 2400 mg] for pain.

# WHEN TO CONTACT THE ON-CALL HEALTH AND WELLNESS STAFF

* If items in #3 above are present
* If pain is not controlled by above medications