

TREATMENT PRIORITIES

4. Dextrose for hypoglycemia

5. Naloxone for narcotic/opiate

1. Airway patency 2. Oxygenation/Ventilation

3. Vital signs

overdose

EMS System for Metropolitan Oklahoma City and Tulsa 2017 Medical Control Board Treatment Protocols



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3A - RESPIRATORY ARREST **EMERGENCY MEDICAL** ADULT & PEDIATRIC **DISPATCHER EMERGENCY MEDICAL** RESPONDER **EMD EMT** CPR BY EMD INSTRUCTION **EMT-INTERMEDIATE 85 ADVANCED EMT PARAMEDIC**

EMR EMT

ESTABLISH AIRWAY PATENCY (POSITIONING, OPA, NPA) O₂ VIA BVM AS APPROPRIATE GENERAL SUPPORTIVE CARE **OBTAIN VITAL SIGNS DETERMINE BLOOD GLUCOSE** APPLY CARDIAC MONITOR/OBTAIN 12-LEAD ECG (if equipped)

TRANSMIT 12-LEAD ECG TO RECEIVING EMERGENCY DEPARTMENT

TOXINS/DRUG OVERDOSE - SUSPECTED NARCOTIC/OPIATE - APNEIC ADULT: NALOXONE 2 mg IN, MAY REPEAT ONCE

PEDIATRIC: NALOXONE 0.5 mg IN, MAY REPEAT TO MAX OF 2 mg

USE NALOXONE TO RESTORE EFFECTIVE BREATHING; AVOID EXCESSIVE DOSING TO PREVENT WITHDRAWAL

EMT OR HIGHER LICENSE:

MEASURE END-TIDAL CO₂ & MONITOR WAVEFORM CAPNOGRAPHY (if equipped, **Mandatory use if pt intubated) PLACE SUPRAGLOTTIC AIRWAY IF INDICATED & ONLY IF BVM VENTILATIONS INEFFECTIVE

> **EMT-185 AEMT**

> > **ADULT: INTUBATE IF INDICATED**

DO NOT INTUBATE PATIENTS WITH RAPIDLY REVERSIBLE RESP ARREST ETIOLOGY (e.g. NARCOTIC/OPIATE OVERDOSE)

IV/IO ACCESS

ADULT: IV NS TKO IF SYS BP ≥ 100 mmHg WITHOUT HYPOTENSIVE SYMPTOMS

ADULT: IV NS 250 mL BOLUS IF SYS BP <100 mmHg WITH HYPŎTENSIVE SYMPTOMS & NO SIGNS OF PULMONARY EDEMA, ADULT: REPEAT UP TO 2 LITERS NS IF SYS BP REMAINS < 100 mmHg WITH HYPOTENSIVE SYMPTOMS & NO SIGNS OF PULMONARY EDEMA

PEDIATRIC: IV NS TKO IF SYS BP ≥ (70 + 2x age in years) mmHg

PEDIATRIC: IV NS 20 mL/kg BOLUS IF SYS BP < (70 + 2x age in years) mmHg IF NO SIGNS OF PULMONARY EDEMA

ADULT & PEDIATRIC WEIGHT ≥25 kg HYPOGLYCEMIA CARE:

IF GLUCOSE <50 mg/dL, D50 1 mL/kg IVP UP TO 50 mL OR D10 25 grams in 250 mL of NS IVPB WIDE OPEN UP TO 250 mL GLUCAGON 1 mg IM IF NO VASCULAR ACCESS OBTAINED

PEDIATRIC WEIGHT <25 kg HYPOGLYCEMIA CARE:

IF GLUCOSE <50 mg/dL, D25 2 mL/kg IVP UP TO 50 mL **OR** D10 25 grams in 250 mL of NS IVPB WIDE OPEN UP TO 125 mL GLUCAGON 0.5 mg IM IF NO VASCULAR ACCESS OBTAINED

ADULT & PEDIATRIC: REPEAT DETERMINATION OF BLOOD GLUCOSE POST-DEXTROSE TREATMENT

ADVANCED EMT OR HIGHER LICENSE:

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ADULT: NALOXONE 2 mg IVP/IOP/IN, MAY REPEAT ONCE

PEDIATRIC: NALOXONE 0.5 mg IVP/IOP/IN, MAY REPEAT TO MAX OF 2 mg

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PARAMEDIC

ADULT: MEDICATION ASSISTED INTUBATION IF INDICATED

CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT & TREATMENT OF SUSPECTED RESP ARREST ETIOLOGY PER APPLICABLE PROTOCOL(S)