

## Emergency Medical Services Defined Key Index Procedure Minimums Review Committee for Emergency Medicine

The following are key index procedures identified by the Review Committee as essential to the independent practice of emergency medical services.

Fellows are required to perform the minimum numbers indicated for each key index procedure below using program resources, by the time of graduation from the program.

| Procedure/Educational Experience  | Minimum |
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| Participation in a mass casualty/disaster triage at an actual event or drill            | 1       |
| Participation in a sentinel event investigation   | 1       |
| Conduct a quality management audit  | 1       |
| Participate in development of a mass gathering medical plan and, in its implementation, | 1       |
| Participate in the development or revision of an EMS protocol                           | 1       |
| Obtain prehospital vascular access  | 5       |
| Manage a cardiac arrest in the prehospital setting                                      | 5       |
| Manage a compromised airway in the prehospital setting                                  | 5       |
| Participate in HazMat response training   | 1       |
| Participate in tactical EMS training  | 1       |
| Participate in confined space, technical rescue, or collapse/trench rescue training     | 1       |
| Participate in vehicle rescue/extrication training                                      | 1       |
| Provide direct medical oversight on-scene, or by radio or phone                         | 100     |

The primary responsibility for the determination of procedural competence rests with the program director and faculty members.