

VIDEO LARYNGOSCOPE ACCEPTANCE AGREEMENT

Regions Hospital recognizes the importance of using endotracheal intubation ("ETI") and rapid sequence intubation ("RSI") procedures in severe trauma cases. In addition, Regions Hospital understands the significant benefits to patients derived from pre-hospital service providers having and using the best equipment available.

Regions EMS has developed guidelines for and extensively trained EMS providers in the use of pre-hospital ETI and RSI techniques. St. Paul Fire and Safety Services (the "Agency") currently employs these procedures in the pre-hospital setting.

Regions EMS has seen the development and studied the efficacy of a high quality video laryngoscope. It is widely viewed that this technology provides a vastly superior approach to ETI than direct laryngoscopy and is vital to the performance of pre-hospital RSI. High quality video laryngoscopes are currently being used at Regions Hospital in its Emergency Department and operating rooms.

Regions Hospital EMS believes that it is in the best interest of the City of St. Paul community for pre-hospital service providers to have and use video laryngoscope in the performance of pre-hospital RSI. To bring this technology to patients in the field, Regions Hospital hereby donates a video laryngoscope(s) to the Agency. Regions Hospital and the Agency acknowledge and agree that:

- The number of video laryngoscopes being donated to the Agency is 15.
- The video laryngoscope(s) are being donated to the Agency for the sole purpose of improving pre-hospital patient care in the City of St. Paul community. No other purpose of the gift of the video laryngoscopes is implied or intended.
- The Agency is in no way encouraged or required to refer patients to Regions Hospital as a condition of the receipt of the laryngoscopes or for any other reason. In addition, the donation of the laryngoscopes to the Agency is in no way intended to impact patients' freedom to be transported by the Agency to their hospital of choice.
- Upon acceptance of the gift Regions Hospital will only provide initial education and medical direction related to their use.
- Upon acceptance of the gift, the Agency will be the exclusive owner of the laryngoscope(s) and solely responsible for its use and maintenance and for continuing training of its staff on the use of the laryngoscope(s).

**ACCEPTED AND AGREED BY:
AGENCY**

Printed Name: _____

Signature: _____

Title: _____

Date: _____