

SUBJECT: EMERGENCY MEDICAL TECHNICIAN/PUBLIC SAFETY-DEFIBRILLATION  
EQUIPMENT

Date: 07/01/05

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- I. **Authority:** Health and Safety Code, Division 2.5, Sections 1797.52, 1797.170 and 1797.204.
- II. **Purpose:** To identify specific type of Public Safety-Defibrillation equipment to be used in San Diego County.
- III. **Policy:**
  - A. An approved PS-D Program shall use only automated external defibrillation (AED) equipment capable of generating an event record.
  - B. In areas where PS-D responders have the potential to interface with Advanced Life Support (ALS) units, procedures shall be established which allow for this interface.
  - C. Equipment shall be programmed to comply with current San Diego County treatment protocols.

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EMS Medical Director