

Wisconsin EMS Scope of Practice Paramedic

This level of EMS provider has successfully completed a program of training based upon the WI Paramedic Curriculum, and has successfully completed the department's testing requirements. Individuals must hold a valid WI license with an approved EMS Service to practice at this level.

AIRWAY / VENTILATION / OXYGENATION
Airway – Lumen (Non-Visualized)
Airway – Nasal (Nasopharyngeal)
Airway – Oral (Oropharyngeal)
Airway – SALT*
Bag-Valve-Mask (BVM)
Chest Decompression – Needle*
CO Monitoring*
CPAP*
Cricoid Pressure (Sellick)
Cricothyrotomy – Surgical/Needle*
End Tidal CO ₂ Monitoring*
Gastric Decompression – NG/OG Tube*
Impedance Threshold Device (ITD)*
Intubation – Medication Assisted (non-paralytic)*
Intubation – Medication Assisted (paralytics) (RSI)** (Requires 2 Paramedics Patient Side)
Intubation – Nasotracheal
Intubation – Endotracheal
Manual Airway Maneuvers
Obstruction – Forceps (Direct Visual)
Obstruction – Manual
Oxygen Therapy
Pulse Oximetry
Suctioning – Tracheobronchial
Suctioning – Upper Airway (Soft & Rigid)
Ventilators - Simple Function ATV*

CARDIOVASCULAR / CIRCULATION
Cardiocerebral resuscitation (CCR)**
Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)
CPR Mechanical Device**
Cardioversion – Electrical
Defibrillation – Manual
ECG Monitor – including 12-Lead
Hemorrhage Control – Including Direct Pressure, Tourniquet, Hemostatic Agent
Pericardiocentesis*
Transcutaneous Pacing*
Valsalva
IMMOBILIZATION
Selective Spinal Immobilization **
Spinal Immobilization
Splinting

All skills are mandatory unless otherwise indicated and requires an approved protocol

* *Optional use by service*

** *Optional use by service and Requires:*

- *Prior written approval of the Operational Plan by the State EMS office and*
- *Medical Director approval and*
- *Documentation of additional training*

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INITIATION / MAINTENANCE / FLUIDS

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| Intraosseous – Initiation |
| Maintenance – Medicated IV Fluids |
| Peripheral – Initiation |
| PICC Line – Access and Use** |

MEDICATION ADMINISTRATION - ROUTES

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| Aerosolized/Nebulized |
| Auto-Injector |
| Buccal |
| Endotracheal Tube (ET) |
| Intramuscular (IM) |
| Intranasal (IN)** |
| Intraosseous (IO) |
| Intravenous (IV) |
| IV Pump – 2 or fewer medications infused from Paramedic Medication List* |
| Oral |
| Rectal |
| Subcutaneous (SQ) |
| Sub-lingual (SL) |

MISCELLANEOUS

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| Assisted Delivery (Childbirth) |
| Blood Glucose Monitoring |
| Blood Pressure – Automated* |
| Chest Tube Monitoring** |
| Eye Irrigation |
| Immunizations* |
| Patient Physical Restraint Application |
| Venous Blood Sampling – Obtaining* |
| Vital Signs |

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MEDICATIONS

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ONLY Medications Listed on the Wisconsin Paramedic Medication List |
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REMINDER: <i>Personnel must be trained & competent in all equipment that is used by the service</i>
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