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FROM: Lewis Marshall, MD, JD
REMAC Chairman

RE: NYC REMAC Public Notice of Protocol Revisions

Please find attached the Public Notice for the following **NEW** NYC REMAC Protocols for "Rescue Medic".

All comments must be submitted in writing no later than **March 31, 2008** on the attached 'Comment Form'. If available, please attach all appropriate supporting documentation.

All NYC REMAC Protocols can be accessed in their entirety at www.nycremsco.org.

Thank you.



NYC REMAC

PUBLIC NOTICE

PROPOSED ADDITION TO PREHOSPITAL TREATMENT PROTOCOLS

The Regional Emergency Medical Advisory Committee (REMAC) of New York City Prehospital Treatment and Transportation Protocols define the minimum standard of care provided to patients by Certified First Responders (CFRs), Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs), and Advanced Emergency Medical Technicians-Paramedic (AEMT-Ps) in New York City. These protocols reflect both the curriculum and certification requirements of the New York State Department of Health Bureau of Emergency Medical Services and the Regional Emergency Medical Advisory Committee (REMAC) of New York City.

The REMAC of New York City has proposed addition of “RESCUE MEDIC” Protocols to the current regional Prehospital Treatment and Transportation Protocols.

In order to meet regional needs, the REMAC of New York City is conducting a public notice and is requesting comments from the Emergency Medical community. Comments must be submitted in writing on the attached ‘Comment Form’. If available, appropriate supporting documentation should also be attached. **Comments must be received no later than March 31, 2008.**

Copies of the NEW protocols are attached to this notice. All NYC REMAC Protocols can be accessed in their entirety at www.nycremsco.org.

DATED: New York, New York
February 29, 2008


Marie Diglio, EMTP

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PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT pursuant to Section 3004-A of Article 30 of the Public Health Law of the State of New York, the Regional Emergency Medical Advisory Committee (REMAC) of New York City is responsible to develop prehospital triage, treatment, and transportation protocols that are consistent with the standards of the State Emergency Medical Advisory Committee and that address specific local conditions with regards to the provision of prehospital medical care rendered by NYS Department of Health certified First Responders, Emergency Medical Technicians and Advanced Emergency Medical Technicians within the City of New York.

