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Re: Interfacility Transports

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Please note the following clarifications to the Inter-hospital Transport protocol, page 66 of the 2007 protocol book.

Any care that can be provided to a patient as part of the other protocols may be provided on an inter-hospital transfer, as long as there are physician orders requesting the care. This includes, but is not limited to: respiratory care including CPAP, intravenous medications including sodium bicarbonate, and newer anticoagulant medications. All drips must be on pumps that the providers are trained to operate, or on drip-rate limiting infusion devices.

Antibiotics may be hanging during transfer, but may not be initiated by the EMS crew. Antibiotics must be initiated according to sending facility protocol.