

Central East Prehospital Care Program

TO: All Paramedics

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RE: ALS-PCS version 4.4

Effective **December 11th, 2017**, with the start of day shift, ALS-PCS version 4.4 will go live across all services with CEPCP. This version of the medical directives replaces the current ALS PCS version 4.3. With the implementation of version 4.4 (currently posted on our website in a downloadable format), the Emergency Childbirth Medical Directive is approved for use by all paramedics (that are in good standing and have completed the Emergency Childbirth CME).

Additionally, the PCP Cardiogenic Shock Medical Directive has been moved from the Core directives to the Auxiliary Directives. This does not change any current patient care. The Emergency Tracheostomy Tube Reinsertion Medical Directive remains approved for use through CEPCP as a local novel medical directive.

The CEPCP pocketbook remains an applicable reference as it was created with this version of the directives in mind. The Ontario Paramedic Clinical Guide app will be updated shortly to reflect these latest changes.

Please contact our office should you have additional questions or concerns.