**Level 1 Cardiac**

**Expected Arrival from a *Regional* Facility**

**Aspirus Physician Connect Line (PCL) Receives Call from Regional Provider**

* Regional provider notifies of Level 1 cardiac
* Obtains name, DOB, Gender, Diagnosis, Referring Facility, & Referring Provider
* Connects Regional Provider to:
  + On-call *Non- interventional* cardiologist M-F 0700-1700
  + On-call *Interventional* Cardiologist after hours and weekends
* Cardiologist to call 72657 (888-847-2657) Hospital Supervisor to activate Level 1, provides name, DOB & name of sending facility

**Hospital Supervisor Responsibilities**

* M-F 0700-1700 call Cath Lab Board 72293 to determine available *Interventional* Cardiologist; after hours and weekends would be *on-call interventional* cardiologist
* Contact referring facility to obtain ETA
* Group page: 999\*minutes to ETA
  + 4930\* for Cath Lab
  + 9001\* for support team
  + Interventional Cardiologist [minutes to ETA]
* Call CICU to confirm bed 72771
* Schedule appropriate case and post on the grease board
  + 0700 – 1700 Cath Lab
  + 1700 – 0700 Hospital Supervisor
* Contact Patient Registration/ED
* Notify ED Charge RN 31334 of expected patient

**PCL RN Responsibilities**

* Contacts referring facility to provide:
* ED fax number 715-847-0466
* CICU phone number 715-847-2771
* Offers MedEvac if no immediate transport available
* Requests Ht & Wt, EKG & labs to be faxed to ED fax # at 715-847-0466
* Obtains cell phone number of family if possible

**EMS Notification of 15 minute ETA**

* ED charge RN/Unit Clerk notifies Hospital Supervisor w/ ETA
* Hospital Supervisor – group pages - code 999\*minutes to ETA:
  + 4390\* [minutes to ETA] for Cath Lab
  + 9001\* [minutes to ETA] for support team
  + Interventional Cardiologist [minutes to ETA]

**Registration Process**

* Patient is registered as ambulatory status
* Send face sheet, labels, armband, all admission documents to Cath Lab tube station #300
* If patient registration completes process, sends message to ED & Cath Lab with patient information

**Cath Lab Crew**

* Verifies page & is ready to work in 30 minutes
* Pages *Interventional* Cardiologist when two (2) team members arrive – *of which one must be an RN*
* Checks fax &/or tube station for patient information

**Patient Arrives to AWH ED**

* Security/ED EMT to take ambulance bay cot to helipad to assist with hot offload if arriving by air
* Security records patient arrival time per ED atomic clock / RT & Chaplain to ED five (5) minutes prior to patient arrival
* *Interventional* Cardiologist meets pt in ED & does complete 30-second airway assessment
* If *Interventional* Cardiologist not present or cath lab has not paged readiness, patient is delayed in ED

NO

**Admit to ED for assessment, intubation or further treatment**

**Additional assessment and/or treatment required**

YES

* Patient transferred to Cath Lab by *Interventional* Cardiologist, EMS, RT, Chaplain & Security
* Security to hold elevator on Level 1
* Security to ensure open access through secured doors
* ED Unit Clerk transfers patient to cath lab status from expected tab

**Patient Arrives to Cath Lab**

* RT, EMS to assist – lead, mask, cap as necessary
* CICU nurse to assist after hours (1700 – 0800) / Cath Lab Clinical Lead to assess need for add’l assistance during working hours
* Lab – available for specimens in monitoring area/ places order for Level 1 labs: BMP, Hemogram, CKMB panel, Troponin I, Magnesium, Prothrombin Time, and Type & Screen
* RT – remains until released by Anesthesia or Surgeon
* Nurses – confirm for care – verifies patient identification / armband, switches out IV/ lines
* *Interventional* Cardiologist – does mini H & P
* Team – witnesses non-signed informed consent
* Security – gives timing sheet to monitor tech / places belongings in bag & delivers to CICU
* Hospital Supervisor – remains in vicinity for questions, room assignment, family needs until chaplain arrives, miscellaneous

**Family/ Significant Other Arrives in ED**

* ED Unit Clerk greets family and pages Chaplain
* Chaplain will:
  + Escort family to AHVI waiting area
  + Notify cath lab of family arrival
  + Provide updates of patient status to family

**Procedure Complete**

* Cath Lab:
  + Prints extra copy of procedural report
  + Completes Level 1 debriefing form
  + Place both in post data box for Level 1 Coordinator
  + Calculates time from AWH door to procedure start & records on timing sheet
* CICU or Receiving Unit:
  + Faxes interim status report to referring ED Physician soon after admission
  + Faxes interim status report to PMD soon after admission
  + Completes EPIC admission – including agreement for services signed when possible
  + Enter and document agreement for service and privacy notice
  + Tube referring facility demographic sheet to registration
* *Interventional* Cardiologist:
  + Option to participate in debriefing for issues or acknowledgements
* Level 1 Coordinator:
  + Creates case summary & shares with pertinent staff
  + Follows up on identified issues

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