

EMS Reference Cards

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Phone / Radio Report		Glasgow Coma Scale		
1. AGE	11. **DEX	Eye Opening	Spontaneous	4
2. SEX	12. *RHYTHM		To Voice	3
3. C/C	13. TREATMENT		To Pain	2
4. BP	14. **ALLERGIES		None	1
5. PULSE	15. **MEDS	Verbal Response	Oriented	5
6. RESP	16. *HISTORY		Confused	4
7. *TEMP	17. **NAME		Inappropriate words	3
8. LOC	18. **DOB		Incomprehensible	2
9. SPO2	19. **PHYSICIAN	Motor Response	None	1
10. **ETCO2	20. ETA		Obeys Commands	6
<i>*Optional **Situational</i>			Localizes Pain	5
			Withdraws	4
			Flexion(decorticate)	3
		Extension(decerebrate)	2	
		None	1	
		Total Glasgow Coma Scale		

Workup & Written Report		History Taking (AMPLE)	
ABC CTL-spine LOC Vitals: BP Pulse Resp SPO2 Dex HEENT: Skin PERL Conjunct Conjunctiva Thorax: Pain Chest Rise Lung Sounds Resp. Pain	Abd: Soft Tender Guarded Masses Pelvis: Pain Stability Extremities: PMS Grip Range of Motion Edema History:	A Allergies M Medications P Past History, Physician L Last Meal E Events Preceding Incident	PAIN Questions (PQRST) P Provocation Q Quality R Radiation S Severity T Time
		Causes of Reduced LOC	

Response Level (AVPU)			
A	Alert	P	Pain Stim.
V	Verbal Stim.	U	Unresponsive

(AEIOU TIPS)			
A	Acidosis or Alcohol	T	Trauma or Tumors or Temperature
E	Epilepsy		
I	Infection	I	Insulin
O	Overdose	P	Psychosis or Poisoning
U	Underdose	S	Stroke

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