

Jackson County Medical Control Authority

MICU Protocols

MICU MEDICAL DIRECTOR ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES

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MICU Medical Director Role/Responsibilities

The MICU medical director (MICU-MD) will be a physician appointed by the Jackson County EMS medical director. The MICU-MD will be a board certified emergency physician actively practicing in Jackson County. The MICU-MD will be responsible for oversight of the medical operations of the MICU and will provide:

1. 24 hour physician availability for MICU consultation. Both prospective triage evaluation and on-line medical direction are included in this function.
2. Review of all MICU runs providing feedback to the MICU personnel regarding appropriate triage and medical care during the MICU run.
3. Oversight of new MICU personnel training, curriculum, and credentialing of MICU personnel for MICU practice.
4. Oversight of MICU continuing education which will include didactic, practical, and run review formats.
5. Periodic MICU reports to the Medical Control Board.
6. Remediation of MICU personnel, if necessary.
7. Oversight of development of MICU treatment protocols.
8. Oversight of development of procedures for expanding MICU scope of practice.

The MICU-MD will be appointed for a one year term to be renewed at the discretion of the Medical Control Board and the MICU ambulance provider. This appointment will be a calendar year term with reappointment to coincide with Medical Control Board elections.