

Susquehanna Regional EMS Council, Inc

Serving: Broome, Tioga, and Chenango Counties

SREMSC/REMAC Policy Statement

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Re: FAST-ED Stroke Scale

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Policy:

Basic Life Support and Advanced Life Support Stroke Protocol Criteria:

For patients presenting with acute focal neurologic deficits including, but not limited to, slurred speech, facial droop and/or unilateral (one-sided) weakness or paralysis, the protocol indicates to "perform a neurological exam, including Cincinnati Stroke Scale and other regionally approved and indicated stroke scale."

The FAST-ED stroke scale has been approved for the Susquehanna EMS Region. Providers should utilize this scale upon completion of the regionally approved training.

Reference:

Minutes of REMAC meeting dated May 5, 2022 Minutes of REMSCO meeting date May 12, 2022