

SPECIAL PROCEDURES

ADMINISTRATIVE 2.0

- I. Special procedures (permissive skills) require documentation of the individual's completion of the approved training program and the approval of the base hospital(s) medical director prior to utilizing the procedure in their EMS area.

- II. Treatment guidelines are algorithmic step by step treatment procedures to be considered by each level of certified emergency medical technicians in a given circumstance of medical or trauma emergency. These are presented as minimum guidelines for prehospital care personnel. Individual situations may require flexibility and variance from these guidelines. The final authority is the independent medical judgment of the physician rendering medical control while cognizant of authorized emergency medical treatment parameters. (See State minimum standard guidelines.)

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