



After flushing with water, carefully patting them dry, and dressing them, Richard's and Martha's chemical burns should heal within the next few days; if available, consider applying a OTC corticosteroid cream to the affected areas to speed the process. Clean and dress Jame's head wound and reassure both him and his sister. Danial has a mild concussion and may have a spine injury (he failed the focused spine assessment due to spine pain and tingling down his right arm when he flexes his neck); he should be assessed by a physician at a hospital when the roads clear. Martha's vomiting is likely due to parasympathetic ASR. That said, she and her developing fetus should be assessed by a physician in a clinic with ultrasound capabilities or a hospital ASAP.

Drive slowly and carefully back to the evacuation shelter and medical assistance. While it is a tight fit and violates motor vehicle laws, consider having both parents ride in the truck cab with you with their children on their laps and the heater on. Caution the children not to hang on their father's neck. Without a topper, there is no way to keep anyone warm, dry, and calm on the rather 40 minute-plus ride to the high school and clinic.