



# EMS System for Metropolitan Oklahoma City and Tulsa 2026 Medical Control Board Treatment Protocols



**EMS SECTION**

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## 12B – SMOKE INHALATION ADULT & PEDIATRIC

### TREATMENT PRIORITIES

1. Personal safety
2. Patient safety
3. Vital signs  
(including EtCO<sub>2</sub>, if equipped)
4. Oxygenation support
  - O<sub>2</sub> by NC, NRB
  - BVM, Bi/CPAP, ETT if indicated
5. Ventilation support
  - BVM, Bi/CPAP, ETT if indicated
6. Nebulization therapy
  - Albuterol

### EMD

DIRECT TO MOVE AWAY FROM SMOKE IF SAFE TO DO SO  
OPEN AIRWAY IF NOT ALERT & INEFFECTIVE BREATHING  
IF AWAKE, AVOID PHYSICAL EXERTION  
OR ENVIRONMENTAL STRESS (TEMP EXTREMES).  
ADVISE PT SELF-ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATIONS  
(eg. ALBUTEROL INHALER)  
IF PREVIOUSLY PRESCRIBED FOR SIMILAR SYMPTOMS

### EMERGENCY MEDICAL DISPATCHER

### EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER

### EMT

### EMT-INTERMEDIATE 85

### ADVANCED EMT

### PARAMEDIC

### EMR

### EMT

MAINTAIN PERSONAL & PATIENT SAFETY  
GENERAL SUPPORTIVE CARE  
OBTAIN VITAL SIGNS  
O<sub>2</sub> VIA NC, NRB, OR BVM AS APPROPRIATE  
APPLY CARDIAC MONITOR (if equipped)  
ASSIST PT WITH PT'S OWN ALBUTEROL INHALER/NEBULIZER (when applicable)  
TREAT PER 12C – CARBON MONOXIDE &/OR 12E – CYANIDE AS APPLICABLE

### EMT OR HIGHER LICENSE:

MEASURE END-TIDAL CO<sub>2</sub> & MONITOR WAVEFORM CAPNOGRAPHY (if equipped)  
ADULT: APPLY Bi/CPAP IF INDICATED (if equipped)

ADULT & PEDIATRIC WEIGHT **≥15 kg**: NEBULIZED ALBUTEROL 5 mg OR LEVALBUTEROL 2.5 mg  
PEDIATRIC WEIGHT **<15 kg**: NEBULIZED ALBUTEROL 2.5 mg OR LEVALBUTEROL 1.25 mg  
MAY REPEAT ALBUTEROL OR LEVALBUTEROL ENROUTE X 1 AS NEEDED

PLACE SUPRAGLOTTIC AIRWAY IF INDICATED & ONLY IF BVM VENTILATIONS INEFFECTIVE

### EMT-I85

### AEMT

**ADULT: INTUBATE IF INDICATED**

IV ACCESS

**ADULT: IV NS TKO IF SYS BP ≥ 100 mmHg WITHOUT HYPOTENSIVE SYMPTOMS**

**ADULT: IV NS 250 mL BOLUS IF SYS BP <100 mmHg WITH HYPOTENSIVE SYMPTOMS & NO SIGNS OF PULMONARY EDEMA,**

**ADULT: REPEAT UP TO 2 LITERS NS IF SYS BP REMAINS < 100 mmHg WITH HYPOTENSIVE SYMPTOMS & NO SIGNS OF PULMONARY EDEMA**

**PEDIATRIC: IV NS TKO IF SYS BP ≥ (70 + 2x age in years) mmHg**

**PEDIATRIC: IV NS 20 mL/kg BOLUS IF SYS BP < (70 + 2x age in years) mmHg IF NO SIGNS OF PULMONARY EDEMA**

### PARAMEDIC

**ADULT: MEDICATION ASSISTED INTUBATION IF INDICATED**  
CONTINUOUS ASSESSMENT & TREATMENT PER APPLICABLE PROTOCOL(S)