

DMEMSMD Protocol Changes July 2022:

1. 0030 General Guidelines Consent
 - a. Gray box added providing guidance on “Values”
 - b. Updated language regarding consent and minors
2. 0051 Termination of Resuscitation for Medical Pulseless Arrest - Link to 3020 Neonatal Resuscitation protocol regarding termination and the newly born
3. 0990 Quick Reference Guide - Added “Crystalloids (D5W, LR, NS) – Initiation/ Maintenance” to list.
4. 2090 Tracheostomy
 - a. Additional guidance added for paramedics when a tracheostomy tube is removed or needs replaced.
 - b. Guidance added for stoma that are less than 6 weeks.
5. 3020 Neonatal Resuscitation - Guidance added regarding termination of resuscitation
6. 3060 Chest Pain
 - a. Sub-bullets added in “Life threatening causes of chest pain” gray box below acute coronary syndrome (ACS).
 - b. Cardiac alert renamed to “STEMI Alert”
7. 3070 STEMI Alert
 - a. Changed from “Cardiac Alert” to “STEMI Alert”
 - b. For “STEMI Alert”, changed wording to all inclusion criteria instead of having a combination of inclusion and exclusion criteria.
 - c. Gray box added about contacting receiving physician for consult with patients who do not meet alert criteria but scenario suggestive of STEMI.
8. 4040 Seizure - Change in algorithm flow regarding when to acquire blood glucose with actively seizing patients
9. 4090 Allergy and Anaphylaxis – Change to algorithm flow when to administer diphenhydramine, albuterol, and methylprednisolone.
10. 8090 Spinal Motion Restriction - Corrections made to algorithm flow
11. 9120 Epinephrine – Change to repeat dosing time for moderate to severe allergic reactions.
12. 9160 Hydroxocobalamin
 - a. Additional guidance for pediatric administration.
 - b. IO added as route of administration.