

North Country Regional Emergency Medical Advisory Committee

Policy Statement

Serving: St. Lawrence, Jefferson, and Lewis Counties

No. 17-06

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Re: BLS Narcan, Albuterol, Blood Glucometry, Syringe Epinephrine and 12-Lead ECG

Acquisition

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BLS Albuterol

 Refer to New York State (NYS) Department of Health (DOH) Policy Statement 12-01, NYS DOH Basic Life Support (BLS) Protocols for the use of Albuterol. EMT's credentialed and trained in the region may follow all NYS Collaborative Protocols regarding the use of albuterol.

BLS Narcan

Refer to New York State (NYS) Department of Health (DOH) Policy Statement 13-01,
 NYS DOH Basic Life Support (BLS) Protocols or NYS Collaborative Protocols.

• BLS Blood Glucometry

- Refer to New York State (NYS) Department of Health (DOH) Policy Statement 05-04 &
 12-01, NYS DOH Basic Life Support (BLS) Protocol and NYS Collaborative Protocols.
- Regional Blood Glucometry Application should be completed following receipt of limited laboratory registration certificate and sent to the North Country EMS Program Agency.
 - o https://www.wadsworth.org/sites/default/files/WebDoc/1383076153/FINAL_DOH-4081_Initial_LSL_App_0116.pdf
- BLS 12-Lead Acquisition- Not approved in the North Country Region
- BLS Syringe Epinephrine Administration
 - Refer to New York State (NYS) Department of Health (DOH) Policy Statement 17-06,
 NYS DOH Basic Life Support (BLS) Protocols and NYS Collaborative Protocol
 - North Country REMAC recommends the thigh as preferred sight of administration and recommends that agencies continue to utilize specially marked syringes with "A" and "P" on them.
- Regional Application forms for each modality can be found at
 - o https://fdrhpo.org/ems/resource-library
 - Use key word search to locate form
- Each application must include a DOH-4362 Medical Director Verification form signed by service medical director

https://www.health.ny.gov/forms/doh-4362.pdf

• All EMT's in agencies approved for any of the above modalities must register in the online CME system. http://northcountry.cnyems.org/