

**Michigan
SYSTEM**
**AIR AMBULANCE PERSONNEL
SCOPE OF PRACTICE
(MCA Optional Protocol)**

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The purpose of this protocol is to provide guidance for providers who are treating patients as part of an aeromedical service response.

☐ Medical Control Authorities choosing to adopt this supplement may do so by selecting this check box. Adopting this supplement changes or clarifies the referenced protocol or procedure in some way. This supplement supersedes, clarifies, or has authority over the referenced protocol.

Scope:

Air ambulance programs may provide care over and above that specified in the local MCA protocols, including (but not limited to): administration of blood products, placement of central venous access devices, placement of thoracostomy tubes, establishment of a surgical airway, and administration of medications not included in the local MCA protocols. Policies and procedures regarding the use of equipment and medications not included in the local MCA Protocols will be made available by the flight service's medical director to the local MCA EMS Medical Director. Responsibility for training and quality assurance regarding these additional protocols will be the responsibility of the air ambulance program.