NORTH COAST EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES

POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

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Subject: Training

Student Eligibility to Enter MICN Training Program

Associated Policies: 3603, 3604, 3605, 4004, 4702, 4705

- I. Authority and Reference (incorporated herein by references)
 - A. Division 2.5 of Health and Safety Code
 - B. North Coast EMS Policies and Procedures

II. Purpose

To establish regional policy for eligibility to enter North Coast EMS approved Mobile Intensive Care Nurse (MICN) training courses.

III. Procedure

Students entering an approved basic MICN Program for authorization purposes shall meet the following requirements:

- A. Verification of current California RN license.
- B. Verification of current Advanced Cardiac Life Support course completion.
- C. Verification of 500 hours of Emergency Department (ED) experience within the last year. (This requirement may be waived for candidates who can document equivalent experience. Written application for exceptions must be made to the North Coast EMS Medical Director.)
- D. Completion of MICN Training Program Application by candidate, verifying competency in core skills.
- E. Recommendation by ED Nursing Director, validating candidates preparation and readiness for the course.
- F. Completion of written pretest with a score of 80% or better. Test will be administered by the training program. Pretest must validate applicant's familiarity with core information and skills noted on the training application form.

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