



Fluid Shortage Update

Healthcare facilities continue to be under severely restricted fluid supply allocation. Most (including Memorial Health) continue to receive only 35-40% of pre-hurricane levels of these fluid products. We ask that EMS remain judicious in using I.V. Fluids, adhering strictly to protocol when choosing to administer I.V. fluids. As always, we ask that you replace only those fluids that you have administered to your patient.

Fall 2024 Protocol Update

The Fall 2024 Protocol updates for Springfield Memorial EMS 0327 and Decatur Memorial EMS 0653 are complete and will go into effect at 7 a.m. on Nov. 4, 2024. There are no direct patient treatment changes in this update. There is no education required. The changes made will correct grammar, punctuation and some consistency issues. The updated protocols will be placed on our website along with a page-by-page list of the latest changes. That list is attached to this email as well.

2025 Continuing Education Training Requests

If your agency has not submitted your IDPH training Request Form and System Continuing Education Schedule Form yet, **NOW** is the time to do so. The IDPH Training Request Form is linked [here](#), the System Continuing Education Schedule Form is linked [here](#). Please submit your agency training request and schedule to brown.sara@mhsil.com for Region 3, slade.michael@mhsil.com for Region 6.

Education

November- Nov.8 at 9 a.m., Nov. 26 at 7 p.m.

Topic: Cardiac Arrhythmias, Sign-up: [HealthStream](#) or use the QR code here.



The following 2024 monthly CE courses (recorded), worth 1 hour of CE each, are now available to providers via CBL in HealthStream.

- EMS - Collapse and Rescue Medicine
- EMS - Hunting Emergencies
- EMS - Medication Overdoses
- EMS - Pediatric Trauma

Upcoming EMS Licensure Courses

EMT	Logan County Paramedics Association	Nov. 4	lcpa1@lcpa-il.com
EMT	LLCC	Jan. 11	www.LLCC.edu
AEMT	LLCC	Jan. 11	www.LLCC.edu
Paramedic	LLCC	Jan. 11	www.LLCC.edu