

EXAMPLE

TVF&R/City of West Linn AED Medical Standing Order

Patient must be unconscious, not breathing, pulseless, and ≥ 55 lbs. for AED application

1. If patient is unresponsive, call 9-1-1 (as necessary) and call for AED if it is not already at the scene
2. Assess ABCs
 - If patient is not breathing and has no pulse, follow steps # 3-14:
3. Begin CPR until AED can be applied
4. Turn on AED
5. Attach electrode pads appropriately
6. Recite provider information during setup for voice-recorder (if applicable for device):
 - Provider name, agency/department
 - Patient age (or best estimate) and sex
 - Witnessed or non-witnessed arrest
 - Bystander CPR prior to AED application (yes or no)
 - Additional information if known
 - DO NOT DELAY AED APPLICATION OR OPERATION FOR THIS SEQUENCE
 - If sequence is not provided when machine is turned on, provide it as soon as possible thereafter
7. Stop CPR
8. Allow AED to analyze rhythm; follow machine's prompts
9. Deliver up to 3 successive shocks if AED so advises; if no shock advised, go to #10
10. Reassess patient: if no pulse, perform CPR for 1 minute
11. Allow AED to analyze rhythm: deliver up to 3 additional shocks if AED so advises; if no shock advised, go to #12
12. Reassess patient: if no pulse, perform CPR for 1 minute
13. As long as AED advises to deliver shocks, repeat steps #11-12 until Advanced Life Support (Fire Dept. or EMS) arrives
14. Do **NOT** remove pads or turn off AED unless/until advised to do so by Fire/EMS