

July 2025 DMEMSMD Protocol Changes:

1. 0010 Introduction
 - a. Updated as part of the comprehensive legal review.
2. 0030 Consent
 - a. Updated as part of the comprehensive legal review.
3. 0031 Patient Determination
 - a. Updated as part of the comprehensive legal review.
4. 0032 Patient Non-Transport or Refusal
 - a. Updated as part of the comprehensive legal review.
5. 0050 Field Pronouncement
 - a. Guidance added regarding non-viable birth.
6. 0051 Termination of Resuscitation
 - a. Information on termination of resuscitation of neonate moved from 3020 Neonatal Resuscitation to this protocol.
7. 0070 Lift Assist/Medical Assist
 - a. New protocol added.
8. 0990 Quick Reference Guide
 - a. Addition of diltiazem for Paramedic (base contact only).
 - b. Under epinephrine, correction by adding “Pediatric systemic allergic reactions – IM”.
9. 2040 Pediatric Wheezing
 - a. Change in bronchiolitis regarding age for albuterol trial.
 - b. Addition of consider fluids under bronchiolitis.
 - c. Additional doses of ipratropium are added.
10. 3020 Neonatal Resuscitation
 - a. Information on termination of resuscitation moved to 0050 Field Pronouncement and 0051 Termination of Resuscitation.
11. 3040 Tachyarrhythmia with Poor Perfusion
 - a. Addition of diltiazem (base contact only).
12. 4010 Universal Altered Mental Status
 - a. Formatting change only – No change to content.
13. 6000 Psychiatric/Behavioral
 - a. Information on following agency’s specific guidelines for transport holds (M-0.5).
 - b. Guidance on withdrawing or disengaging from a person for safety concerns.
14. 9095 Diltiazem
 - a. New medication added; requires base contact.

15. 9170 Ipratropium Bromide

- a. Additional doses added.

16. 9180 Lidocaine

- a. Change to dosing guidance.

17. 9200 Methylprednisolone

- a. Evidence of active GI bleed from contraindication to precaution.

18. 8000X Trauma Extended Care Supplements

- a. Under pain control, changed from maximizing one medication to utilizing multimodal pain management.

19. Evidence-based Google Sheets List

- a. [Evidence-based sources](#) utilized for making protocol decisions will be available on the DMEMSMD website.