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Re:	Advanced Life Support Patient Care Standards v4.8	
Date:	November 17, 2020	

As of November 23, 2020 all Paramedics in Ontario will transition to version 4.8 of the ALS PCS. Attached is a summary of changes that are reflected in the updated ALS PCS.

The new ALS PCS v4.8 and summary of changes are also available on our website (link below) and can be printed or saved as a PDF. Also included for front line paramedics is an educational summary of changes document created by the Provincial Education Sub-committee outlining the clinical impact to patient care.

Please do not hesitate to contact your applicable Paramedic Practice Coordinator should you have any questions or concerns regarding these changes.

https://www.hsnsudbury.ca/portalen/basehospital/For-Paramedics/Standards-and-Learning/Provincial-Standards

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