



PROTECTED CODE BLUE TOP FIVE KEY MESSAGES

1

ENSURE AIRBORNE PPE for all providers before initiating BLS, ALS*

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APPLY NRB WITH FILTER (HiOx, Tavish) when initiating CPR

Leave mask on during defibrillation but turn off oxygen flow

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NO BVM VENTILATION prior to intubation

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PRIORITIZE INTUBATION using a protected airway process

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PAUSE CHEST COMPRESSIONS during intubation

*As resources permit, ONE BLS-capable team member in full airborne PPE may enter the patient room, place a mask on the patient and initiate compressions-only CPR while the rest of the team prepares