



Central DuPage Hospital
Emergency Medical Services System
System Policy and Procedures

Title: Equipment Minimums / Replacement	
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PURPOSE:

To define the Central DuPage Hospital Emergency Medical Services (CDHEMSS) policy on equipment minimums and replacing equipment.

POLICY:

CDHEMSS vehicles shall be in compliance with IDPH and CDHEMSS regarding minimum par levels for necessary equipment. In addition to the CDHEMSS “equipment list” all providers shall ensure they are compliant with the IDPH minimum equipment levels for their transport and/or non-transport vehicles.

Stocking Vehicles

The CDHEMSS shall not furnish equipment for original stocking of new or additional vehicles within the CDHEMSS. The original stocking shall be the responsibility of the vehicle licensing agency.

Replacing Equipment

When replacing equipment used on a patient transported to Central DuPage Hospital, disposable equipment shall be replaced via the Pyxis system. The equipment will be replaced at a 1:1 ratio. Equipment that is due for expiration may be replaced 30 days prior to the expiration date

Private providers (for profit) who choose to replace items at Central DuPage Hospital (CDH) will be charged fair market value for the supplies taken. No provider is obligated to replace their equipment at CDH if they so choose.

Non-disposable equipment

When leaving non-disposable equipment on a patient at CDH, they transporting EMS personnel shall complete a “Non-Disposable Equipment” form. A copy shall be kept with the transporting agency and another shall be send to the CDHEMSS office.

POLICY HISTORY:

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