

SIERRA-SACRAMENTO VALLEY EMS AGENCY PROGRAM POLICY

REFERENCE NO. 375

SUBJECT: EMT / PUBLIC SAFETY AED PROGRAM: BASE HOSPITAL MEDICAL CONTROL REQUIREMENTS

PURPOSE:

To establish the requirements and standards for medical control of authorized EMT / Public Safety automatic external defibrillation (AED) service providers.

AUTHORITY:

California Health and Safety Code, Division 2.5, Sections 1797.200, 1798, 1798.2, 1798.102 and 1798.104.

California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Chapters 1.5 and 2

PROCEDURE:

Medical Control:

The EMT/Public Safety AED designated base hospital shall provide medical control for authorized EMT/Public Safety AED service providers. This shall include the following:

- A. Appointment of a physician medical director.
- B. Appointment of a registered nurse coordinator.
- C. Submit letter of support to the EMS Agency for new AED service providers within their service area.
- D. Review all Patient Care Report (PCR) forms of all EMT/Public Safety AED contacts for compliance to S-SV policy/procedure. Follow-up action will be referred to the AED service provider and the S-SV EMS Agency, as needed.
- E. Provide assistance with periodic training, structured clinical experience, and continuous quality improvement, in compliance with S-SV EMS policy.

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CROSS REFERENCES:

Policy and Procedure Manual

EMT/Public Safety AED Program: Service Provider Requirements and Responsibilities, Reference No. 474

EMT/Public Safety AED Program: Application and Approval Process, Reference No. 475

Continuous Quality Improvement Program: Reference No. 620