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WVOEMS Protocol 9106 Medical Communication Policy

In compliance with Legislative Rule 64 CSR48 9.1.b.2 WVOEMS Revised Protocol 9106—Medical Communication Policy is hereby submitted for a thirty-day public comment period from December 15, 2017 through January 13, 2018.

All comments must be submitted by 11:59 PM January 13, 2018 to:

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Please indicate WVOEMS Protocol 9106 in the subject line.

9.1.b.2. Whenever any changes in protocol, medication and procedure, scope of practice or policy and procedure as authorized in § 9.1.b.1 are proposed, a notice of the proposal will be electronically mailed to each EMS Agency and the full text of proposed changes in protocol, medication and procedure, scope of practice or policy and procedure, will be published on the OEMS website. Notice of the proposed changes in protocol, medication and procedure, scope of practice or policy and procedure as authorized in § 9.1.b.1, is subject to a thirty (30) day public comment period prior to their being effective. However, the MPCC may waive the public comment period when it finds that exigent circumstances exist and that the proposed changes in protocol, medication and procedure, scope of practice or policy and procedure must be implemented immediately to ensure patient safety.