



**North Country
Regional Emergency Medical
Advisory Committee**

Policy Statement

Serving: St. Lawrence, Jefferson, and Lewis Counties

No. 07 - 07

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Re: Additional Equipment,
Skills, and Drugs

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Supersedes: Policy 96-02

It is the policy of the North Country REMAC that any new skill, drug, or equipment must be approved by the REMAC.

All equipment, additional medications and skills that are not on the North Country REMAC's approved list must be approved by the REMAC membership. In some cases, approval from the Department of Health may also be needed.

Proposals must be in writing and submitted to the North Country Program Agency 4-5 weeks prior to the scheduled REMAC meeting for inclusion in the REMAC Planning Committee and the distribution to REMAC members.

Written proposals should include:

1. Scientific research that supports your request for including this skill or medication in our system.
2. Written approval from your Service Medical Director.
3. How QA/QI process will be done with regard to this new skill.
4. Cost of the skill, training, drug, or equipment.
5. The training program and how it will be implemented.