BLS

- If patient or accompanying person able to manage existing device, proceed with transport
- Bring back-up equipment/batteries as appropriate

Established electrolyte and/or glucose-containing peripheral IV lines
- Maintain at preset rates

Established IV pumps or other existing devices
Contact BH for direction, if person responsible for operating IV pump or device is unable to accompany patient and manage IV during transport

BH may only direct BLS personnel to leave device as found or turn the device off, then transport patient or wait for ALS arrival

Transdermal medication
- Remove patches PRN SO (e.g., unstable, CPR status)

Transports to another facility or home
- No waiting period is required after medication administration
- IV solutions with added medications or other ALS treatment/monitoring modalities require ALS personnel (or RN/MD) in attendance during transport
- Cap end of catheter with device that occludes end if there is a central line Initiate cooling measures

ALS

Labeled IV medication delivery systems
- Maintain at preset rates SO
- Adjust rate or d/c BHO

IV delivery systems containing unknown medications
- Contact BH prior to adjusting infusion rate

Existing external vascular access with external port
- To be used for definitive therapy only