

Jean has a stable hip injury. Off-load her gear into other packs, leaving her with an empty or extremely light-weight pack (she may be okay carrying her sleeping bag) and assist her to the nearest campsite. Attempt to contact assistance via the sat-phone. If you cannot reach anyone, spend the night and see how Jean feels in the morning. If she remains ambulatory, she may be capable of finishing the hike with a light pack and assistance. If not, you will need to send someone out for help as you continue to attempt communication with your sat phone.