



JESIP

Working Together – Saving Lives

JOINT DECISION MODEL

The **Joint Decision Model** (JDM) will help commanders bring together available information, reconcile objectives and then make effective decisions together.



DECISION-MAKING IN INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SHOULD BE A CONTINUOUS PROCESS THAT FOLLOWS A GENERAL PATTERN OF:

- Working out what is going on (situation)
- Establishing what your objectives are and what you need to achieve (direction)
- Deciding what to do about it (action), all informed by a statement and understanding of overarching values and purpose, including which organisations are required