STEP ONE: COARSE SEARCH

BEACON SEARCH SCENARIO FOR ONE SEARCHER AND ONE VICTIM

BEGIN SEARCH AT TOP OF DEBRIS OR AT POINT LAST SEEN

START SEARCH HERE

MAXIMUM 20M BETWEEN TRAVERSSES

MINIMUM 10M FROM EDGE OF DEBRIS

Signal first heard, begin fine search

TOE OF DEBRIS

CROWN

TOP OF DEBRIS
STEP ONE: COARSE SEARCH

BEACON SEARCH SCENARIO FOR TWO SEARCHERS AND ONE VICTIM

BEGIN SEARCH AT TOP OF DEBRIS OR AT POINT LAST SEEN

START SEARCH HERE

START SEARCH HERE

20m BETWEEN TRAVERSSES

MINIMUM 10m FROM EDGE OF DEBRIS

SEARCHER B STOPS BEACON SEARCH AND ASSISTS SEARCHER A IN DIGGING OUT VICTIM

SEARCHER A HEARS FIRST SIGNAL
STEP TWO: FINE SEARCH

SEARCH PATH

FIRST SIGNAL HEARD, BEGIN FINE SEARCH

FOLLOW BEACON SOUND AND DECREASING DISTANCE NUMBERS TOWARD VICTIM

KEEP BEACON PARALLEL TO SNOW SURFACE AND AWAY FROM YOUR BODY
STEP THREE: GRID SEARCH

KEEP BEACON NEAR SNOW SURFACE DURING GRID SEARCH

MOVE BEACON IN 1/2 METER INCREMENTS