REGIONAL EMS COMMUNITY INTEGRATED HEALTHCARE PROGRAM DIABETES MELLITUS (DM) ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER

Use this AO for all participants referred into the CIHP for Diabetes Mellitus (DM)

All participants referred in for this condition shall receive the following evaluations on each visit:

- A full set of Vital Signs including temperature, FSBG, and ETCO2
- 3 lead EKG
- 12 lead EKG with initial visit & as needed for subsequent visits
- Weight
- Lung Sounds
- · Smoking Cessation information/progress as needed

Follow up with participant on discharge orders to ensure compliance.

Obtain Pt's ETCO2 and record with FSBG to identify trends.

Review FSBG history with patient. Encourage patient to record their FSBG results in an organized way at home.

Perform head to toe exam. Check for and note any changes.

Review Pt's diet and provide information on available options.

If FSBG> 400:

- Advise Pt to take regular dose of insulin
- Remain with Pt and note changes in FSBS after dose given

If the Patient condition is stable: Schedule next visit.

If Patient condition is stable, but declining based on trends & assessment: Contact Primary Care Physician for plan of care. If necessary, schedule office visit and confirm participants access and availability to transportation.

If Patient condition is stable, but declining based on trends & assessment, and PCP office visit unavailable:

Advise, arrange for, or transport patient to Urgent Care facility.

If the Patient is having an acute medical emergency:
Advise dispatch to start an appropriate response to your location, follow up with the patient to the hospital.

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