

JORDAN VALLEY EMS AUTHORITY POLICY

POLICY #: 203.3.2

SUBJECT: CHECKING EQUIPMENT

CAAS STANDARD: 203.3.2

SCOPE: ALL EMPLOYEES AND VOLUNTEERS

PURPOSE:

The purpose of this policy is to provide minimum guidelines for inspection of equipment on life support vehicles.

POLICY:

All life support vehicles will be inspected weekly for the necessary equipment. The equipment required will meet or exceed the equipment listed in the Minimum Required Equipment Policy (Policy 203.3.1). This list, at a minimum, will be consistent with MDCH requirements for life support vehicles.

PROCEDURE:

Each week, EMS personnel will ensure that the equipment is on all life support vehicles in accordance with the inspection sheet provided. The inspection sheet will have, at a minimum, the required equipment identified in the Minimum Required Equipment Policy (Policy 203.3.1).

The EMS personnel complete and sign the vehicle inspection sheet and place it in the designated location for completed inspection sheets.

These sheets then will be scanned for electronic filing and then shredded.

All EMS staff will report any critical equipment failures, missing or damaged equipment or supplies to the on duty Paramedic immediately. The on duty Paramedic will email the EMS Director immediately.

POLICY HISTORY:

Implemented: July 10, 2019

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