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August 6th, 2015 to September 6th, 2015  
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SECTION # PAGE #	AGENCY	COMMENT	EMS RESPONSE
P-7 E-2	LIBERTY	DEFINE CONTENTS OF KIT-King airway Kit	Comment acknowledged. No change made.
P-8 #19	LIBERTY	DEFINE CONTENTS OF KIT-Thoracic Decompression Kit	Comment acknowledged. No change made.
P-9 #4	LIBERTY	CHANGE TO ROLLER GAUZE- 3" kling/kerlix	Comment acknowledged. No change made.
P-9 #7	LIBERTY	SIZE ?-Petroleum Gauze	Comment acknowledged. No change made.
P-9 #11	LIBERTY	RECOMMEND DELETE ITEM – RARELY USED-Corban Wraps or Ace bandages	Comment acknowledged. No change.
P-10	LIBERTY	CHANGE TO CLEAN BURN SHEET-Burn Pack or Burn Care Supplies	Comment acknowledged. No change.
P-11 #32	LIBERTY	CLARIFY CONTENTS-Ob Kit	Comment acknowledged. No change.
P-13 #B - 7	LIBERTY	CLARIFY TYPE-Moldable Splint	Comment acknowledged. No change.
P-12 #32	LIBERTY	DELETE-Eye Wash(only in the FEMP)	Comment acknowledged. No change
P-19 p	LIBERTY	CHANGE TO BURN SHEET(burn towels)	Comment acknowledged. No change
P-20 6	LIBERTY	ADD KING AIRWAY(none Listed)	Comment acknowledged. Change made
P-2 #13	Rio Tinto	Why 2 mg of Glucagon? This is very expensive.	Comment acknowledged. No change requested.
P-5 #1	Rio Tinto	Why 2 bite Sticks/Tongue Depressors? I have 1 now that I never use	Comment acknowledged. No change requested.
p-5 #3	Rio Tinto	Is Cric Kit still just a 10 ga cath?	Comment acknowledged. No change requested.
p-7 #11&12	Rio Tinto	Corban Wraps or Ace bandages/triangle dressing with pin how many?	Comment acknowledged. No change requested.
P-9 #18	Rio Tinto	Does EMS require fit testing for N-95 Masks?	Comment acknowledged. No change requested.
P10- #2	Rio Tinto	Laryngoscope Handle. Only one? No longer small & large?	Comment acknowledged. No change requested.
P-11 #3	Rio Tinto	Magill Forceps. Only one? No longer small & large?	Comment acknowledged. No change requested.
P-11 #7	Rio Tinto	Splint Moldable. Cardboard?	Comment acknowledged. No change requested.
p-13 #8	Rio Tinto	Thermometer. Ear not ok?	Comment acknowledged. Change made

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P-14 #5	Rio Tinto	Thoracic Decompression. ARS decompression kit ok?	Comment acknowledged. No change requested.
P-17	Rio Tinto	APGAR Score Card. Required on ALS unit or no?	Comment acknowledged. No change requested.
P-18 #j	Rio Tinto	Thermometer. Ear ok?	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
P-19 #7a	Rio Tinto	Back Board. One required on ALS unit got two on BLS?	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
A Page 3	KCFD	You have multiple categories for first responders including ALS First Responder, KCFD-PMC, Cal City, and Hazmat BCFD. The requirements are very similar in these categories, why not make one non-transport ALS First Responder list?	Comment acknowledged. No change.
G-1 Page 10	KCFD	Is a bedpan and urinal necessary for a non-transport first responder?	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
D- 3 Page 6	KCFD	For hypodermic needles for 1st Responders, KCFD, BCFD Hazmat, and FEMP you require 5 of ea. 18 and 20 ga sizes. The other categories are 5 total including both sizes. Can we adjust that to 5 total for all provider categories?	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
G- 3 Page 10	KCFD	C-collars- this list reflects the use of Stifneck type c-collars. The current movement is toward X-collars which are single sized from ped to adult. Can wording be changed to reflect that size swing?	Comment Acknowledged. No change.
G-18 Page 11	KCFD	N-95 masks. All providers are required to have N-95 respiratory protection except Cal City. Do we not care about their first responders' health?	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
III B -1	KCFD	1st responder required to have 2 backboards. All categories should be the same at 1 backboard.	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
III C- 4	KCFD	You have the cardiac monitor listed as a set, unit, or just 1 in the different provider categories. This is confusing. Also, in the FEMP category, 12-lead ECG is not required. This list should reflect that.	Comment acknowledged. Change made.

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G - 6 Page 10 III D-11 Page 15	KCFD	You have the glucometer or similar device listed twice on these pages.	Comment acknowledged. Change made
IV 5 Page 16	KCFD	You have the Cook Catheter listed as a Division Approved Device for thoracic decompression. Is that the case, are cook catheters once again Division approved?	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 6, #3	KCFD	10 ml NS vials, change to vials or preloaded syringes	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 8, #16&17	KCFD	Lubrication Jelly, comes in oz. packages. Change from 20 ml to 10- .09 oz. packets	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 9, #7	KCFD	Vaseline gauze, add alternatives such as Asherman chest seal, etc.	Comment acknowledged. No change.
page 10, #5	KCFD	Make each category of first responder the same at 2-3.	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 10, #8	KCFD	ECG electrodes, change to 20 or 2 multi-packs of at least 10.	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 11, #9	KCFD	Pedi electrodes, currently vague and amounts to use on 1.5. Patients. Change to at least 8 to cover 2 patients.	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 11. #15	KCFD	Laryngoscope bulbs? Add a disclaimer if fiber optic blades are utilized.	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 11, #18	KCFD	N95 masks. Add an and/or disclaimer for P100 masks.	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 14, #1	KCFD	Defib pads, remove. It's already listed on page 11, #10.	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 15, #8	KCFD	Oral thermometer, add disclaimer for use of tympanic or temporal thermometers.	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 15, #11	KCFD	Glucometer, this should be the same for all programs	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 12, #30	KCFD	Lancets and test strips should be the same for all programs, 4 each.	Comment acknowledged. Change made.
Page 16, #2	KCFD	Mark 1 Kits- These are on an 18 month back order and the manufacturer (Merck) is not taking orders	Comment acknowledged. No change made.
Page 14, #2	KCFD	Requires a fixed COR radio for all providers, adjust to allow a handheld radio for first responders.	Comment acknowledged. No change made.

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Page 3, #24	EMS	Remove Verapamil and add Sodium Bicarbonate	Comment acknowledged. Change made.