

~ SIREN Elite Training Highlight ~

CARDIAC ARREST DOCUMENTATION

Most of required documentation for a cardiac arrest call is in the “**Cardiac Arrest**” panel under the “**Patient Condition**” section. If you answer this question as “**yes**” to a cardiac arrest, the system will remind you to fill this section out with a red validation flag.

Cardiac Arrest during this incident?:

No Yes, After EMS Arrival Yes, Prior to EMS Arrival

If you **don't know the answer** to a question, you can click the “**Not Value**” square button to the right of the question. The field will be greyed out, satisfying the validation rule:

Estimated Date/Time of Cardiac Arrest: Not Known

If you are using a **CPR Feedback Device**, you need to document that under the question “CPR Methods”:

CPR Methods (Choose All That Apply):

Find Value...

Device

Compressions-External Thumper Type Device

CPR Feedback Device

YOU MUST DOCUMENT ALL OF YOUR PROCEDURES AND MEDICATIONS IN THE APPROPRIATE GRIDS. It is not valid to write these in your narrative without documenting them on the form.

To document **CPR**, go to the **Procedures** grid in the “Treatment” panel under the “Provider Action” section. Search for “**CPR**” to document one of these three options: “CPR – Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation,” “CPR with impedance threshold device,” or “Mechanical CPR Compression Device.”

Procedure:

CPR

CPR - Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation

CPR with impedance threshold device

Mechanical CPR Compression Device

There are two ways to document **Defibrillation**.

<p>If you have your Cardiac Monitor integrated with your Run Form, a procedure will automatically be created by the monitor in the run form.</p>	<p>OR</p>	<p>If your Cardiac Monitor is NOT integrated with your Run Form, you must manually document Defibrillation in the Procedures grid.</p>
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There are two ways to document when **No Shock is Advised**.

<p>If you have your Cardiac Monitor integrated with your Run Form, the "No Shock Advised" will automatically be created by the monitor in the "AED/Cardiac Monitor Imports" grid in the "Treatment" section.</p>	<p>OR</p>	<p>If your Cardiac Monitor is NOT integrated with your Run Form, you must manually document No Shock Advised in the "Manual Cardiac Monitor Entry" grid in the "Treatment" section. See below...</p>
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The screenshot shows a form with the following fields and options:

- ECG Type:** A dropdown menu with "Automated External Defibrillator (AED)" selected.
- Method of ECG Interpretation:** Four buttons: "Computer Interpretation" (highlighted in blue), "Manual Interpretation", "Transmission with Remote Interpretation", and "Transmission with No Interpretation".
- Cardiac Rhythm / Electrocardiography (ECG):** A dropdown menu with "Unknown AED Non-Shockable Rhythm" selected.
- Find Value...:** A search bar with a menu icon on the right.

- Select "AED" for "ECG Type"
- Select "Unknown AED Non-Shockable Rhythm" for "Cardiac Rhythm"