

**EASTERN SHORE
EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES COUNCIL**
A sub-area council of the Tidewater EMS Council, Inc.

PRE-HOSPITAL SKILLS DELINEATION

The following additional skills are authorized for technicians functioning in the Eastern Shore EMS region with the permission of their agency's Operational Medical Director and in accordance with the Eastern Shore/Regional Medical Protocols.

	<u>EMT-B</u>	<u>ST/E</u>	<u>CT/I</u>	<u>PM</u>
<u>AIRWAY SUPPORT</u>				
Peak Flow Meter	NO	YES	YES	YES
<u>MEDICATION ROUTES</u>				
Via Endotracheal tube	NO	YES	YES	YES
Via Sublingual	PAM	YES	YES	YES
<u>GASTRIC DECOMPRESSION</u>				
1. Oro/Nasogastric tube	NO	YES	YES	YES
<u>MEDICATION LIST</u>				
1. Activated Charcoal	NO	PO	PO	PO
2. Adenosine (Adenocard)	NO	NO	PO	YES
3. Albuterol (Proventil, Ventolin)	PAM	YES	YES	YES
4. Amiodarone (Cordarone)	NO	YES*	YES	YES
5. Aspirin	NO	YES	YES	YES
6. Atropine	NO	YES*	YES	YES
7. Atrovent (Ipratropium Bromide)	NO	YES	YES	YES
8. Bumex (Bumetanide)	NO	PO	PO	YES
9. Calcium Chloride	NO	NO	PO	PO
10. Dextrose 50%	NO	YES	YES	YES
11. Diazepam (Valium)	NO	NO	PO	YES
12. Diltiazem HCL (Cardizem)	NO	NO	PO	YES
13. Diphenhydramine (Benadryl)	NO	PO	YES	YES
14. Dopamine (Intropine)	NO	NO	PO	YES
15. Epinephrine 1:1000	PAM	YES	YES	YES
16. Epinephrine 1:10000	NO	YES	YES	YES
17. Etomidate (Amidate)	NO	NO	NO	YES
18. Glucagon	NO	YES	YES	YES
19. Glucose (Oral)	YES	YES	YES	YES
20. Haldol (Haloperidol)	NO	NO	PO	PO
21. Lasix (Furosemide)	NO	PO	PO	YES
22. Lidocaine (Xylocaine)	NO	YES*	YES	YES
23. Magnesium Sulfate	NO	NO	PO	YES
24. Morphine	NO	NO	PO	YES
25. Naloxone (Narcan)	NO	YES	YES	YES
26. Nitroglycerine	PAM	YES	YES	YES
27. Norcuron (Vecuronium)	NO	NO	NO	YES
28. Promethazine (Phenergan)	NO	NO	PO	PO
29. Sodium Bicarbonate	NO	PO*	PO	PO
30. Solu-Medrol (Methylprednisolone)	NO	NO	PO	PO
31. Succinylcholine (Anectine)	NO	NO	NO	YES
32. Thiamine	NO	YES	YES	YES
33. Versed (Midazolam)	NO	NO	PO	YES

*May be given in Cardiac Arrest situations only.

NO = Procedure/Administration Prohibited YES = Procedure/Administration Allowed According to Protocol
PO = Physician Order PAM = Patient Assisted Medication

***ENVIRONMENTAL TOXINS/WMD/NBC PROTOCOLS NOT INCLUDED IN ABOVE,
PLEASE SEE INDIVIDUAL PROTOCOL FOR SKILLS DELINEATION***

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**ADDITIONAL
STANDING & PHYSICIAN ORDERS FOR EMS PROVIDERS**

The following is a listing of the additional standing and physician orders of advanced skills available for use by pre-hospital care providers sanctioned to practice within the Eastern Shore Emergency Medical Services Council Region. Providers must also be cleared to practice, by their respective organizations and Operational Medical Director.

The standing orders identified in this listing are for your use as guidelines to expedite the immediate care of the ill or injured patient. Please remember that you can establish communications with the Medical Control Physician whenever advice, confirmation or direction is needed. It is not necessary to wait until the algorithm states "Contact Medical Control". These standing orders are intended to assist the pre-hospital care provider with advanced levels of care after basic care has been rendered.

<u>Nature of Illness</u>	<u>EMT-B</u>	<u>EMT-ST/E</u>	<u>EMT-C/I & EMT-P</u>
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REFERENCE PROTOCOLS

Airway/Oxygenation/Ventilation		Visualize Airway (SO) Intubation (SO) *	
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* *Standing Order for Adult Cardiac Arrest; Physician Order for all others.*

ADULT CARDIAC PROTOCOLS

Adult Asystole		Epinephrine (SO), Atropine (SO)	
Adult Pulseless Electrical Activity		Epinephrine (SO), Atropine (PO)	
Adult Ventricular Fibrillation & Pulseless Ventricular Tachycardia		Defibrillation (SO), Epinephrine (SO), Amiodarone (SO), Lidocaine ET (SO)	

GENERAL ADULT PROTOCOLS

Chest Pain/AMI		Aspirin (SO), NTG (SO)	
Difficulty Breathing Bilateral Rales/No COPD		Peak Flow Meter (SO) NTG (PO), Lasix (PO), Bumex (PO),	Peak Flow Meter (SO)
Hypothermia		Defibrillate (SO), Epinephrine (PO), Amiodarone (PO)	

PEDIATRIC CARDIAC PROTOCOLS

Pediatric Asystole/PEA		Intubate (SO), Epinephrine (PO)	
Pediatric V-Fib & Pulseless V-Tach		Intubate (SO), Epinephrine (PO), Amiodarone (PO)	

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