

EMS System Operations

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Supraglottic Airway Training Program and Eligibility

Policy #3300

I. Purpose:

- A. To establish a standardized Supraglottic (Perilaryngeal) Airway Adjunct Skills curriculum and program approval requirements

II. Authority:

- A. California Health and Safety Code – Division 2.5: Emergency Medical Services [1797. – 1799.207.]
- B. California Code of Regulations, Title 22. Social Security, Division 9. Prehospital Emergency Medical Services

III. Definitions:

- A. Supraglottic (perilaryngeal) Airway Adjuncts: For the purpose of this policy, the term “Perilaryngeal Airway Adjuncts” (PAA) includes both the Esophageal Tracheal Airway Device (ETAD) and King Airway devices.

IV. Policy:

- A. ICEMSA shall approve and designate PAA providers that meet established criteria.

V. Procedures:

- A. Documentation of current PAA program approval from ICEMSA.
- B. Enter into a Memorandum of Agreement with Imperial EMS for PAA services within the particular area of jurisdiction.
- C. Comply with the California Code of Regulations, Title 22, Section 100064(b).

APPROVED:

SIGNATURE ON FILE – DATE

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