

SAEMS PREHOSPITAL PROTOCOLS

PREHOSPITAL TRANSPORT PROVIDER SKILLS

GENERAL SKILLS	EMT-B	EMT-I	Q-EMT-I	EMT-P
Perform CPR	X	X	X	X
Control Hemorrhage	X	X	X	X
Splint Fractures	X	X	X	X
Administer Oxygen	X	X	X	X
Assist in Childbirth	X	X	X	X
Apply MAST Trousers	X	X	X	X
Cardiac Monitoring			X	X
Semiautomatic Defibrillation	X	X	X	X
Defibrillation			X	X
Synchronized Cardioversion			X	X
Endotracheal Intubation		X	X	X
Gastric Suction		X	X	X
Gastrostomy Tube Monitoring	X	X	X	X
Chest Tube Monitoring				
Not an approved skill for any EMT-B, I, or P				
Foley Monitoring	X	X	X	X
PERIPHERAL IV INFUSIONS				
Initiate Peripheral IV Therapy		X	X	X
Monitor Peripheral IV Infusions of NS, D5W, LR, or any combination of the above	X Interfacility only	X	X	X
Blood Administration			X	X
Phlebotomy		X	X	X
CENTRAL IV INFUSIONS				
Initiate Central IV Therapy (IJ, Subclavian)				X
Monitor any Capped IV- Includes Central, Peripheral and indwelling IV's	X	X	X	X
Monitor Central IV Infusions of NS or LR (Femoral, PICC, Indwelling Portacaths, Long-term Catheters)				X
INTERFACILITY IV INFUSIONS- refer to current DHS Interfacility Medication list and Pump requirements				
PERMANENT INDWELLING INFUSION PUMPS (MSO4, INSULIN) Can be monitored by all Provider levels in the <i>stable</i> patient, as long as the patient or caregiver is in charge of the pump				
ELECTROLYTE ADDITIVES AND CRYSTALLOID – Transferring facility should evaluate the ordered solutions and additives prior to turning a patient over to the care of appropriate certified EMT personnel for transfer.				
POTASSIUM- added to IV Solution- more than 10 mEq/L requires a pump. Greater than 40 meq/L requires RN transport				

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OTHER SKILLS	EMT-B	EMT-I	Q-EMT-I	EMT-P
INTRAOSSEOUS INFUSION				
Initiate I/O infusion		X	X	X
MEDICATIONS				
Assist Patients with Administration of NTG, SVN's, Epi-pen, Charcoal, & Glucose	X	X	X	X
* Rectal Valium Administration		X	X	X
SPECIALIZED TRAINING				
*Automatic Transport Ventilators		X	X	X
*Cricothyrotomy		X	X	X
*Needle Thoracostomy		X	X	X
*Transcutaneous External Pacer			X	X
*Toxic Materials Antidotes				X
*Immunization Administration			X	X

* Not all providers may use these permissive skills

HOSPITAL STAFF ONLY- Questions regarding level of care should be directed to your facility's prehospital manager