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REMAC ADVISORY 2019-03

Re: Use of Acetaminophen and Ibuprofen

Distribution: All EMS Providers, REMO Physicians

Effective Date: Current

Policy: The updated Collaborative Protocols include both Acetaminophen and Ibuprofen. The REMAC has voted to require these medications to be carried by agencies in the Region.

Stock: Consult the Collaborative Protocols for the appropriate formulations of these medications.

Administration of <u>either</u> Acetaminophen or Ibuprofen is a standing order for advanced EMT and above. Please have all EMS personnel review the attached training.

Transfer of patient care: An ALS crew that has administered either Acetaminophen or Ibuprofen may transfer care to a BLS crew for transportation to the hospital or may sign the patient off without transportation to the hospital, but only after consulting with medial control because a medication has been administered.

Education is available: https://youtu.be/DGBEo3bXji4