SPOKANE COUNTY FIRE DISTRICT 8

Standard Operating Procedures

40.03.09

SINGLE USE EQUIPMENT LIST FOR INFECTION CONTROL



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Purpose: This addendum to the SCFPD 8 Infection Control Program provides the EMS professional with guidelines as to those items which are considered to be single use only or disposable in nature.

References: N/A

Procedure:

- 1. The following patient care equipment and supplies should be considered for single patient use only and should be disposed of following use:
 - a) Oxygen Delivery Equipment.
 - i. Nasal Cannula.
 - ii. Nasopharyngeal Airways.
 - iii. Suction Catheters.
 - iv. Endotracheal Tubes.
 - v. Suction Tubing.
 - vi. All Oxygen Masks.
 - vii. Disposable Ambu Bags.
 - viii. V-Vac Containers.
 - ix. Pocket Masks.
 - x. Oropharyngeal Airways.
 - xi. Oxygen Supply Tubing.
 - xii. Bulb Syringe.
 - xiii. Esophageal Obturator Airways.
 - b) Splinting Equipment.
 - i. Stiff-Neck Cervical Collars.
 - ii. Cardboard Splints.
 - iii. Headbed II Immobilizer.
 - c) Bandaging Equipment.
 - i. Tape.
 - ii. Trauma Dressings.
 - iii. 4X4 Gauze Pads.
 - iv. 2X2 Gauze Pads.
 - v. Cold Packs.
 - vi. Kling Roller Gauze.
 - vii. Hot Packs.
 - viii. All Other Dressings.

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- d) IV Equipment.
 - i. All Fluid Bags.
 - ii. All Blood Draw Equipment.
 - iii. IV Tubing.
 - iv. Chem-Strips & Needles.
 - v. IV Extension Tubing.
 - vi. IV Catheters & Needles.
- e) Other Single Use/Disposable Equipment.
 - i. Bedpans (plastic).
 - ii. Tongue Blades.
 - iii. Bite Blocks.
 - iv. Emesis Basins.