



Hudson Valley Regional Emergency Medical Advisory Committee
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To: All Medical Control Providers, EMT-P and EMT-CC Providers, and EMT-P and EMT-CC Agencies
From: Hudson Valley REMAC
Subject: Intra-nasal Medication Administration
Date: September 8, 2008

At its September 8th meeting, the Hudson Valley Regional Medical Advisory Committee (HVREMAC) voted to include the intra-nasal administration of medications as a new adjunct in the Advance Life Support (ALS) system. Currently, this method of medication administration is restricted to the administration of Midazolam and Naloxone.

Providers opting to administer medications intra-nasally are to utilize the intra-venous (IV) dosing indicated in the HVREMS Advanced Life Support protocols.

The EMS agency, in conjunction with the Agency Medical Director, shall ensure all the members/employees of the agency have been familiarized with the indications for and use of the intra-nasal medication administration device.

Please contact the Hudson Valley Regional EMS office with any questions in this regard.

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