Treatment Protocols

Post-Return of Spontaneous Circulation **Policy #9250** Stable Unstable Systolic blood pressure >90mmHg Systolic blood pressure <90 mmHg and/or signs of poor perfusion **BLS Standing Orders** Universal Patient Protocol Universal Patient Protocol • • Ensure patent airway, administer oxygen and/or Ensure patent airway, administer oxygen and/or • • ventilate PRN per Airway Policy with goal 10ventilate PRN per Airway Policy with goal 10-12 12 breaths per minute breaths per minute Maintain O2 saturation > 95% Maintain O2 saturation > 95% Monitor O2 saturation, ECG, blood pressure Monitor O2 saturation, ECG, blood pressure • continuously PRN continuously PRN Keep patient warm Immediate transport • • . **LALS Standing Order Protocol** Establish IV if not already obtained Establish IV if not already obtained • • Begin NS bolus 250-1,000 mL IV to maintain a • SBP of > 90 mmHg if patient is without rales and there is no evidence of heart failure **ALS Standing Order Protocol** Establish IV/IO if not already obtained Establish IV/IO if not already obtained • • EtCO2, pulse oximetry, blood pressure, and EtCO2, pulse oximetry, blood pressure, and ECG • ECG continuous monitoring continuous monitoring Establish advanced airway per Airway Establish advanced airway per Airway Protocol • • **Protocol** and ventilate PRN with goal EtCO2 = and ventilate PRN with goal EtCO2 = 35-45mmHg 35-45mmHg Begin NS bolus 250-1,000 mL IV/IO to maintain a • SBP of > 90 mmHg if patient is without rales and Obtain 12-lead EKG and transport to closest Imperial County approved receiving STEMI there is no evidence of heart failure center if within 90 minutes of transport location For fluid resistant hypotension or lungs not clear, • push-dose epinephrine 1.0 mL (10 mcg) IV/IO every 3 minutes titrated to maintain systolic blood pressure > 90 mmHg BH • Obtain 12-lead EKG and transport to closest Imperial County approved receiving STEMI center if within 90 minutes of transport location

Base Hospital Orders

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BH

• Repeat NS IV/IO bolus

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- Push dose epinephrine PRN for hypotension refractory to IVF
 - A. Take Epinephrine 1 mg out of 0.1 mg/ml preparation (Cardiac 1:10,000 Epinephrine) and waste 9 ml of Epinephrine
 - B. In that syringe, draw 9 ml of NS from patient's IV bag and shake well. Mixture now provides 10 ml of Epinephrine at a 0.01 mg/ml (10mcg/ml) concentration
 - C. If patient meets indications and has approval from BH, administer Epinephrine 1.0 mL (10 mcg) IV/IO every 3 minutes to titrate to a systolic blood pressure > 90 mmHg

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