Loudoun County Emergency Medical Services Council, Inc.

EMS Policy #9

Electrical Therapy

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1. PARTICIPANT ELIGIBILITY

A. Be a Virginia certified EMT-I/P authorized by the Operational Medical Director to practice in Loudoun County.

B. Training in electrical therapy will be conducted during basic EMT-I/P courses sponsored by the Loudoun County EMS Council, Inc.

1. All personnel will satisfy the following criteria:

a. Demonstrate adequate knowledge and satisfactory skill performance during testing.

C. Satisfy ongoing "SKILL MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS" as described in this policy.

2. SKILL MAINTENANCE REQUIREMENTS

A. Electrical Therapy skills will be evaluated during EMT-I/P Recertification courses.

3. **AUTHORIZATION FOR USE**

A. Authorization to perform electrical therapy is granted to EMT-I/P personnel meeting all criteria documented in the "PARTICIPANT ELIGIBILITY" section of this policy.

B. Improper use of Electrical Therapy will be brought to the attention of the Operational Medical Director, who will pursue corrective action with the involved provider's ALS Agency Chief, in concert with General Directive #1.

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