



Summary of Changes Report – July 2007

Rapid Response Team

Algorithm—the RRT algorithm changed to incorporate updated recommendations. These include activation by anyone who recognizes an individual who is experiencing an acute change in clinical status. This may be inpatients, outpatients, visitors, staff members, volunteers or students.

The Protocol with revisions was put into the new template/format that includes Aims, Measures and Key Implementation Recommendations.

Order Set—All Brand names and all dosages were removed. Since the order set was intended as a tool it was incorporated as an Appendix.

#5 Criteria for Activating the RRT—Pediatric criteria were added. This criteria was taken from the AACN recommendations for Pediatric Advanced Life Support (PALS).

#8 Added discussion for consideration of patient or family activation of RRT.

#9 Expanded the annotation delineating roles, skills, attitude and behavior.

Priority Aims & Suggested Measures

Priority Aims and Suggested Measures and Specs were added.

Support for Implementation

Key Implementation recommendations and Resources available were added.