

## BLS

## ALS

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Ensure patent airway</li><li>• O<sub>2</sub> Saturation prn</li><li>• O<sub>2</sub> and/or ventilate prn</li></ul> <p><b><u>Ingestions:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Identify substance</li></ul> <p><b><u>Skin:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Remove clothes</li><li>• Brush off dry chemicals</li><li>• Flush with copious water</li></ul> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b><u>Toxic Inhalation (CO exposure, smoke, gas etc.):</u></b> Move patient to safe environment</li><li>• 100% O<sub>2</sub> via mask</li><li>• Consider transport to facility with hyperbaric chamber for suspected carbon monoxide poisoning for unconscious or pregnant patient</li></ul> <p><b><u>Contamination with commercial grade (“low level”) radioactive material:</u></b> Patients with mild injuries may be decontaminated (removal of contaminated clothing, brushing off of material) prior to treatment and transport. Decontamination proceedings SHALL NOT delay treatment and transport of patients with significant or life-threatening injuries. Treatment of significant injuries is <i>always</i> the priority.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Monitor EKG</li><li>• IV/IO <u>SO</u> adjust prn</li><li>• Capnography <u>SO</u> prn</li></ul> <p><b><u>Ingestions:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Charcoal 50Gm PO if ingestion of <b>ONE</b> the following within 60 minutes <u>SO</u>:  Acetaminophen, colchicine, beta blockers, calcium channel blockers, salicylates, valproate, oral anticoagulants (including rodenticides), paraquat, amanita mushrooms, if not vomiting.</li><li>• Assure patient has gag reflex and is cooperative.</li></ul> <p><b><u>Symptomatic ?opioids OD with respiratory rate &lt;12: (use with caution in opioid dependent pain management patients).</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Narcan 2mg IN/IM/IV <u>SO</u>. MR <u>SO</u>, titrate IV dose to effect</li><li>• If patient refuses transport, give additional Narcan 2mg IM <u>SO</u></li></ul> <p><b><u>Symptomatic Organophosphate poisoning:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Atropine 2mg IV/IM/IO <u>SO</u>. MR x2 q3-5” <u>SO</u>. MR q3-5” BHO</li></ul> <p><b><u>Extrapyramidal reactions:</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Benadryl 50mg slow IV/IM <u>SO</u></li></ul> <p><b><u>?Tricyclic OD with cardiac effects (e.g. hypotension, heart block, or widened QRS):</u></b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• NaHCO<sub>3</sub> 1mEq/kg IV/IO <u>SO</u></li></ul> <p><b><u>In suspected cyanide poisoning:</u></b> if cyanide kit is available on site (e.g. industrial site) may administer if patient is exhibiting significant symptoms:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Amyl Nitrite inhalation (over 30 seconds) <i>BHPO</i></li><li>• Soduim Thiosulfate 25%, 12.5 grams IV <i>BHPO</i></li></ul> <p><b>OR</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Hydroxocobalamin (Cyanokit) 5g IV <i>BHPO</i></li></ul>
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NOTE: For scene safety, consider HAZMAT activation as needed.

In symptomatic ?opioids OD (excluding opioid dependent pain management patients) administer Narcan IN/IM prior to IV.

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**Hyperthermia from ? Stimulant Intoxication:**

- Initiate cooling measures

**Excited Delirium:**

- **As soon as able:** Monitor/EKG/Capnography
- High flow O<sub>2</sub> SO
- Ventilate SO
- 500 ml fluid bolus IV/IO SO. MR x1 SO, MR BHO
  
- Versed 5mg IM SO, MR x1 in 10" SO
- OR
- Versed 5mg IN SO. MR x1 in 10" SO
- OR
- Versed 5mg IV SO, MR x 1 in 10" SO

Note: For agitated patient IN/IM Versed is preferred route to decrease risk of injury to patient and personnel.

**Use caution when considering Versed use with ETOH intoxication. Can result in apnea.**

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