NASEMSO NATIONAL MODEL EMS CLINICAL GUIDELINES

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NASEMSO NATIONAL MODEL EMS CLINICAL GUIDELINES: GOALS

Enhance patient care with current, evidence-based practices

Promote uniformity across healthcare systems

Provide ready-to-adopt guidelines for EMS systems

NASEMSO NATIONAL MODEL EMS CLINICAL GUIDELINES: PURPOSE

- Patient-centric
- Enhance patient care
- Maximize patient care, safety, and outcomes regardless of the existing resources and capabilities within an EMS system

- Resource to clinical practice
- Use or adapt for use on a state, regional or local level
- Benchmark performance of EMS practice

NOT ALL-INCLUSIVE
OR MANDATORY

DOES <u>NOT</u> DETERMINE

LOCAL SCOPE OF PRACTICE

INTENDED TO BE DYNAMIC

EMS: EVIDENCE-BASED MEDICINE

Initial NHTSA Evidence-Based Guidelines

NASEMSO National Model EMS Clinical Guidelines

Evidence-Based EMS Clinical Practice









The Oak Tree





The Sapling

The Acorn

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- Project was launched on September 27, 2012
- Final document was submitted to NHTSA on September 16, 2014
- Final project report was submitted to NHTSA on September 19, 2014
- Revised document with updated Resuscitation chapter released and posted in August 2016

NASEMSO NATIONAL MODEL EMS CLINICAL GUIDELINES: 2ND GENERATION

- Invitation to NASEMSO Medical Directors Council for new and reappointed workgroup members
- Invitation to national EMS physician medical direction stakeholder organizations for new and reappointed workgroup members
- Maintenance of the currency of the document
- Collection and review of new EMS research literature and data
- Update of the Resuscitation chapter due to the 2015 American Heart Association guidelines

NASEMSO NATIONAL MODEL EMS CLINICAL GUIDELINES: NEXT STEPS

- Inclusion of additional evidence-based guidelines
- Inclusion of additional consensus-based guidelines
- Measurable patient outcomes
- Measurable use and/or adoption of the guidelines by the EMS community
- Enhanced incorporation of collaborative EMS systems (e.g. NEMSIS)

NASEMSO NATIONAL MODEL EMS CLINICAL GUIDELINES: UPCOMING DELIVERABLES

- December 8, 2016: Plan for the assessment of use and/or adoption of the guidelines by the EMS community
 - Survey of state EMS directors
 - Survey of EMS community
- Early 2017: One face-to-face meeting of workgroup members
 - January 21-23, 2017 in New Orleans

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A Small Step for NASEMSO

A Giant Leap for EMS



